ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7:01 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:17 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:17 p. m.

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THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy and colder tonight in north portion; Friday, fair, colder.
Maximum, 41; minimum, 26; 24 hours ending at noon today. Ther. at noon, 41.

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MISS REINHART A BRIDE

Popular Young Society Woman Becomes Mrs. Matthew Maury Corbin.

WEDDING AT GRACE

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Reinhart—Nuptial Ceremony a Brilliant One.

Miss Mary Anderson Reinhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Reinhart, of Belvidere avenue, and Matthew Maury Corbin, of Cincinnati, were married in Grace church at 8:30 o'clock last night, in the presence of a large gathering of society people from this city and many distant points. The affair was a brilliant one. The rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, officiated.

The bride's attendants included her sister, Mrs. John A. Thayer, of Charleston, W. Va., as matron of honor; Miss Madeline Ostermoor, of this city, as maid of honor; Molly Timpson and Mary Elizabeth Thayer, the latter a niece, as flower girls, and Edward Morris Van Buren, Jr., a nephew, as page.

Mr. Corbin's best man was W. Robinson Molinard, of Baltimore, and the ushers were Edward M. Van Buren, of this city; John A. Thayer, of Charleston, W. Va.; Hancock Griffin, John Livingston, Heber Reginald Bishop, of New York, and Frank O. Reinhart, of this city, a brother of the bride.

The bride was gowned in white satin and chiffon cloth, trimmed with point applique lace. She wore a veil and carried a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley and white orchids. A beautiful adornment was a horseshoe of diamonds, the gift of the groom. The matron of honor's gown was of Irish lace, princess mode, and she carried white lilacs. The maid of honor wore a gown of pale blue crepe de chine, trimmed with duchess lace, and she carried pale pink roses. The flower girls wore white dresses with blue satin sashes and carried baskets of pale pink roses, while the page wore a white serge sailor suit.

While the guests were arriving, Mrs. William Freeman, organist, rendered a varied programme of classical selections from well known composers. The full vested choir of the church, which took part in the ceremony, announced the arrival of the bridal party when it entered the edifice, singing "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden," as a processional. The choir entered by a side aisle from the choir room and met the bridal party at the front of the church and, leading the way through the main aisle, sang the wedding march from "Lohengrin."

Following, were the ushers, the maid or honor, the flower girls, page, the matron of honor and the bride, accompanied by her father, who gave her away in marriage. They were met by the groom and best man at the chancel, where the bethrothal service was performed. As the bride and groom approached the altar for the solemnization of the marriage vow the choir sang "The Gloria." Following the ceremony, while the bridal party was leaving the church, the choir sang the Mendelssohn wedding march.

It was a green and white wedding and the church was lavishly decorated with these colors. About the chancel there was a profusion of azaleas, Southern smilax, narcissus and palms, while from the arches above were three white doves suspended by long white satin ribbon.

Following the ceremony, a large reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, which was thronged with guests. Mr. and Mrs. Corbin received in a bow window beneath a green bell studded with small incandescent lights. This bell was used at the weddings of the bride's mother and sister. The decorations at the house were chiefly green, smilax and a great many potted plants being used. The bow window in which Mr. and Mrs. Corbin received was decorated with smilax and encircling it was a row of incandescent lights. The same color decorations were used to garnish the table in the dining room, while the large reception hall and broad staircase were profusely decorated with smilax. During the reception music was furnished by the Hungarian orchestra from the Cafe Francis, New York.

The bride was the recipient of a large collection of gifts of great value, including everything almost that one could wish for in silverware, goldware, cut glass, jewels, furniture and linen. One special gift was a large silver tray from the Oshkosh Club, of which the bride is a member, and the names of the members were inscribed thereon. Another gift was a handsome silver loving cup given to the groom by the officers who served with him in the First U. S. Engineers at Porto Rico during the Spanish-American War. Mr. Corbin's best man and two ushers, John Livingston and Heber Reginald

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ENDEAVORERS TO MARK 25 YEARS EXISTENCE

TRINITY CHURCH ORGANIZATION TO HOLD FORMAL EXERCISES.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of Trinity Reformed church will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor movement on Monday night with special services. Rev. W. B. Hamilton, of Elizabeth, well-known throughout the county by Endeavorers and a pleasing speaker, will made an address, and Miss Etta Raybert will sing.

There will also be a song service led by Horace J. Martin. At the close an hour of sociability, with refreshments, will be enjoyed. This society is one of the oldest in the city and would be glad to welcome all friends of the Endeavor movement to this birthday party. A special offering will be received for the Christian Endeavor Church Building Fund.

MEN DEMONSTRATE ABILITY AS COOKS

PREPARE AND SERVE DELICIOUS MEAL AT SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST CHURCH.

Under the auspices of the men of the Seventh-day Baptist congregation the sixth annual dinner and entertainment was held in the parlors of the church last night. The men took entire charge of the dinner and programme and once more demonstrated their ability. The affair was a great success and the liberal patronage will net about $60 for the Women's Society for Christian Work, for whose benefit it was given.

A most excellent dinner was prepared and served by the men, the menu including all the good things from oysters on the half shell to chocolate and coffee. The menu card was unique. Opposite each course was an appropriate selection from some well known author. On the cashier's check was printed the following:

"If the waiter didn't punch the $10 amount it was probably an oversight." "Report any such inattention to the headwaiter, and he will relieve you of your valuables." "Don't forget to tip the waiter, and remember that the cooks have got to live."

The waiters were not forgotten, for nearly $12 was received in tips, and those who had dinner were very liberal in their orders. The dinner committee, comprising Frank J. Hubbard, chairman; William H. Rogers, D. E. Titsworth, Dr. O. B. Whitford and Prof. J. B. Cottrell, had charge of the kitchen and, in the proper regimentals, were busy throughout the evening preparing the food to be served.

C. L. Ford was in charge of the dining room and his assistants, who acted as waiters, were Charles Neagle, Arthur Spicer, Rolla Williams, Nathan Wardner, Milton St. John, Orra S. Rogers, Clark Green, Robert Mitchell, Arthur L. Titsworth and Jerome Davis.

After the dinner was served the entertainment was enjoyed. David E. Titsworth had charge of the programme, which was arranged by Dr. Marcus L. Clawson, chairman of that committee.

The programme comprised organ solos by Arthur L. Titsworth, sleight-of-hand work by E. Warren Rankin, humorous selections by DeWitt Paxton, of New York, and violin selections by Mrs. Violet Truell-Johnston. Every number was enjoyed and an encore given.

Another feature of the affair was a portrait gallery, where there was displayed about fifty pictures of well known members of the church taken early in life. They afforded much amusement to those present in comparing likenesses of the past with those of today.

For Chapel Superintendent.

The consistory of Trinity Reformed church is in correspondence with Rev. J. T. Lansdale, of New York, for many years engaged in mission work, with a view to securing him as superintendent of Marconnier chapel, providing satisfactory arrangements can be made. The needs of a superintendent to look after this work at Oak Tree are more apparent than ever since Mrs. Schenck resigned, and as Mr. Lansdale has the highest endorsement as a Christian worker, it is hoped that he may be secured.

Recovered Lost Hunting Dog.

P. A. McVoy, of East Front street, has recovered a valuable hunting dog which he lost early last fall. The dog strayed away from its kennel and nothing was heard of it, although Mr. McVoy advertised and offered a reward for its return. Last week he saw the dog chained in a Netherwood yard. He promptly established his claim and took the dog away with him.

COUNCIL TO ACT ON STREET NUMBERING

BROROUGH FATHERS MONTHLY MEETINGTOMORROW NIGHT.

The confusing system of numbering that exists on Somerset and other streets will be given consideration at tomorrow night's meeting of the Borough Council. The conglomeration of addresses has been an annoyance to strangers for years and complaints have been entered with never ceasing regularity. Mayor Smalley recently took the matter in hand and he will have the proper ordinance passed to re-number the sections that need attention.

Somerset street is in the worst shape and it will practically have to be changed from Green brook to Johnson's drive. The city will also be appealed to in order to make the job a thorough one as at present repetitions occur at intervals from Front street to Craig place.

Other streets are in a similar condition and it has been responsible for mix-ups in the tax assessments, bills frequently going to the wrong people.

BLACK HAND LETTERS ONLY AN AD. DODGE

T. J. WINCKLER'S LIFE IS NOT IN DANGER FROM ITALIANS.

The "black hand" notices received by Councilman Thomas J. Winckler, a former North Plainfielder, have turned into a joke. It has been learned at the shore city that the letters and cards are being sent to various places by a soap maker as an advertising dodge. Mr. Winckler was not frightened by the receipt of the notices, and the discovery that they were merely designed to advertise somebody's soap hasn't served to relieve him of any particular worriment.

Mr. Winckler received another of the cards Tuesday night. "You have but one day more," it read. The next card is expected to inform him that "Blank's soap will vanquish the Black Hand," or something to that effect.

Throughout the whole affair Mr. Winckler has displayed great courage. When the rest of the city, including the police, were convinced that some evil threatened the councilman, Mr. Winckler treated the matter lightly and refused anything in the shape of a bodyguard.

MR. AND MRS. I. H. BOEHM TWENTY-FIVE YEARS WED.

Reception Marks That Anniversary and Mrs. Boehm's Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Boehm, of Somerset street, entertained a large company of relatives and friends, including all of the clerks at Mr. Boehm's dry goods store, last night, in honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary and the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Boehm. The double celebration was one of great pleasure to all and the celebrants were the recipients of hearty congratulations.

The evening was passed in dancing, vocal and instrumental music being rendered, followed by the serving of supper. An unexpected pleasure to Mr. and Mrs. Boehm was the presentation to them by the clerks of a handsome china salad set. Miss Burke made the presentation on behalf of the clerks, and words of appreciation were spoken by both Mr. and Mrs. Boehm. They also received many other gifts of value and use.

Arthur Tyler Recovering.

Arthur Tyler, of Washington, a cousin of Col. Mason W. Tyler, of this city, is improving from a serious operation performed at Muhlenberg Hospital recently by Dr. Brown, a New York surgeon. Mr. Tyler resided here several years ago and had charge of the work of selecting the books for the Plainfield Public Library when it was first opened. Since that time Mr. Tyler has held several important positions, notably one in the Congressional Library at Washington.

Fined for Swearing.

Patrick Cahill, arrested yesterday for drunkenness and disorder, was arraigned before Judge Runyon in the city court this morning. Cahill was charge with calling Doorman McCue a harsh and improper name. Judge Runyon fined him $5. He fished up $3 in quarters and dimes from his clothes and the judge took his I. O. U. for the rest.

—The question of weather has nothing to do with the display of fresh vegetables at Neuman Brothers'. It is maintained all the year around, replenished by daily consignments.

ABNER S. CORIELL DEAD

Veteran Piscatawayite Succumbs to Three Months' Illness, at 85 Years.

WAS LONG POSTMASTER

Appointed by Lincoln and Held Office for Twenty-eight Years—One of the Original Members of the G. O. P.

Abner S. Coriell, one of the best known men in Piscataway and the surrounding sections, died at his home in New Market yesterday afternoon in his eighty-sixth year. Mr. Coriell lived in Piscataway all his life, and was a familiar figure to everybody in New Market and Dunellen. He was a veteran business man of the village and held office for many years.

Mr. Coriell became seriously ill about three months ago. Until that time he was unusually well preserved for a man of his age, going out about the town and keeping abreast of the times through the columns of the newspapers, which he read without difficulty in spite of his age. His illness weakened him rapidly, however, and he sank with a steadiness that foreshadowed the end weeks ago. He died quietly at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Coriell is survived by a widow and nine children. The latter are Charles and Abner, who live in Dunellen; George and William, of New Market; Andrew, of Bound Brook; Mrs. Van Curen, of Red Bank; Mrs. Clarence White, of Red Bank; Mrs. B. J. Elliott, of Scotch Plains, and Miss Kate, living at home. He leaves seventeen grandchildren, ten grandsons and seven granddaughters.

Mr. Coriell passed his eighty-fifth year on November 11. He was born at Harris' lane, and never moved out of the township. He started his career as a farmer. Storekeeping attracted him and he set up in business as a coal dealer on the corner opposite the Hotel Nelson. He gave up business twenty years ago, and bought the home where he died.

For twenty-eight years Mr. Coriell was postmaster at New Market. He was appointed first by Abraham Lincoln. He was a stanch Republican, and every succeeding President up to Cleveland reappointed him. He was dropped when the Democratic chief executive made his appointments, but went back into office when Harrison took his seat. Mr. Coriell was assessor as well as postmaster, holding the township office for twenty-one years.

Mr. Coriell espoused Republicanism when it was born, before the war, and remained an ardent follower of the cause all through the rest of his life. It was his boast and his greatest pride that he never had failed to cast his vote for a Republican presidential candidate. His appearance at the polls in New Market was always, of late years, the event of the day. He cast his ballot for Roosevelt in 1904, walking sturdily to the polls and voting without assistance.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon from the Coriell home at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. W. Casselberry, of the Presbyterian church, will conduct the service. The interment will be made at Bound Brook.

Sermon Fake Brings Letters.

Rev. Frank Fletcher, the New Market pastor of whom the New York Globe faked a report regarding opposition to Robert Fitzsimmons, is receiving letters from pretty much all over the country. His denial apparently hasn't come within seven hundred miles of the lie. Most of the correspondents scold Mr. Fletcher for what they regard as his meddling and hypocrisy. The preacher is pained by the flood of correspondence, and ardently hopes that the truth regarding the Globe fake will spread about

Help for Fire Sufferers.

Help is asked for two families made destitute by fire, in which everything was lost. They need china, furniture, household things of all kinds, and clothing for adults and children from two weeks old to nine years. Article sent to the Relief rooms, 544 West Front street, will be given to these people at once.

Plainfielders Going to Cuba.

Mrs. J. R. Truell, of Central avenue; Mrs. Morris A. Zook, of East Sixth street, and Mrs. William Mackay, of East Seventh street, will leave the middle of this month for Cuba on a pleasure trip. They will be away several weeks. Mr. Zook, who is now in Cuba, will join the party on its arrival.

Exalted Ruler Runyon Resigns.

Owing to a pressure of other matters, City Judge William N. Runyon has resigned as exalted ruler of Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E. His resignation was accepted at last night's meeting and his successor will be elected next week.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

S. ST. JOHN M'CUTCHEN TO MAKE THE ADDRESS

WILL SPEAK TO GRADUATES OF STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Samuel St. John McCutchen, of North Plainfield, chairman of the Normal School committee of the State Board of Education, will deliver an address to the February class of forty graduates from the State Normal School, at Trenton, tomorrow. President James L. Hayes, of the State Board of Education, will present the diplomas.

It has been announced that owing to the scarlet fever scare and the schools being closed, the commencement exercises of the February class which were arranged for tomorrow night have been abandoned and the invitations recalled by Dr. Green, the superintendent.

Each member of the class now engaged in practice teaching has been notified of the change. Dr. Green requests the class to meet at the school tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. About one-half of the class have already accepted positions to teach.

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S ESCAPE WAS NARROW

NEAR DEATH ON R. R. AT DUNELLEN WHEN FLIER ALMOST HITS THEM.

That fifty children of Dunellen, returning home from school in a body Tuesday afternoon, were not injured and a number of them killed by a Philadelphia and Reading flyer that passed through there just as the children were crossing the tracks is considered a miracle. The school is situated on the south side of the Central Railroad tracks and the majority of pupils live on the north side. Consequently, when going and coming from school they have to cross the tracks.

As customary, the children waited at the crossing while the gates were down, and until they were raised; then crossed the first track, and waited while a passenger train pulled slowly out on a parallel. The habit of allowing the children to pass through the gates while a train is pulling out has long been a custom, the children always being careful not to go too near to the moving train, and no disasters have ever resulted.

The Philadelphia and Reading flyer, which passes through Dunellen at 3:30 p. m., was a few moments late, and the gateman either thought the train had passed or else his view of the track was obscured by the local passenger train. As soon as he raised the north gate the children rushed across the track, passing around the end of the local that was pulling out of the station directly into the path of the fast approaching flyer. A panic then ensued and the children ran in all directions to get out of the way of the train, one small boy falling, but rolling out of the way. Scrambling to his feet, he ran two blocks before he stopped. The engineer blew a long continued whistle, sometimes referred to as a "death" whistle, as it is frequently blown when a human being is believed to have been struck, and applied the airbrakes, but did not stop his train when he found that no one had been struck.

A crowd immediately gathered and expected to find at least a score of the children dead, many of the men being fathers of the children who attend the school and have occasion to cross the tracks. Tears were in their eyes when they grasped in their arms the children who had so narrowly escaped death. The children were badly frightened and could hardly speak.

AGE LIMIT ADOPTED.

Children Over Eight Years Not Received at Day Nursery.

The executive committee of the City Union, King's Daughters, met at the Y. M. C. A. this morning to discuss matters relative to the day nursery. During the short history of this charity it has become apparent to the nursery committee that an age limit for children received at the nursery must be fixed. This was recommended and the executive committee adopted a new rule providing that boys over seven and girls over eight years will not be received.

During the first week the nursery was opened twenty-eight children were cared for by the day and since then the number has increased steadily. Miss Olive DeLany, the city nurse, reported this morning that during January she made seventy-eight visits.

Miss Lincoln's Plans.

Miss Lincoln, who has leased her greenhouses to Mrs. Denton for a year, will spend twelve months in travel here and probably abroad. She is in good health, but desires to take a much needed rest.

JENNINGS APPOINTED 1ST ASSISTANT CHIEF

HE SUCCEEDS J. W. MURRAY, JR., RESIGNED—ANOTHER APPOINTMENT.

In accordance with the wishes of the fire board, Mayor Buckle has appointed Andrew Jennings, now second assistant chief of the fire department, to the position made vacant by the resignation of First Assistant Chief John W. Murray, Jr., the new collector of taxes. The appointment will not become effective until confirmed by the Common Council on Monday night.

Who will be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the advancement of Assistant Chief Jennings is not yet known.

Captain William Townley, of the regular force, and Call Man John Cose are still the only ones mentioned as possibilities for the place. Both have their friends at work pulling the political wires.

"PROF. CONJUNCTION" ASKS A RECOMMENDATION

APPEALS TO MAYOR SMALLEY TO HELP HIM GET OUT OUT OF JAIL.

Included in his regular batch of mail that came this morning, Mayor Newton B. Smalley, of the borough, received the following letter from "Professor" Walter Conjunction Jones, who has been incarcerated by the local police a dozen times for petty thefts:

"Dear Mayor—I wish you would send me a few lines of recommendation as I am in trouble in Newark. I am in jail here on a false charge of breach of promise preferred by a woman but I do not think it will amount to much if I had a few lines from you to show that I worked for you and was a hard working man. Hoping to hear from you at once, I remain, Professor Walter Jones, Essex county jail."

The borough's chief executive, who has known "Professor Conjunction" all his life and is fully acquainted with his feelings, immediately wrote the following letter, addressed to the warden of the Essex county bastile:

"I have received a request from 'Professor' Jones, now in your care, to say something good for him. I believe he is a great friend of chickens and from what he writes has included the women. Under the circumstances it seems to me that you can best judge as to the proper treatment. Yours, N. B. Smalley."

The professor's term of employment with the mayor was in reality a short time in the street department on the borough pay roll, but it has lingered long and fondly in his memory and he never fails to mention the fact that "Mistah Smalley" knows him when he gets in trouble. He was released by the Middlesex county authorities only a short time ago after serving several months for chicken stealing.

REV. MR. PARSONS PRESIDENT OF THE RESCUE MISSION.

Installation of the New Officers to Take Place on Monday Night.

Officers were elected and committees appointed at the annual meeting of the Grove Street Rescue Mission, last night. Prior to the business meeting an hour was spent preparing songs and other exercises for the first anniversary exercises to be held on Sunday. The newly-elected officers will be installed Monday night, at which time S. S. Swackhamer, Esq., will speak. Refreshments will be served after the programme.

These are the officers and committees:

President and treasurer, Rev. Phil A. Parsons; first vice president, George Rockefellow; second vice president, William DeMyras; third vice president, S. P. Hoffman; secretary, Mrs. Thompson; organist, Mrs. John Manley; librarian, Harry Wilson; ushers, Walter Stewart and John Apgar; orchestra leader, Mrs. Guest. Social committee—Mrs. George Rockefellow, chairman; Mrs. Sarah Mattox, Mrs. Wyckoff, Mrs. Ruckman, Mrs. Love, Mrs. Manchester, Walter Stewart and George Rockefellow; entertainment committee—Mrs. John Manley, chairman; Mrs. Keoyer, Mrs. Bush, Miss Nannie Ackerman, Miss Nellie Bittle, Mr. Guest, John Apgar; lookout committee—Mrs. David Bush and Miss Nellie Bittle.

Police Arrest Elliott.

William Elliott, who is accused by Alex. Kane with passing worthless checks, was arrested by the local police this morning and is being held for examination.

AUTOS DAMAGING ROADS

County Engineers' Association Considers Effect of Heavy Cars on the Highways.

SPEEDING IS HARMFUL

Robert A. Meeker, of This City, Elected Secretary of the Organization at Its Meeting at Trenton.

At a meeting of the New Jersey State Association of County Engineers, of which Robert A. Meeker, of this city, is the secretary, held at the State House, Trenton, yesterday, the automobile and its effect on improved roads formed the subject of a discussion that brought out many new facts in this much-mooted question. The members were unanimous in their verdict that the big machines are costing the counties many thousands of dollars and that in some districts they are causing individual losses to property owners.

President James Owen, of Essex county, was in the chair and called for remarks relative to personal observation and not from reports from some other section. In this way an honest opinion was obtained and the result will be surprising to a great many people who have thought the agitation against automobiles was due to a few disgruntled persons who had "axes to grind."

It was declared by a delegate from Monmouth that in his county, one road near the shore used almost exclusively by big cars, had cost an average of $400 a mile to keep in repair during the past season. He and others stated that the use of chain and armored tires are very injurious; they not only tear up macadam and gravel roads but raise a dust that is even worse in its effects. It injures the fruit and berries so that it is practically impossible to market them, while the foliage is gray instead of green. For this reason, property in some instances has depreciated in value from twenty to thirty per cent. It is always the land abutting the good roads that suffers and the feeling in some sections is so strong that taxpayers are urging that the improvement of the highways be stopped.

In one section of Somerset county, it was said, the great number of automobiles and the speed with which they are driven has forced the owners of horses to use back roads in going to and from church and town. Under these circumstances they have anything but a friendly feeling for the sport, especially as Somerset county byways are not conducive to traffic at certain periods of the year.

In response to direct queries put by the president, it was brought out that the damage in most instances is caused by the speeding of the big machines. They sweep the fine stone from the surface of the roads and further than this, dislodge bed stones from a half to three quarters of an inch in diameter, thus undoing the work of the engineers and causing a rough, bumpy thoroughfare. It has also been demonstrated that in sections where touring cars are used exclusively a perceptible rut is worn in the roads, no mater how well they may have been constructed.

It was the concensus of opinion that the damage caused by autos far exceeds that of all other vehicles and horses used. If the size and weight of machines continue to increase it will be necessary to build roads heavier and to largely increase the amount of money appropriated for repairs. Statistics from all over the State show that the amount now expended for the repair and maintenance of improved roads is nearly $500,000 a year and unless some restrictions are placed upon the speed of the "bubbles," the amount will have to be doubled.

In the regular order of business, the association re-elected its officers as follows: President, James Owen, Essex county; vice president, J. J. Albertson, Camden; secretary, Robert A. Meeker, Union; treasurer, Joshua Doughty, Somerset. Commissioner E. C. Hutchinson was among the attendants.

Will Observe Endeavor Day.

Christian Endeavor Day will be observed at the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow night with a special programme prepared by the United Endeavor Society of Boston. There will be special music and a feature will be an address by Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church.

A Marriage Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Voehl, of Somerset street, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Hattie Voehl, to John Henry Flammer, of Springdale, Warren township. Mr. and Mrs. Flammer will reside with her parents. Mr. Flammer has been in the employ of Mr. Voehl for some time.

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25c Fancy Sateen	15c	12½c Huck Towels	8c	18c White Nainsook, 36-inch	12½c
25c Fancy Waistings	15c	50c Bleached Table Damask, 60-inch	39c	18c White, 30-inch, India Linon	12½c
75c Colored Taffeta Silks	50c	$1.50 All Linen Napkins, dozen	95c	$1.39 Long Cloth, 36-inch, 12-yard pieces	95c
15c Percaline, 36-inch, green, blue, red, yellow	8c	9c 4-4 Unbleached Sheeting, best quality	7c	18c Embroidery and Insertion	10c
25c Sateen, 36-inch, several shades	15c	6c Domet Flannel, good quality	4½c	39c Corset Cover Embroidery	25c
19c Hand Made Linen Turnover Collars, 2 for	25c	59c Ladies' Black Hose, 3 pairs for $1.00.	39c	50c Corset Cover Embroidery	39c
50c and 75c Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs	25c	15c Ladies' Hose, white feet	10c	75c and $1.00 Men's Laundered Shirts, large sizes.	49c
18c to 30c Satin Ribbons, several colors	10c	15c Children's Heavy Ribbed Black Hose, all sizes	10c	69c Men's Sweaters	39c
10c to 18c Satin Ribbons, many colors and styles	5c	50c Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests and Pants	35c	50c Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, all sizes	39c
5c Cake Hotel Soap	3c	$1.25 and $1.50 Ladies Percale Wrappers	50c	Half Price for Men's Single and Double-breasted Blue Flannel Shirts.	
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Complaints of the number of loungers who block up all the available room in the postoffice between 5 and 7 o'clock every afternoon are being made by patrons of the office. Postmaster Brakeley has decided to take sharp action to keep the feet-warmers and gossipers out, or, at least, on the move.

The New York Journal yesterday had a long editorial on the supposed opposition of "the fighting parson" to Robert Fitzsimmons' new retreat. Mr. Fletcher wonders when his denial is going to catch up with the yellow fake started by the Globe.

The Plainfield High School students will hold a dance in Friendship Hall next month. Henry and Louis De Brigard are on the committee of arrangements.

Arthur Vail, who is now substituting as a U. S. Express messenger on the Central Railroad, expects to get a regular run shortly.

Under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. the Sagamore Musical Club will appear at the Presbyterian church tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peters have settled down to housekeeping in their new home on Dunellen avenue.

John Alberts has secured a position in an electric power house in Harrisburg, his former home.

Ziba Osmun has entirely recovered from his illness and is back on the seat of his stage.

The Common Council will meet Monday night. A tame session is expected.

Peter Ritter will take possession of the Stites house in the village this month.

Miss Mabel Cole has returned from a visit to friends in Bayonne.

Mrs. Charles Jennings has recovered from her recent illness.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a business meeting this afternoon.

The New Market Grange is arranging a sociable.

Mayor Wyckoff has recovered from his illness.

Charles Bowlby is ill.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

From present indications there will be the usual demand for houses this spring far in excess of the supply. High rents in other nearby places has led many to seek homes here, but the vacant houses are few and far between and Real Estate Dealer Thomas M. Paff could rent many $12 to $15 per month houses if they were in the market.

Lynus Walpole, who has been quite ill for a week, being threatened with pneumonia, is able to be around again. Mrs. Walpole also continues to improve and hopes are now entertained for her recovery.

Albert MacCauley has removed from the H. C. Meyers cottage on Forest avenue to his new house on Westfield avenue.

The lecture on "Tact" Saturday night at the Baptist church netted over $40 for the church treasury.

Mrs. Robert Guttridge is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Gaddis, of North Plainfield, for the week.

Mrs. George L. Dunn was the guest yesterday of friends in Plainfield.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., meet tonight in the Library rooms.

Miss Cora Miller was the guest of out of town friends yesterday.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Mr. Apgar, the owner of the property on which the old red barn recently stood, had a high board fence built on the front side of the lot to keep out intruders. The owner evidently does not consider the unsightly appearance produced by its erection.

The borough promoters decided at a meeting Tuesday night that it was not necessary to be represented at the township meeting for discussion of borough matters today, at New Market.

William Hamilton attended the meeting of the State Board of Assessors held at New Brunswick yesterday. He was interested in the discussion on equal taxation.

William Symons, of East Front street, has been elected a steward of the First M. E. church.

CAPTAIN BROWNING CANCELS DEAF MUTE GAME.

Some of the New York Basketball Team Not Registered With A. A. U.

Owing to the fact that some of the members of the Xavier Deaf Mute basketball team, of New York, are not registered with the A. A. U., Dr. W. Kempton Browning, manager of the Y. M. C. A. team, was obliged to concel the game scheduled for the local court on Saturday night. Dr. Browning hopes to bring either the Co. K, Fourth Regiment team, or St. Peter's Fraternity five here for a contest. Being members of the A. A. U., the local team is obliged to be extremely careful about the selection of games as it is likely to be barred from future events.

A game has been scheduled with Newark Y. M. C. A. on the local court for Saturday night, February 10, and the Orange Y. M. C. A. five will play here March 31. Return games have also been scheduled with Maxwell House and Atlantic Boat Club, both teams having been defeated on their first visit to Plainfield.

It has been learned that Ray Smith, the fast player on the local five, will not be obliged to give up the game. He recently sustained a slight injury to his foot which a little rest will cure. He expects to resume play very soon and will be an important factor in the results of future games.

H. S. SECONDS WIN.

Defeat the Borough Junior School Five Without Any Trouble.

With no trouble at all the High School second five defeated the North Plainfield High School second team at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon. The score was 23 to 9. High School held the lead on the borough boys all the time, and were never in danger of defeat.

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Grand Jury Foreman Honored.

At the conclusion of the labors of the Union County Grand Jury yesterday, the foreman, B. Frank Coriell, was presented with a cut glass decanter and glasses, while John K. English, clerk of the jury, received a similar gift. The presentation was made by Col. D. F. Collins.

TRAINMEN HELD FOR KILLING TWO.

Responsible, Court Says, for Slaying of Man and Wife at Track Crossing.

Burt Stackhouse, locomotive engineer, of Hoboken, and Alexander Burke, a gateman of Hackettstown, employes of the Lackawanna Railroad, were arrested Monday night and taken to Belvidere on a charge of criminal negligence in having caused the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams, who were killed last January 20 in a railroad crossing accident at Hackettstown. They were arraigned yesterday before Judge Shipman and were held in $1,000 each for the Grand Jury. Bail was furnished.

Mr. Williams and his wife had been visiting in Allamuchy and were on their way home when the accident happened. After a long coal train had passed, the gateman, it is alleged, raised the gates, not being aware that a special train known as the "Comet," with railroad officials on board, was approaching.

Mr. Williams whipped his horses and started across the tracks when the carriage was struck by the locomotive of the special. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were thrown out and ground to pieces under the wheels of the locomotive. Mrs. Williams was about to become a mother. Mr. Williams had charge of the country place of Alfred Sully at Hackettstown.

PENNSY DENIES THAT FAMOUS CURVE IS TO GO.

Declares Story About the Horse Shoe Scenic Spot Is a Fake.

Officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad do not often go to the trouble of denying fake stories that some newspapers print, but when they do deny a story it's because there is really a good reason for so doing.

A great big one that has been going the rounds with a $15,000,000 trail behind it, says that the large amount mentioned will be spent boring a nine-mile tunnel through the Allegheny Mountains to eliminate the famous "Horseshoe Curve." Another has it that a fifteen-mile four-track tunnel will be bored, and still another that a line 105 miles long will be built over the mountains and that four sets of plans have been prepared to accomplish one or the other of the schemes.

The company, apparently becoming weary of the stories, has caused a denial to be sent out from Altoona, Pa., that anything of the kind will happen. The public that rides on the Pennsy and enjoys the wild scenery of the Alleghanies may now rest in peace, for the famous Horseshoe Curve is not going to be taken away from them.

SUIT 25 YEARS OLD.

Motion Made to Have It Dismissed for Non-Prosecution.

Vice-Chancellor Stevens granted yesterday at Newark an order to show cause why a suit which was begun in the Court of Chancery twenty-five years ago and which is still existent should not be dismissed for lack of prosecution.

The court's order directs John J. Allen, of New York, assignee in bankruptcy of the late Richard S. Leggett, to show cause next February 13 why a suit started by him against Clara L. Leggett, widow of Mr. Leggett, should not be taken from the calendar.

It was just twenty-five years ago, according to the application of Mrs. Leggett's counsel, W. S. B. Parker, that an action was begun to set aside an alleged illegal transfer by Mr. Leggett to his wife of a plot of land at Seabright. This transfer was made a year prior to Leggett's bankruptcy.

There were desultory hearings in the case, Mr. Parker asserted, until 1886, when the last one was held. The fact that by reason of the litigation the property cannot be disposed of is the basis of the present application.

DOG STOLE BREAD AND MILK.

South Orange Vidocqs Run to Earth and Shoot Villainous Cur.

South Orange, Feb. 1.—The South Orange police yesterday landed a bread and milk thief who has taxed the resources of the local Vidocqs for a long time. The story, which grows out of the capture, taxes the resources of the most credulous reader of contemporary New Jersey literature. A mongrel dog, possessed of unusual cleverness, is the culprit. Yesterday at noon the poor brute expiated its crime with its life. The animal was hot. The dog had been getting a living by stealing bread, rolls and milk from the doorsteps of houses in Prospect street and Summit avenue.

The animal was caught "red-handed," rolling bottle from a doorstep. When the dog got the bottle a short distance away it clawed at the patent pasteboard cap until it broke and spilled the milk out on the ground. Then the dog lapped up the fluid. The animal then visited another house and carried off a bag of rolls, later returning for a loaf of bread from another porch.

Miss Cochran, of Hillside avenue, has been entertaining company from New York.

Mrs. J. R. Truell, of Central avenue, in company with a party of friends, is planning to take a pleasure trip to Cuba.

Scene in "Mrs. Leffingham's Boots," at the New Plainfield Theatre Tomorrow Night.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Each member of the cast of Augustus Thomas' new comedy, "Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots," that is billed for presentation at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow evening, is credited with carrying his or her part with a faithful attention to detail and a perfected appreciation of the meaning of their respective lines, down to the smallest shade. It is enough that there are degrees of excellence in the work of the different members of this cast, but each one to the limit of ability works to a harmonious whole, and this is much in any play, more so, perhaps, in a play that is almost pure farce, as is this of "Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots," in which the fun is said to be of the delicate nature that springs from it.

Last season's melodramatic success, "A Wife's Secret," which will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night, comes again with a long list of hearty endorsements from other cities, and is pronounced one of the most powerful emotional dramas put forth in several years. It tells a beautiful story, full of tender sentiment and sympathetic heart interest, with a liberal sprinkling of comedy, striking realism and familiar human nature, and is portrayed by a cast that includes many names of high standing in the theatrical world. The production is under the direction of Spencer and Aborn, and is said to be elaborate from a scenic and mechanical standpoint.

William Collier, who recently returned from a successful London engagement, will appear in the Augustus Thomas comedy, "On the Quiet," at the New Plainfield theatre Saturnight, February 10. Mr. Collier is said to be the same breezy and delightful comedian that he always has been. His characterization of "Robert Ridgway," the always calm and ready witted young man, is as clever in his repartee as rich in his strategic resources and as cheerful and alert in his imperturbability as any hero that ever plunged through laughter to love's reward. Mr. Collier comes directly to the New Plainfield from the Criterion theatre, New York, bringing with him the same company that he had in London. Maude Fealey is his leading lady.

Richard Carle in "The Mayor of Tokio," is the rather cheerful announcement for Tuesday, February 13 at the New Plainfield theatre, on which occasion the Richard Carle Amusement Co. proposes to present this exceedingly clever author-actor in his latest farcical opera triumph, with all the original company of 90 people, three carloads of beautiful scenery, and the countless costume and electric novelty effects that have been the rage of every large city in the Union, especially New York and Chicago, where its record breaking runs are still the talk of the theatrical profession in general. The two principal factors of the piece are its quaint wit or exceedingly up-to-date order of fun and its extremely popular musical publishing standpoint is considered the most popular and best selling of the season's offering. "The Blue Ribbon Chorus of America," with its dashing "Peanut Ballet" and dainty "Geisha Girls" are unquestionably the most talked of bevy of theatrical beauties of the day and still a most fascinating and important factor of the show's great success.

Scene in "A Wife's Secret," at New Plainfield Theatre Next Monday Night.

Old Cut in Toe Proves Fatal.

Elias F. Walters, a resident of Springfield, died Monday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John H. Willett, in Morris avenue, Springfield. He had been sick for more than two months. His illness originated about seven years ago when he cut a corn on one of his toes. The knife slipped and made a cut which subsequently became inflamed. Gangrene set in, and Mr. Walters was sick a long time. Finally the injury healed. Recently, however, renewed trouble set in. Mr. Walters was born in Whitehall. He was in the shoe business. He was nearly sixty years old.

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VICTIM, HE SAYS, OF HARD FAGIN.

Admitted Robber of Singer Company Declares He Was Hounded to Steal.

Samuel Neuwirth, a Newark saloonkeeper, was placed on trial yesterday before Judge Ten Eyck, in the Court of Special Sessions, there, charged with larceny and receiving. It is alleged the accused disposed of many thousands of dollars' worth of sewing machine parts, stolen from the Singer Sewing Machine Company's shops at Elizabethport.

The principal witness against Neuwirth was Frederick U. Merker, who confessed that he stole the machine parts and gave them to Neuwirth to dispose of. Merker was a trusted employe of the Singer Company, for which he had worked more than twenty years.

Merker swore that when he first yielded to the temptation to steal he smuggled valuable parts of machines from the stock room and carried them to Newark. He went to Neuwirth, he said, who agreed to dispose of the stolen stuff. Neuwirth did as he agreed, Merker swore, and gave the witness $10 as his share of the proceeds. That transaction, Merker swore, took place July 3, 1901. From that time on, the witness declared, he was in Neuwirth's power and was forced by the saloonkeeper to continue his stealings until the amount of the thefts ran up into the thousands.

"I told him," the witness said, "that I didn't like the business. I couldn't eat nor sleep, and I said I was sure that some day it would all be found out. He showed me a list of goods he wanted me to get. I told him of my resolution to quit this thing. Then he asked me in a way I could not misunderstand how I would like to have a letter sent to the Singer Company informing it I was a thief.

"Under that threat I weakened and we made an agreement. I was to furnish all the stock he wanted and payment was to be made to me on the basis of 15 cents on the dollar."

Merker was under cross-examination when the case was adjourned for the day.

TO BETTER "PEN" IN NEW JERSEY.

St. Andrew Brotherhood Would Let Prisoners Read.

Following a meeting held in Grace church, Orange, Monday night, plans were announced yesterday looking toward important reforms in the penitentiaries of the State. The work will be undertaken by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, attached to the Newark Episcopal Diocese, and will be in charge of Walter Kidde, of Montclair; the Rev. Frederick B. Carter, rector of St. Luke's church, Montclair, and W. H. Jackson, of East Orange. The scheme will, if carried out, in a measure make a reformatory out of every penitentiary. The scheme is an arrangement whereby the prisoners can devote their leisure hours to the pursuit of knowledge that will fit them for useful lives when they have expiated their offences.

Mr. Kidde today explained that the plan was to give the prisoners an opportunity to read after sundown. Under the prevailing rules, when the day's work is done the lights are turned out and the prisoners are left to their own devices and thoughts, which generally are not of an inspiring kind. This arrangement, Mr. Kidde declares, is mediaeval. The men get no opportunity to improve their minds or escape from the contemplation of things which would mean future trouble for them. The general scheme is to establish libraries of good books and to start regular courses in arithmetic, grammar and business principles. The plans have been laid before ex-Judge Alfred M. Skinner and Freeholder De Camp, both of whom have expressed their approval. The Brotherhood has furnished books and papers in the past, but Mr. Kidde says that the freeholders must now make an appropriation. He says he believes this appropriation will be made.

Paterson, Feb. 1.—Joseph R. Gra-

Paterson, Jan. 31.—Joseph R. Graham, ex-Mayor of Paterson, died suddenly yesterday from a complication of diseases. Mr. Graham was sixty-four years old. He was the first Democrat elected Mayor of Paterson, having been elected in 1872, when the city was overwhelmingly Republican. At that time he was the leader and organizer of a movement to form the carpenters into a labor union. Subsequently he engaged in the sash and blind business, in which he accumulated a fortune. He served the city of Paterson and the county of Passaic in several honorary offices. His father, a railroad engineer, ran the first train over the Erie Railroad to New York.

Stokes Accepts Invitation.

Trenton, Feb. 1.—In response to an invitation extended by Senator Cornish and Assemblyman Firth, of Warren county, Governor Stokes and his staff will visit Phillipsburg on May 10 to take part in the unveiling of a soldiers and sailors' monument erected by popular subscription of the patriotic citizens of Warren county. Assemblyman Firth, who is mayor of Phillipsburg, assured the Governor that the event would be one of the most interesting in the long line of monument unveilings in this State.

PROSECUTES MAN WHO INSULTED HER.

Mrs. Hastings, School Board President, Dislikes Task, but Duty Compels.

"He is the vilest man I ever saw, and I am appearing against him to protect the women and children of this district."

With eyes flashing and a deep flush on her cheeks, Mrs. Ella Hastings, of No. 119 East Eighty-sixth street, New York, president of the local school board of District No. 12, in that city, thus characterized Edward Craige in the Harlem Court yesterday when he was arraigned on the charge of having insulted her on the street. Craige, who is twenty-nine years old and lives at No. 301 East Ninety-fourth street, had been held in $300 by Magistrate Whitman for the hearing yesterday.

"It was at 10 o'clock in the morning," said Mrs. Hastings to a reporter, while she was waiting for the case to be called, "and this man was standing at the corner of Ninety-eighth street and Third avenue. When I passed his conduct caused me to hurry at once to a policeman and have him arrested. It was my duty, for his behavior was disgraceful and should not be seen by anybody. I don't know whether he was drunk, but I hope he was, for I do not want to believe that a man could act that way unless he was drunk or insane.

"I do not like to appear in court, but I think that if every woman would make it a point to prosecute such persons our streets would soon be cleared of them."

THIEVES GET NOTHING; THEN WRECK A TRAIN.

Fail to Get Into Hamburg Woman's House and Later Throw Freight Off Track.

Hamburg, Feb. 1.—An attempted burglary and train wrecking took place here Tuesday night which resulted in an unsuccessful raid on the house of Mrs. E. H. Tucker and the ditching of a freight train on the Lehigh Valley and Hudson River Railroad. The Tucker house was visited about midnight, when the thieves broke a lock on the door, but in their efforts roused the family and they were frightened away.

About an hour later an eastbound freight train running by the Limestone switch, a half-mile east of here, was ditched, the engine and two cars being derailed and the locomotive badly wrecked. The engineer and fireman saw the open switch in time to jump. No one was hurt. An iron bar, which was apparently used to throw open the switch, was found lying by the track.

There is no trace of the train wreckers to be found, but the Newton authorities were notified early yesterday and are working on the case. It is thought that the gang concerned in the work Tuesday night is the one which has operated in Andover and Sussex Borough recently, when their attention was directed mainly toward postoffices.

STANDARD'S RETORT.

To Cut Down Purchases of Oil Till Agitation Ceases.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 1.—At a meeting of oil producers here Tuesday it was decided to curtain production until the Standard Oil Company resumes purchasing at the usual rate.

J. E. O'Neill, manager for the Standard in the Kansas field, was present by invitation, and was asked what the policy of his company was to be.

He said that in view of the prosecution of the company by Attorney-General Hadley, of Missouri, and the general agitation against it throughout the country, the company had stopped work on its second pipe line to Whiting, Ind., and had cut down the volume of purchases. When the agitation against the company ceased, he said, the company would go ahead with development and would resume purchases.

The producers look upon this as a club held over their heads to induce them to help check the anti-Standard agitation, but as they are at the mercy of the trust, they refrained from saying so and merely voted to curtail production, which was necessary, as all the tanks in the West are filled with the 14,000,000 barrels now in storage and the trust is buying less than half of the present production.

NOT A HARVARD SLUR.

Prof. Palmer Repudiates Recent Attack on Yale.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 1.—Prof. George Palmer, of Harvard, yesterday formally repudiated, as a Harvard man, the article which appeared recently in the Harvard Graduates' Magazine attacking Yale as a university. He said:

"That article was more offensive and obnoxious to Harvard men than to Yale men, for the relations between us have been admirable, and no such opinions were held by true Harvard men. Because Yale and Harvard are the two greatest universities of the East the feeling is prevalent among the fellows and faculties that they are the nearest of kin, and it is freedom of criticism resulting from such intimate relation that has caused the petty quarrels and disputes about minor matters."

YERKES' WIDOW WEDS.

She is Fifty and Her Second Husband But Twenty-Nine.

New York, Feb. 1.—The announcement was made today that Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes, widow of the street railway magnate, who died only a month ago, leaving her the income from $7,500,000, was secretly wedded at her Fifth avenue mansion last night to Wilson Mizner, of San Francisco.

Mrs. Yerkes is fifty years old, but well preserved, and looks many years younger. Wilson Mizner is twenty-nine years old, tall and athletic looking, and not rich.

The announcement of this strange wedding comes from friends of Mr. Mizner, who say they acted as witnesses at the ceremony. Mr. Mizner refused to confirm or deny the statement, although it was made in his presence, but his manner gave the strong impression that the announcement was correct.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 1, 1906.

The Trenton True American devotes half a column in an effort to show that high license is a failure, and this is the kind of argument it uses: "Theoretically, the man who pays $1,000 a year for his license will more rigidly observe the law than he who pays $350, the fee in Trenton at this time. In reality the same influences which saloonkeepers depend upon to get them out of trouble under low license are also depended upon under high license." Its argument, therefore, is that the size of the license fee has nothing to do with the case. Consequently, no matter how much the saloonkeeper has paid to run his establishment in accordance with the law, "political pull" can be depended upon to get him out of trouble. This may be so in Trenton, but happily all New Jersey is not judged by that city. Plainfield's license rate is $1,000 and it is going to stay at that figure. Why? Because there are men eager to pay that amount into the city treasury for the privilege of selling liquor between 6 o'clock in the morning until 11 o'clock at night. And they obey the law. Why? Because they know if they violate it, their privilege will be taken away and it would be impossible to get another. There are just twelve licensed places, wholesale and retail combined, in this city of 17,500 people and the holders appreciate the fact that they are paying a big price for their permits but not too big in comparison with the profits they make. If the True American wants to find a community where the high license idea is a success, just let it turn to Plainfield.

TRAMP MADE FREE OF ORANGE HOME.

Slept on Bed, but Thought Not to Have Stolen Anything.

It was discovered yesterday that during the absence of Mrs. Valentine Hill, of Fairview avenue, South Orange, who is in New York for the winter, her home has been occupied by a stranger, but for how long is not known. An open rear window gave the clue, and as it was thought burglars had thus effected an entrance an investigation was conducted.

The rooms were found to be upset, as though some one had made use of them, but evidently with no intention of robbery, because bronzes, silverware and other things of value were left undisturbed in their places. The beds and sofa had been used, and the range in the kitchen had been used for cooking purposes.

The deduction was that the house had been used by a tramp. Mrs. Hill and her son Frank J. Hill, of Brooklyn, have been notified to come to see if anything is missing.

13 COAL CARS DERAILED.

Another Train Crashed Into Them; Wreck Delayed Travel.

Thirteen coal cars were derailed yesterday morning near the Lawrence station on the Pennsylvania Railroad and traffic on the westbound tracks was delayed several hours. Trains on the eastbound tracks came through on time and continued on to Jersey City.

The running gear of one of the cars got out of order while the train was traveling west on track No. 4, and before the train could be stopped the other cars were derailed. An empty coal train which came on track No. 2, parallel with No. 4, ploughed into the derailed cars and smashed several of them, besides damaging the engine of the second train.

The engineer of the second train was slightly cut by broken glass, but was able to go to his home. A brakeman on the first train was also injured, but not seriously.

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MISS REINHART A BRIDE

(Continued From Page 1.)

Bishop, served with him in Porto Rico.

In the exchange of gifts among the members of the bridal party the bride gave the matron of honor and maid of honor necklaces of topaz and pearls, pearl pins to the flower girls and gold cuff buttons to the page. The groom, in addition to the horseshoe of diamonds presented to the bride, gave the ushers and best man golf cuff buttons bearing the initials of the bride and himself.

Late last evening Mr. and Mrs. Corbin left for Florida, where they will spend their honeymoon. Upon their return they will reside in Cincinnati, where the groom holds an excellent position with the General Electric Company. The bride is well known here in society circles and has been a prominent figure in a number of social events, especially those of the Oshkosh Club, where she won high praise for her natural talent.

Mr. Corbin, although his home is in Cincinnati, is a native of Virginia, where he resided for some time. He owns a very valuable farm at Farleyvale, in King George county, twelve miles from Fredericksburg, Va. He has been very successful in the electric business and occupies a place of prominence socially both in Cincinnati and Virginia.

HOT FIGHT PROMISED AGAINST AUTO BILL.

Motor Clubs All Lined Up, Claiming Measure Will Drive Tourists from State and Cause Loss.

Every indication points to the fact that next Tuesday will see one of the liveliest times of the present session of the Legislature. The event will be the public hearing on Senator Frelinghuysen's automobile bill. The hearing will take place before the judiciary committee of the Senate Tuesday, immediately at the close of the morning session of the Upper House, and not Wednesday, as has been announced. The judiciary committee is composed of Senators Hillery, Wakeley and Minturn.

Autoists in every section of the State are up in arms against the measure and will go to Trenton Tuesday in large numbers to protest against its passage. Every effort is being made to secure a determined demonstration.

The fight against the bill is being led by the Associated Automobile Clubs of New Jersey, of which Professor John E. Gill, of Trenton, is secretary. The automobilists are stirred up as never before. As showing the extent to which the fight against the bill will be carried, Secretary Gill states that 6,000 letters have been mailed to autoists all over the State, and Mr. Gill believes that nearly 5,000 car owners will go to Trenton to oppose the passage of the measure.

Professor Gill says: "We are opposed to the bill on general principles. It is entirely too sweeping in its provisions. Its effect would be to drive thousands of autoists from the State, thus causing a great money loss. The present law, with possibly a few amendments, would be all that is required to remedy every existing evil, if the State would only see that it is strictly enforced against reckless and thoughtless drivers who violate its provisions."

The farmers are in favor of the bill, and they are expected to go to Trenton in droves next Tuesday and fight as strenuously for the bill as their opponents will against it.

THAT JUDGESHIP PLUM.

Much Gossip Follows that Booraem Will Succeed Strong.

New Brunswick, Feb. 1.—The official announcement that Theodore B. Booraem, of New Brunswick, is to succeed Woodbridge Strong as judge of Middlesex county, at the expiration of Judge Strong's term, in April, is a subject of much gossip here. The name of Mr. Booraem was agreed upon at a conference of the Middlesex county Senatorial and Assembly delegation, and Leader Strong also approves of the selection.

Mr. Booraem is a graduate of Rutgers College, in the class of 1881. He already holds two officials positions, city attorney of New Brunswick and assistant United States district attorney. He will resign both positions upon his accession to the bench. He is a comparatively new figure in New Brunswick politics, his first try for office being in 1902, when he was the unsuccessful candidate for surrogate on the Republican ticket.

District Court Judge Adrian Lyon, of Perth Amboy, was a candidate for the judgeship, and had a strong advocate in the person of Assemblyman Crowther, of his city. Edward W. Hicks, of New Brunswick, was also a candidate, but Senator Jackson and Assemblymen Drake and Haines supported Mr. Booraem.

Judge to Be a Farmer.

When Judge Woodbridge Strong, of the Court of Common Pleas, of Middlesex county, at the expiration of his term in April, doffs the ermine, abandons Blackstone, and steps down from the bench to give place to his successor, he will take up the hoe and the pruning knife and devote the major portion of his time to horticulture, agriculture and the development of his 130-acre farm at Dayton. This veteran jurist, who next month will celebrate his seventy-ninth birthday, has been a member of the New Jersey bar for half a century.

Attractive CARPET PRICES.

The store grows daily in importance and attractiveness. The constant coming and going of new goods makes a panorama of never ceasing interest, and visitors always find something new to excite their admiration. The improvements now in progress will give us an additional floor space of 8,000 square feet, and will contribute still more to the convenience and comfort of our numerous patrons. In order to reduce Carpet Stock before moving same special prices will prevail for the next 30 days. Stock is too large and too varied to enumerate prices, but a visit will convince you that we mean business.

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At **79c per yard**—Excellent patterns in Tapestry Brussels of good quality and choice colorings. Some very good Hall and Stair patterns in the line.

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18x36 Moravian Brussels Rugs	59c
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9x12 Moravian Smyrna Rugs	9.98
9x12 Kashmir Rugs	9.98
9x12 Axminster Rugs	18.98

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Your purchases will be held for future delivery if you so desire.

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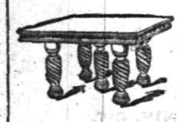

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1.78	now 1.50	2.00 Oak Rockers	1.50
2.50	now 1.98	1.78 Oak Rockers	1.29
2.98	now 2.25	3.98 Reed Rockers	1.98
		10.00 Morris Chairs	7.50

The Sale of Couches.

4.25—Regular 6.50 Couches.
9.25—Regular 12.50 Couches.
6.98—Regular 9.00 Couches.
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13.98—Regular 18.50

These prices include Bed, Spring and Mattress complete.

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ANOTHER FOWLER BILL.

Seeks to Issue $5, Instead of $20, Gold Certificates.

Washington, Feb. 1.—An important conference was held at the Treasury yesterday morning, and was shared in by Secretary Shaw, Chairman Fowler, of the House Banking and Currency Committee; Treasurer Treat, Assistant Secretary Keep and Milton E. Ailes. At this conference the question how to supply the very urgent demand for notes of small denomination was fully discussed.

The Treasury has been hard pressed of late to supply the needs of the country for paper currency for denominations of one, two and five dollar notes. It has been proposed to take the silver certificates now issued in denominations of five dollars and to break them up into twos and ones. This would still further diminish the supply of notes of the five-dollar denomination, and would make the situation even more difficult than it now is. The problem is what to put in place of the present five-dollar silver certificate.

It is now urged that the most advisable plan will be to issue gold certificates of the five-dollar denomination, and to this end Chairman Fowler has introduced a bill in Congress. This bill simply amends Section 6 of the currency act of March 14, 1900, by changing the word "twenty" to "five." The plan has the indorsement of practically all who were in attendance at yesterday morning's conference, and it is not believed that there will be substantial opposition in Congress.

To Aid Summit Policeman's Family.

Summit, Feb. 1.—A movement has been started by several of Summit's wealthiest residents to raise a fund by popular subscription for the family of the late Jeremiah J. Britt, who served for sixteen years on Summit's police force. Britt died suddenly, ten days ago, after an operation for stomach trouble. He leaves a widow and three children. The circular soliciting subscriptions is sent out by Augustus F. Libby, a wealthy New York business man residing here, and the reason given for the movement is that it is to be a memento from the people of the city for the policeman's "fearless, intelligent and capable discharge of his duties for sixteen years." Frank A. Dillingham has agreed to act as custodian and dispenser of the fund and the plan has the entire approval of Mayor Wilcox.

—Philip Drake, of West Third street, who has been in the hospital during the past five weeks for treatment of abscess on the spine, has been discharged.

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Miss Marion Hines, of West Fourth street, is confined to the house by illness.

Miss Carrie Ulrich, of New York, visited friends in the borough yesterday.

F. E. H. Curtis, of West Eighth street, has returned from an extended stay in New York. He has purchased a Mercedes touring car.

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REUNION OF FIRE CHIEFS

Elizabeth Wants to Get Together Heads of Its Old Volunteer Service.

NUMBER IS TWENTY

Rolla Engine Company Has Four; Hibernia Engine Company, 4; and Jefferson Engine Company, 3.

Elizabeth, Feb. 1.—A movement has been started in this city to have a reunion of all the fire chiefs and assistant chiefs of the old volunteer fire department of Elizabeth, which has a noteworthy history. This city can boast of having no less than twenty former volunteer fire chiefs living, this record dating back to 1860. This does not take into consideration the assistant chiefs, of which there are quite a number. The list of chiefs who are alive exceeds that who have passed away in about the ratio of two to one.

Rolla Engine Company No. 2 heads the roll of veteran chiefs with Colonel Chauncey Harris, a Union soldier, who, for twenty years, was postmaster of Elizabeth; William Styler, Nathaniel H. Astfalk and John Reitmeyer. Hibernia Engine No. 5 comes next with four chiefs, Edward Cahill, Edward Leonard, William J. Mahoney and Cornelius J. Reagan. Then comes Jefferson Engine No. 6 with three chiefs, Joseph Brown, Thomas F. McCabe and John J. Cummings. Protective Engine No. 1 also has three live chiefs, Edward J. McGrath, John Rabig and George Rabig.

Washington Engine Company No. 3 has only one volunteer chief, August Gerstung, who is also the first and present chief of the paid department, with former Chief Mahoney, of Hibernia, as his assistant. Jackson Hook and Ladder has two former chiefs living, Oliver Conlon and William Cox, the latter now president of Elizabeth's Board of Fire Commissioners. Lafayette Hook and Ladder has one live chief, Charles Kurtz, who since then has been president of Elizabeth's Board of Education, while Continental Hose has also one surviving chief, the present street commissioner and former sheriff, Nathaniel K. Thompson.

Osceola Hose has likewise one chief living, John H. Cotay. The only Elizabeth fire company that has no representation in the list of veteran fire chiefs is Red Jacket Engine, which, by the way, never had but one chief in its history, the late John Bembridge. Colonel Harris, seventy-six years old, is the oldest living volunteer chief, and "Bill" Styler, sixty-eight years old, ranks next. All of these still reside in Elizabeth, with the exception of Chief Cahill, who lives in Brooklyn, and Chief Reitemeyer, who dwells in Rahway.

The most disastrous fire in Elizabeth's history occurred during Chief George Rabig's term of office, when the Elizabethport Cordage Works and Congressman Clark's Arcade, in which was located the Elizabethport postoffice, were destroyed, and the big Singer Sewing Machine Works partially burned. Peter's big tenement in Peterstown, a suburb, was also consumed during this chief's reign, and the total fire losses were nearly three and one-quarter millions of dollars.

John J. Cummings, of Jefferson Engine, was Elizabeth's last volunteer fire chief. Of the chiefs who filled the position since 1860 the following are dead: John Benjamin, Charles Forsyth, John Bembridge, Bernard Duignan, John Pick, George Devlan, Andrew O'Neill, Isaac Van Hart, Michael Mulligan, Francis O Brien, Charles Bullinger. Chief Joseph L. D. Lyon, a famous Elizabeth and New York volunteer fire fighter, died a few years ago, but he was a chief of the Elizabeth department before 1860.

D. B. Hill Goes South.

David Bennett Hill has started for the South, his physician having advised a long rest following the former Governor's recent attack of illness. He will proceed to Camden, S. C., to remain, Senator Hill said today, until April.

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SMITH PICNIC GROUND NOW A PRIVATE ESTATE.

Homestead's Title Passes to Col. George B. Post—No More Reunions.

The old Smith homestead and famous picnic grounds, embracing about ninety acres and situated near Bernardsville, were sold last week by Isaiah Smith, Oscar Smith and John D. Smith, heirs of the late Peter Z. Smith, to Colonel George B. Post, of Mine Mount. This tract adjoins the country estates of C. Ledyard Blair and Percy R. Pyne, and for beauty of natural scenery is regarded as one of the most attractive bodies of land in this section. It is understood that the purchase price was $40,000.

The conveyance of this property to new hands puts a quietus on the renowned Smith family reunions that have made the picnic grounds famous in the history of the State. More than a quarter of a century ago Peter Z. Smith, from whom these lands have descended through three generations, held the first family meeting of the Smiths in the apple grove that marks the site of the primitive Smith log cabin, built about the year 1800. The initial reunion occurred in 1876, and those that followed extended themselves into ever increasing proportions as each succeeding annual celebration marked the marvelous fertility of the Smith strain, whose progeny became responsible for the mammoth gatherings that have made these grounds and reunions subjects of wide comment.

The attendance on the occasions of these vast assemblages has been variously estimated at from 4,000 to 6,000 persons, coming from every section of the State and far distant places. For a period of perhaps twenty years the reunions were confined strictly to the Smiths and favorite friends, but within the past decade they have broadened into great festive celebrations and gala day outings offered for the enjoyment of the community at large.

A remarkable feature in connection with these reunions is the fact that during the twenty-nine years, each gathering, with the exception of two, has been favored with ideal weather.

FIGHT IN CHURCH OVER COLLECTION.

Constable Guarding Box Is Thrown Downstairs and Into the Street.

Constable Michael Carroll, who was hired by Rev. Father Weirziskie, pastor of St. Stephen's Polish Catholic church, in Paterson, to guard the collection box, told yesterday in Justice MacDonald's court the story of an exciting encounter in the church last Sunday with athletic members of the congregation who regarded him as a "butter-in." The constable's eyes were discolored, his face badly scratched, and he exhibited a broken helmet and a ruined uniform.

It was the first time the constable had been able to leave his home since the encounter, and he called to make complaints of assault and battery against Stephen Lupenski, John Sydlinski, Frank Yusouskitz, Stephen Lentsky and Stanislaus Kreminsky. All were arrested and gave bail for their appearance in the Sessions Court.

The fight was the outcome of an order from the pastor rescinding the appointment of Lupenski as collector for the church. Lupenski had been appointed by the trustees, but the pastor objected to him because he is a saloonkeeper. The trustees rebelled, declaring that Lupenski or nobody would serve. The pastor deemed it prudent to engage a policeman to take the job, and Carroll was willing. He stood guard over the collection box at the main entrance last Sunday as the congregation passed in.

He was in uniform and carried a "billy." Before the services began Lupenski and several of his friends approached the constable and questioned his right to come into their church and take charge of the collection box. The trouble began at once. Half a dozen men seized the constable, and when the struggle was ended Carroll was in the street badly damaged. The church is on the second floor.

N. J. AND N. Y. BILLS TO SPAN HUDSON RIVER.

Senator Minturn Had Not Seen Any One from New York Before Offering His Measure.

Hoboken, Feb. 1.—Senator Minturn was asked yesterday if the resolution he introduced in the New Jersey Legislature relative to the construction of a bridge between New York and Jersey City had anything to do with the bridge bill introduced in Albany yesterday extending ten years the time for the construction of the New York and New Jersey bridge.

The Senator replied that he had not seen any one from New York in reference to his bridge resolution befor he introduced it.

The New York bill is a reminder of the West street, New York City, elevated railroad grab of a few sessions ago. That grab contemplated the erection of a terminal along the North River in the shape of an elevated railroad structure extending from Fifty-ninth street to the Battery. The charter of the company was granted by the Legislature in 1890, and it has had a precarious career in the Legislature, endeavoring to keep its charter alive and to secure additional corporate facilities in order to make the charter salable.

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THEATRICAL NOTES.

"The School Girl," the musical piece in which Miss Edna May starred all last season and in which she made one of her greatest hits, is to be an offering at the New Plainfield this month.

The automobile is playing an increasingly important part in theatrical productions. There is a $5,000 machine brought on the stage in "Man and Superman," and it is the subject of some of the dialogue. An automobile race is the sensation of the new musical comedy, "The Vanderbilt Cup," in which Miss Elsie Janis is starring. "The Lightning Conductor," the new vehicle of Effie Shannon and Herbert Kelcey, which was in Plainfield a short time ago, has an automobile scene, and the latest Lincoln J. Carter melodrama, "Bedford's Hope," has an exciting race between an automobile and a locomotive.

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Big Melodramatic Success,

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Prices—Matinee 25c, 35c
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Monday, Feb. 5.

A Wife's Secret.

Prices—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

Seats now on sale for the
ELKS' BIG JUBILEE MINSTRELS.

"UP AGAINST IT," KILLED HIMSELF.

Brother of Molineux Witness Takes Poison in a Chemical Factory.

Charles H. Yokum, forty years old, of No. 541 Bergen street, Brooklyn, killed himself early yesterday with cyanide of patassium, in the office of the J. H. Ladew Company, manufacturers of chemicals, at No. 325 Academy street, Newark. His body was discovered a few moments after death, stretched upon the office floor, by Charles Eachus, a chemist of the company and friend of Yokum, who was working on experiments through the night.

On a desk near the body were two notes Yokum evidently had written immediately before taking the poison. One contained the mere announcement that he had taken cyanide of potassium. The other was addressed to Eachus and was as follows:

"Dear Charles—I am up against it. Telephone Jack as soon as you come in. It's all up with me. I have taken cyanide of potassium, and that will be about all. CHARLES."

Yokum called at the office of the Ladew Company to see his brother, John H. Yokum, of No. 16 Hawthorne avenue, East Orange, who is connected with the concern. John Yokum was an important witness at the trial of Roland B. Molineux a few years ago, testifying as an expert chemist concerning the making of cyanide of mercury. He was not at the factory when Charles called, and the latter spent some time conversing with Eachus. According to the latter, Yokum appeared to be troubled and despondent, but gave no intimation that he contemplated killing himself. The body was taken to Holle's morgue and later to John Yokum's house.

Yokum left a widow, having been married only one year. He was formerly noted as a football player and athlete, being one of the star members of the Orange Athletic Club team. His friends do not know what caused his despondency.

ELEVATOR KILLS GIRL.

Leaned Back in Chair and Was Struck by Car.

Passaic, Feb. 1.—Miss Loretta Marshall, of 109 Lodi street, Wallington, died late Tuesday night as the result of injuries she received from the lowering of an elevator in a stove polish manufacturing company's plant at that place Tuesday afternoon. Miss Marshall was sitting at her work with her back to an unprotected opening in the elevator shaft, when she suddenly leaned back in her chair as the elevator was being lowered, and was struck on the head with such force as to hurl her from her seat to the floor unconscious.

Her shrieks attracted the elevator man, who was successful in stopping the car in time to prevent the body from falling into the pit. Assistance came to the girl as soon as possible, and the attending doctor, realizing the seriousness of the case, ordered her removal to the General Hospital at Passaic, where she died.

The officials of the institution notified Coroner Cornelius Collins, of Rutherford, who viewed the body and the scene of the accident early yesterday morning, and decided to hold an inquest later this afternoon.

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New York singers to appear each night.
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On and after February 10. The Vardon Dancing Academy will be known as the

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SATURDAY NIGHT.

THE LADIES' CHRISTIAN WORK SOCIETY
of Trinity Reformed Church, will hold a

Turkey Supper

Thursday and Friday Evenings,
February 1 and 2,
in the Lecture Room of the Church.
Supper served from 6 to 9.
Tickets, including supper, 35 cents. 1 27 6

MADAME E. COTTRELLY.
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Announces that during January and until Feb. 15 orders will be accepted at decided reductions from usual prices. All work executed under direction of a skilful French ladies' tailor. Special care and attention given in remodelling and repairing fine furs, making of scarfs and muffs.

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MARRIED.

CORBIN—REINHART—On Wednesday, January 31, 1906, at Grace Church, Plainfield, New Jersey, Mary Anderson Reinhart, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Reinhart, of Plainfield, to Matthew Maury Corbin, of Virginia.

DIED.

CORIELL—At New Market, N. J., January 31, 1906, Abner S. Coriell, aged 85 years, 2 months, 20 days.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral service at his late residence, on Saturday, Feb. 3, at 2 p. m. 2 1 2

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework; family of three adults; references. 152 Westervelt avenue. 1 30 3

WANTED—A girl to do second work. 813 Park Ave. 1 30 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 748 Carlton Ave. 1 30 3

WANTED—A man with some money to call on saloon, barber and cigar trade, with established proposition; you handle all money. G. Darche, 306 Central avenue, Jersey City, N. J. 1 29 2 m th

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. Apply at 96 Westervelt avenue, before 1 or after 6 p. m. 1 31 2

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 1146 Dunellen avenue. 1 31 3

WANTED — First-class chambermaid; good references. Call Thursday, after 5 o'clock, 503 Stelle avenue. 1 31 tf

WANTED—A man to take care of horse and make himself generally useful; must have good references. Apply to 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Stair builders or men to work on stairs; steady work to good men. Inquire of W. J. Boehm, No. 1066 Magnolia avenue, Elizabeth, N. J. 2 1 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 30 Fairview Ave. 31 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Inquire 945 Central Ave. 2 1 3

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. Mrs. G. G. Davidge, 12 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—Competent cook and waitress (white). Apply 34 Rockview avenue. 1 31 3

WANTED—A sober, industrious, young white man to take care of horses and make himself generally useful around store. Apply No. 187 North avenue. 1 25 tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED — Experienced grocery clerk; good wages to right party. P. J. Windfeldt, 133 and 135 Broad St., Westfield. 2 1 3

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U NEED IT—Nash's $5.00 Pea Coal. 1 30 10

FOR FLORIDA and the South, the Clyde Line is direct and offers superior service and accommodations. Tickets and full information at office, No. 197 North Avenue, William D. Thickstun, agent. 1 19 1mo

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CALL telephone 357-W when you need coal. 1 30 10

THE highest cash price paid for house hold goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second St. Phone 1722.4 25 tf

Situations Wanted.

FIRST-CLASS cook wishes position. 216 New street. 2 1 3

COLORED woman wants days work. Apply Ella Dennis, 400 Richmond street. 1 30 3

SITUATION wanted for general housework, by respectable woman, with child three years old; excellent references. Address A. H., care Daily Press. 2 1 3

NEEDY man wants jobs or any work. "R.," Daily Press. 1 31 3

For Rent.

FLATS to let, $9, $12, $16 per month; improvements. Inquire Adam Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 1 10

TO RENT—Ten-room house; all improvements; in perfect order; to family of adults. Inquire 402 Park avenue. 2 1 tf

TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—One Cypress Incubator and one brooder. Address Incubator, care Press. 1 31 4

PONY, cart and harness wanted; pony must be kind, gentle and fearless. Address Pony, care Press. 1 3

WANTED—To rent, seven room house, with barn; would prefer an acre or two of ground. Address Tenant, Plainfield Daily Press office.

WANTED—By April 1, house of 6 or 7 rooms, with improvements; west of Grant avenue. Address C. C., Press. 1 31 3

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

WANTED—From owners, particulars of houses, for sale, or rent; also furnished houses; have quite a number of applicants. William Davison, opposite Netherwood station. 1 24 tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Lady's small brown purse, containing sum of money and blank check. Reward at Plainfield Trust Co.

FOUND—Black and white fox terrier dog. 816 Carlton avenue.

LOST—Tuesday afternoon, a lady's gold watch, locket attached, going from the High School to Central avenue to Seventh street west to Monroe Ave. Suitable reward for its return to the Press office. 1 31 3

LOST—Hound dog. Return to 904 West Fourth street; reward. 2 1 3

LOST—Round gold pin, ornamented with bird and cat tails; reward. Return to Mallinson's drug store. 1 31 3

LOST—$25 reward; gentleman's diamond ring, while driving Sunday over trolley road from White & Goodacres' and over turnpike to Cook & Sons'. Return to either above parties. 1 30 7

Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. 10 3 tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—At Netherwood, modern ten room house; all improvements; first class condition throughout; large lot; price, $7,000; terms to suit purchaser.

New house, Belvidere avenue, ten rooms and bath; steam heat; all improvements; price, $7,500; terms to suit.

South avenue, house, seven rooms, reception hall; all improvements; lot 50x100; price, $2,600; cash or installments.

Seven room house, East Sixth street, $1,850; also one on same street, $2,200.

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FOR SALE—Small restaurant. Call 17 Grandview Ave. 1 30 6

BLOCK wood for sale; $6 per cord, delivered. Inquire 211 New street. 1 30 6

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OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. 6 7 tf

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FOR SALE—Beautiful tract of five acres, on Woodland avenue, between the properties of Messrs. Arens and Dufion. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 6 tf

FURNITURE for sale at 340 East Third street. 1 31 6

POULTRY for sale, Rhode Island Reds, White Leghorns, White Wyandottes; all commenced to lay; settings pure Barred Plymouth Rock eggs. 669 West Seventh street, John Jones. 1 31 3

TO SELL at once for client, fine 10-room house; excellent condition and location; all improvements. J. Henry Crane, attorney, 134 Park avenue. 1 26 6

JERSEY cow for sale; coming in the 8th; yields 20 quarts. Apply Alex. Kane. 1 31 tf

FOR SALE at one half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. 4 3 tf

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GOOD board, warm room, for gentlemen; bath; telephone; $5 to $10 per week. 1103 Putnam avenue, corner Carlton. 2 6 1mo

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LARGE, furnished, front room for rent. 402 East Fifth St. 1 31 3

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FURNISHED rooms to let with board; also table board, at 219 East Fifth street. 1 22 tf

FURNISHED room to let; board near by. 303 East Fifth. 1 22 tf

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ROOMS with board at 312 East Seventh street. 1 11 1mo

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. 12 19 tf

Money to Loan.

$4,000.00 to loan on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 5 31 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 3 31 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. 2 23 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue. tf

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 4.

By REV. S. H. DOYLE.

Topic.—New work we may do "for Christ and the Church."—Luke 12-48. Last half—Gen. xii, 1-3; Gal. iii, 9. (Consecration meeting. Christian Endeavor day.)

Two days ago, Feb. 2, the Christian Endeavor movement was twenty-five years old. It hardly seems possible that a quarter of a century has passed since Dr. Francis E. Clark gathered together a few of the young people of his church and organized the first Christian Endeavor society, with no other thought than that it should be purely a local organization for the extension of Christ's kingdom in his own church. But God had other plans, which no human power could see. During this quarter of a century it is absolutely impossible to estimate the tremendous amount of work that has been accomplished by the Christian Endeavor movement and the millions of lives that have been made better under the blessing of God through it. Twenty-five years ago there was one society, with less than fifty members. Today the Christian Endeavor movement consists of nearly 70,000 societies, having a total membership of over 3,000,000 young people. The movement is world-wide. Christian Endeavor societies are to be found in every country and in every nation in the world. It is also interdenominational. It has never been limited to any denomination, and today its members represent over thirty of the prominent Christian denominations throughout the world. At this twenty-fifth anniversary every one who is directly or indirectly interested in the Christian Endeavor movement or has ever been so should be devoutly thankful to God for the great success that Christian Endeavor has achieved.

But the true spirit of Christian Endeavor is not to laud the past so much as to prepare for the future. Anniversaries are pleasant, but they should also be profitable. The achievements of the past should inspire still greater achievements in the future. It is this spirit that has led the committee on the selection of topics to suggest for this occasion the topic of new work. In thinking over the past we should not only continue the methods that have been so successful in days gone by, but should ever be thoughtfully considering and putting into operation new methods of work. Variety is not only *the spice of life, but it is one of the* most attractive features to success in any phase of life. The same thing done in the same way year after year will soon lose its effectiveness, and therefore it is absolutely necessary that if the Christian Endeavor movement is to continue new methods of work must be constantly sought after. In this phase of the work the United society of Boston has been wonderfully successful, and no better advice can be given to the Young People's societies who want new and better methods of work than that they should keep in constant touch with the literature, and particularly the Christian Endeavor World, published by the United Society of Christian Endeavor at Boston.

The opportunities of the young people of our church through their various organizations are great. God holds us responsible in proportion to our opportunities. Opportunity means responsibility. Abraham was blessed and prospered not simply for himself, but that he might be a blessing to others. The Christian Endeavor movement has not been divinely inaugurated simply for the purpose of its members, but that God has blessed us in order that we may be a blessing to others. Let us, therefore, celebrate this twenty-fifth anniversary of Christian Endeavor by the consecration of ourselves in service to others in the name of Christ.

The Memorial Building.

The proposition for a memorial building in honor of Dr. Clark and to serve as headquarters for the movement has received hearty indorsement in different parts of this country and abroad. The small sum of 25 cents sought from each member of the 66,772 Christian Endeavor societies would furnish the million dollars desired and does not seem to place a severe tax on any individual. The returns from such a fund would be utilized in various ways for the interdenominational and missionary work of the organization. It would permit Dr. Clark and his associates, thus freed from certain burdens, to do a larger service for the churches. The fact that no building is to be erected until all the money is in hand is guarantee against a troublesome debt. An endowment fund as well as one for construction should be provided.—Congregationalist.

In Australia and India.

Australia's emblem for the increase and betterment campaign is a kangaroo "on the jump," and many of the societies are going forward by leaps and bounds. "Fifteen new members," "an increase of 36 per cent," "an increase of 15 per cent," "a new society," are some of the interesting news items beneath the cut of the kangaroo in the Australian Christian Endeavor News.

At a three days' conference at Landaur, India, Rev. Herbert Halliwell, Christian Endeavor field secretary for India, met ninety missionaries for discussion of Christian Endeavor methods. A conference was held at Kodaikanal.

In the Fiji Islands.

Christian Endeavor has taken root in the Fiji islands, which must now be added to its fellowship. A letter from Rev. Arthur J. Small to Dr. Clark says that "the numbers are few, but the meetings are helpful and inspirited." Lately the members have been led to pray for such revival blessings as have come to Wales and in some of the churches in the United States.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Feb. 4: "A Life That Is a Trust"—Luke xix, 12-27; I Cor. iv, 1, 2; I Pet. iv, 10; Gen. iv, 4; xiv, 20; xxviii, 22; Mal. iii, 6-14; Matt. xxiii, 23—Christian Stewardship Enrollment.

By REV. WALTER J. YATES, D. D.

The consciousness of obligation and the impulse to express this knowledge by a suitable offering to Him who is the Great Benefactor appeared early in the history of our race. The first two boys of the new race of mankind brought gifts at "the end of the days" to Jehovah God. Sacred time, a sacred place and a consecrated offering were all in this act. Men have never ceased from that time to worship God in some manner, and firmly fixed in their religious customs has been the offering of gifts to Him in acknowledgment of accountability for all possessions held.

On one occasion Abraham gave a tenth of captured spoil to the priest of Jehovah.

Jacob signalized his acceptance of divine dictation by promising the tenth of all he should acquire in any manner for the service of his God.

Heathenism has ever been heavily exacting of its worshipers in the matter of offerings.

Judaism made the tithe obligatory and carried it to the extreme in exacting strict accounting for all which grew from the earth or was the increase of flock and herd. Garden herbs were even laid under tribute.

Christianity is no less insistent of the principle of human obligation to God for all possessions and accountability for their proper use.

Greatest stress is laid on the heart devotion, without which all dedications of material substance are without meaning and morally valueless.

A hopeful spirit of inquiry is observable in the Epworth League in this direction. Earnest desire to use all powers in the service of Christ is certain to be followed by the question of how best to use one's money in His cause. It is not so much the inquiry, "How much does the Lord require?" as it is, "How much can I secure for this special work?"

One must be ever guarding himself lest he come to regard some part of his means as God's and the rest as his own. It is not the true idea that when we have given a certain sum for the church work and benevolences we can spend the rest as we please.

All is God's, and every dime is to be used so as to meet His approval. To pay one's necessary expenses is as obligatory as to give for the support of missions, but the needful expenses must ever be calculated so as to provide for helpfulness of others besides self.

System in it all is most desirable. Calculation should be made so that a fair proportionate part of the income can be devoted to strictly religious uses. This is not altogether for the benefit of the cause receiving the offering. Rather, the greatest benefit in all giving comes to the one who imparts in cultivation and elevation of character.

Most important is the enrollment of our Leaguers in a Christian stewardship movement. Write to headquarters at Chicago for the leaflets and other literature on the subject. Interest as many in your chapter as possible. At least, join this forward movement yourself even if you are the only one in the chapter who will.

Give, and do it regularly, systematically and proportionately, and you will grow in grace more rapidly than ever before.

God's Will.

The occupations of every day seem often trifling. We may do them without thinking as ordinary things. Yet they are the scenes of our appointed lot—appointed by God for you and me. The ordering, the application, of these ordinary occupations is the appointing of the Divine purpose. It is for ourselves to carry out. And secretly our character forms according as we handle them. Give they heart to God eternal since thou art thyself eternal. Join thy heart to what he has given thee to do. Join thy heart to His teaching and thou becomest of a will like to His own will. Nothing comes by pure accident, not even the interruptions in our busy day. And such as follow on to know God's will see in all events what may lead to good, and so trust grows into a habit, as habit grows by perpetual use, till every circumstance may be seen to be but a fresh manifestation of the will of God working itself out in us.—T. T. Carter.

Blind Pride.

Often we think we are all right, that no one can find fault with us, that those whom we neglect or despise or set aside are not worth considering for a moment, and yet all the while, as God sees us, as others see us, we are injuring the very cause we wish to promote. Those of whom we think so little may be the very likenesses and representatives of God and Christ Himself. In injuring them, in despising them, we may be doing the most widespread mischief, we may be defying God. In helping them we are serving Christ Himself.—Dean Stanley.

Body Erect.

If we look down, then our shoulders stoop. If our thoughts look down, our character bends. It is only when we hold our head up that the body becomes erect. It is only when our thoughts go up that our life becomes erect.—Alexander McKenzie.

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Orangeade.

Squeeze the juice of three or four oranges on to three rounding tablespoons of sugar, add a teaspoon of lemon juice and pour on two cups of water.

Orange Shortcake.

Sift two cups of flour with four level teaspoons of baking powder, rub in one-quarter cup of butter and mix with one cup of milk to make a soft dough. Pat this dough out into a flat cake and lay on a pan. Split the cake open as soon as taken from the oven and spread with orange pulp freed from all the white skin and sweeten well.

Orange Sherbet.

Soak a level tablespoon of gelatine in one-half cup of cold water, add half a cup of boiling water and stir to dissolve it well. Add two cups of orange juice, one cup of sugar and two cups of water, strain and freeze.

Orange Pudding.

Soak one cup of stale bread crumbs in one and one-half cups of milk until soft, then beat well with a spoon. Add the grated rind of one orange and the juice of two rather small oranges. Add the beaten yolks of two eggs and one-half cup of sugar, then stir in the whites beaten stiff. Butter six cups, fill with the mixture and bake until firm, or about twenty minutes in a slow oven.

Sauce for Orange Puddings.

Cream one-third cup of butter, add one cup of powdered sugar slowly, then add two yolks, one at a time, and beat well each time. Beat all until very light, then add one-third cup of cream and two teaspoons of flavoring. Set over hot water long enough to melt the butter but no longer. Pour the sauce round the little puddings and serve at once.

Preserved Orange Peel.

Wash the orange peel thoroughly, then boil in clear water until the peel can be pierced with a broom straw. Drain, and when cold scrape the white part from the rinds and cut the thin yellow shavings into very fine shreds with scissors. Use a silver teaspoon for taking off the white portion. Make a syrup of equal measures of sugar and water, and when it comes to the boiling point add as much shredded peel as the syrup will cover well. Simmer slowly until the peel is clear, then seal in tumblers.—Boston Traveler.

Fried Bananas.

Cut bananas into two slices lengthwise and dip into a batter. For the batter use one egg, one-quarter cup of milk, one-quarter cup of flour sifted with one-half level teaspoon of baking powder and a pinch of salt. Fry in deep hot fat until colored, and serve on a hot dish.

Sugar Rusks.

To two cups of raised bread dough add one cup of sugar, one-half cup of butter, two beaten eggs and enough flour to make a stiff dough. Cover and let rise light, then shape into small rolls and set them closely together in a pan to rise. Dust the tops with sugar and bake.

Southern Sally Lunn.

Put one quart of flour into a bowl, add two rounding tablespoons of butter and rub in well, add one-half yeast cake dissolved in one-half cup of milk, and then one and one-half cups more of milk, using a pint in all, and last four beaten eggs. Beat hard, turn into a buttered pan, let rise light and bake.

Onion Soup.

Slice six large onions and cook five minutes in a rouding tablespoon of butter, a saltspoon of salt, a little pepper and a teaspoon of minced parsley. Add one and one-half tablespoons of flour and stir well, add four cups of chicken stock and two cups of hot milk. Press through a strainer, return to the boiler and heat. Serve with croutons.

Lyonnaise Tripe.

Cook a pound of tripe in boiling water until tender, then cool and cut in long, narrow strips. Fry two rounding tablespoons of butter and two large onions sliced very thin together, adding a tablespoon of vinegar, a teaspoon of minced parsley and salt and pepper. Add the tripe and when fried brown turn into a hot dish.

Breakfast Rolls.

Beat three eggs, add one-half cup of milk, one-half yeast cake dissolved in the milk, a pinch of salt and five cups of flour. Cover and let rise over night. Roll half an inch thick and shape into small pointed rolls. Brush with the white of an egg or with milk and let rise; bake in hot oven.

Broiled Halibut.

With a wet cloth wipe a slice of halibut, season with salt and pepper and rub over with soft butter. Dredge with flour and broil on both sides, which will take from eight to ten minutes. Serve with maitre d'hotel sauce.

Maitre d'Hotel Sauce.

Cream one-half cup of butter, add a tablespoon of lemon juice, a tablespoon of minced parsley, a half level teaspoon of salt and a saltspoon of pepper.—Newark Advertiser.

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"The Man on the Box"

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Glancing over his shoulder, Warburton saw the capitol shining in the sun like some enchanted palace out of Wonderland. He touched his cap, conscious of a thrill in his spine. And there, far to his left, loomed the Washington monument, glittering like a shaft of opals. Some orderlies dashed by on handsome bays. How splendid they looked, with their blue trousers and broad yellow stripes! This was before the army adopted the comfortable but shabby brown duck. How he longed to throw a leg over the back of a good horse and gallop away into the great green country beyond.

The only things which moved with the hustling spirit of the times were the cables, and doubtless these would have gone slower but for the invisible and immutable power which propelled them.

But now he was passing the huge and dingy magic treasury building, round past the executive mansion with its spotless white stone, its stately portico and its plush lawns.

"Go slow, uncle; I haven't seen this place since I was a boy."

"Yes, suh. How d' y' like it? Wouldn' y' like t' live in dat house, suh?"—the commodore grinned.

"One can't stay there long enough to please me, uncle. It takes four years to get used to it; and then, when you begin to like it, you have to pack up and clear out."

"It's de way dey goes, suh. We go eroun' Lafayette, er do yuh want t' see de wa, depa'tment, suh?"

"Never mind now, uncle; Scott Circle."

"Scott Circle she am, suh."

The old ark wheeled round Lafayette Square and finally rolled into Sixteenth street. When at length it came to a stand in front of a beautiful house, Warburton evinced his surprise openly. He knew that his brother's wife had plenty of money, but not such a plenty as to afford a house like this.

"Are you sure, uncle, that this is the place?"

"Dere's de Circle, suh, an' yuh can see de numbuh fo' y'se'f, suh."

"How much do I owe you?"

"I reckon 'bout fifty cents 'll make it, suh."

Warburton gave him a dollar, marveling at the difference between the cab hire here and in New York. He grasped his case and leaped up the steps two at a bound, and pressed the bell. A prim little maid answered the call.

"Does Mr. John Warburton live here?" he asked breathlessly.

"Yes, sir."

"Fortunate John!" he cried, pushing past the maid and standing in the hall of his brother's household, unheralded and unannounced. "Jack!" he bawled.

The maid eyed the handsome intruder, her face expressing the utmost astonishment. She touched his arm.

"Sir!" she began.

"It's all right, my dear," he interrupted.

She stepped back, wondering whether to scream or run.

"Hi, Jack! I say, you old henpecked, where are you?"

The dining-room door slid back and a tall, studious-looking gentleman, rather plain than otherwise, stood on the threshold.

"Jane, what is all this— Why, Bob, you scalawag!"—and in a moment they were pumping hands at a great rate. The little maid leaned weakly against the balustrade.

"Kit, Kit! I say, Kit, come and see who's here!" cried John.

An extraordinarily pretty little woman, whose pallor any woman would have understood, but no man on earth, and who was dressed in a charming pink negligee morning-gown, hurried into the hall.

"Why, it's Bob!" She flung her arms around the prodigal and kissed him heartily, held him away at arm's length, and hugged and kissed him again. I'm not sure that Mr. Robert didn't like it.

Suddenly there was a swish of starched skirts on the stairs, and the most beautiful woman in all the world (and I am always ready to back this statement with abundant proofs!) rushed down and literally threw herself into Mr. Robert's eager, outstretched arms.

"Nancy!"

"Bob! Bob! you wicked boy! You almost break our hearts. Not a line in two months!—How could you!— You might have been dead and we not know it!"—and she cried on his shoulder.

"Come now, Nancy; nonsense! You'll start the color running out of this tie of mine!" But for all his jesting tone, Mr. Robert felt an embarrassing lump wriggle up and down in his throat.

"Had your breakfast?" asked the humane and practical brother.

"Yep. But I shouldn't mind another cup of coffee."

And thereupon he was hustled into the dining-room and pushed into the best chair. How the dear women fussed over him, pressed this upon him and that; fondled and caressed him, just as if the beggar was worth all this trouble and love and affection.

"Hang it, girls, it's worth being an outlaw to come to this," he cried. He pushed Nancy and patted Kitty on the cheek, and pressed the young wife's hand, and smiled pleasantly at his brother. "Jack, you lucky pup, you!"

"Two years," murmured Nancy; "and we haven't had a glimpse of you in two long years."

"Only in photograph," said the homeless one, putting three lumps of sugar in his coffee because he was so happy he didn't know what he was about.

"And you have turned 28," said Kit, counting on her fingers.

"That makes you 24, Nan," Jack laughed.

"And much I care!" replied Nancy, shaking her head defiantly. I've a sneaking idea that she was thinking of me when she made this declaration. For if I didn't care, why should she?

"A handsome, stunning girl like you, Nan, ought to be getting married," observed the prodigal. "What's the matter with all these dukes and lords and princes, anyhow?"

An embarrassed smile ran around the table, but Mr. Robert missed it by several inches.

Jack threw a cigar across the table. "Now," said he, "where the deuce did you come from?"

"Indirectly from Arizona, which is a synonym once removed for war."

Jack looked at his plate and laughed; but Mrs. Jack wanted to know what Bob meant by that.

"It's a word used instead of war, as applied by the late Gen. Sherman," Jack replied. "And I am surprised that a brother-in-law of yours should so far forget himself as to hint it even."

"By the way, Jack," said my hero, lighting the cigar and blowing the first puff toward the ceiling, his face admirably set with nonchalance, "do you know of a family named Annesley—Col. Annesley?" I knew it would take only a certain length of time for this question to arrive.

"Col. Annesley? Why, yes. He was in the war department until a year ago. A fine strategist; knows every in and out of the coast defenses, and is something of an inventor; lots of money, too. Tall, handsome old fellow?"

"That's the man. A war volunteer?"

"No, a regular. Crippled his gunfingers in some petty Indian war, and was transferred to the department. He was a widower, if my recollection of him is correct; and had a lovely daughter."

"Ah!" There was great satisfaction evident in this syllable. "Do you know where the colonel is now?"

"Not the faintest idea. He lived somewhere in Virginia. But he's been on the travel for several years."

Robert stirred his coffee and took a spoonful—and dropped the spoon. "Pah! I must have put in a quart of sugar. Can you spare me another cup?"

"Annesley?" Nancy's face brightened. "Col. Annesley? Why, I know Betty Annesley. She was my roommate at Smith one year. She was in my graduating class. I'll show you her picture later. She was the dearest girl! How she loved horses! But why are you so interested?"—slyly.

"I ran across them coming home."

"Then you met Betty! Isn't she just the loveliest girl you ever saw?"

"I'm for her, one and indivisible. But hang my luck, I never came within a mile of an introduction."

"What? You, and on shipboard where she couldn't get away?" John threw up his hands as a sign that this information had overcome him.

"Even the captain shied when I approached him," said Robert, gloomily.

"I begin to see," said the brother.

"See what?"

"Have a match; your cigar has gone out."

Robert relighted his cigar and puffed like a threshing-machine engine.

John leaned toward Nancy. "Shall I tell him, Nan?"

Nancy blushed. "I suppose he'll have to know sooner or later."

"Know what?" asked the third person singular.

"Your charming sister is about to bring you a brother-in-law."

"What?" You could have heard this across the street.

"Yes, Bobby dear. And don't look so hurt. You don't want me to become an old maid, do you?"

"When did it happen?"—helplessly. How the thought of his sister's marrying horrifies a brother! I believe I can tell you why. Every brother knows that no man is good enough for a good woman. "When did it happen?" Mr. Robert repeated, with a look at his brother, which said that he should be held responsible.

"Last week."

Robert took in a long breath, as one does who expects to receive a blow of some sort which can not be warded off, and asked: "Who is it?" Nancy married? What was the world coming to, anyhow?

"Charlie Henderson,"—timidly.

Then Robert, who had been expecting nothing less than an English duke, let loose the flaming ions of his righteous wrath.

"Chuck Henderson?—that duffer?" (Oh, Mr. Robert, Mr. Robert; and after all I've done for you!)

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For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.33, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.33, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

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For Phillipsburg and Easton—5.25, 8.21, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.41 p. m. Sunday—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

For Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.25, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

For Wilkesbarre and Scranton—5.25, 9.54 a. m., 5.48 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03 p. m.

For Long Branch and Ocean Grove, etc.—8.11, 11.00 a. m., 2.44, 4.13, 4.47, 6.22, 11.28 p. m. Sunday (except Ocean Grove)—8.52 a. m., 3.30, 8.13 p. m.

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For Lakewood and Atlantic City—(8.11 Lakewood only), 9.27 a. m., 1.18, 2.49, (2.44 p. m., Lakewood only). Sundays—8.52 a. m.

For Toms River and Barnegat—8.11 a. m., 1.18, 2.44 p. m. Sundays—8.52 a. m.

For Philadelphia—5.17, 7.11, 7.44, 8.51, 9.39, 10.44, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 12.42, 1.39, 2.45, 3.42, 6.45, 7.46, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.17 night. Sunday—5.17, 10.39, 10.44, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 2.45, 3.42, 4.55, 5.39, 6.45, 7.46, 9.46 p. m., 11.25, 1.17 night.

For Trenton—5.17, 7.44, 8.50, 9.46, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.46, 3.42, 6.45, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.71 night. Sunday—5.17, 9.53, 10.39, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 3.42, 4.55, 6.45, 9.46, 11.25 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Reading and Harrisburg—5.17, 5.25, 8.38, 9.54, (10.44, 11.44 Reading only), a. m., 2.31, (5.48, through train), 1.17 night. Sundays—5.17 a. m., 2.08, 5.37, 6.35 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Pottsville, Sunbury and Williamsport—5.17, 5.25, 5.54 a. m., 2.11, 8.21 p. m., 1.17 night. Sunday—5.17 a. m., 2.03 p. m., 1.17 night.

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To Mark Samter and Mrs. Mark Samter, His Wife, Mary H. Harlem and James L. Harlem, Her Husband.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, That at a public sale made by the Collector of the City of Plainfield, on the 21st day of September, 1900, the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield purchased for the sum of Twenty-one Dollars and One Cent ($21.01) and that on the Twelfth Day of April, 1901, by assignment of Certificate of Sale duly executed by the proper parties, I purchased for the sum of Fifty-eight Dollars and Forty-eight Cents ($58.48) (which sum includes taxes for the years 1898, 1899 and 1900) all the land and real estate situate in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, fronting on Raymond Avenue, being laid down and designated as Lots No. 23-25 Raymond Avenue, in Block No. 154, in the First Ward of said City, upon the official assessment map of the City of Plainfield, on file in the Office of the City Collector. Said sale being made pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey, passed March 30th, 1886, entitled, "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in the cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment," and the several supplements and amendments thereof.

AND YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED, That you appear or claim to have an estate or interest in said land and real estate, and unless the said land and real estate shall be redeemed as provided in said Act, before the expiration of six months from and after the service hereof, and when one year has elapsed from and after the time of said sale, a deed for the same will be given conveying to the purchaser the fee simple of said land and real estate according to the provisions of said Act.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1906.

Sale No. 54 of 1900.

Frank Huntington, Purchaser.

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Fees $14.40.

To Mary Harlem and James L. Harlem, Her Husband.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, That at a public sale made by the Collector of the City of Plainfield, on the 21st day of September, 1900, the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield purchased for the sum of Twenty-one Dollars and One Cent ($21.01) and that on the Twelfth Day of April, 1901, by assignment of Certificate of Sale duly executed by the proper parties, I purchased for the sum of Fifty-eight Dollars and Forty-eight Cents ($58.48) (which sum includes taxes for the years 1898, 1899 and 1900) all the land and real estate situate in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, fronting on Raymond Avenue, being laid down and designated as Lots No. 31-33 Raymond Avenue, in Block No. 154, in the First Ward of said City, upon the official assessment map of the City of Plainfield, on file in the Office of the City Collector. Said sale being made pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey, passed March 30th, 1886, entitled, "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in the cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment," and the several supplements and amendments thereof.

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Dated, Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1906.

Sale No. 56 of 1900.

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Fees $14.40.

To Mary H. Harlem and James L. Harlem, Her Husband, Samuel Harlem and Mrs. Samuel Harlem, His Wife.

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Dated, Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1906.

Sale No. 57 of 1900.

Frank Huntington, Purchaser.

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Fees $14.40.

NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS.

Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of Mary L. Force, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1906, on the application of the undersigned, as Executor of the estate of Mary L. Force, deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said Mary L. Force, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscriber within nine months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Administrator of Margaret A. Meeker, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the twenty-first day of February next.

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GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

Forthcoming editions of dictionaries will contain a new word—Hippodrome—meaning something wonderful, beautiful, extraordinary, while conveying a scene of vastness and immensity. Responsibility for the coinage of the word rests with the New York Hipprodrome and, especially, with the production of "A Society Circus," the greatest of all modern spectacles. The incidental circus tournament is the greatest ever witnessed. It includes Mlle. Leris, whose equestrianship has been a sensation in Paris; the Bonhair-Gregory troupe of acrobats, Europe's champions, appearing for the first time in America; Ralph Johnstone, whose exploits on the wheel are the limit of reckless daring. Claire Heliot remains the exponent of feminine courage. She adds each week to the tricks displayed by her lions. Slivers and Marceline, clowns, have injected new lines of comedy throughout the performance. "A Society Circus" continues to grow in popularity. Its great ballet, beautiful ensembles, wondrous scenic spectacles and catchy music amaze and delight. Matinees are held daily.

A Two Minutes' Talk.

For some weeks past we have been telling the public what a great book the 1906 World Almanac is. We have not exaggerated. It is even greater. The American News Company has raised its order three times this year, the total number to date taken by that one concern being over 90,000, with more in sight. How's that for an indorsement? Nearly 200,000 people buy the World Almanac each year and keep on buying it. There's something mighty good about it. The purpose of this talk is to tell how to get the book at an especially attractive price. Send $1.10 for one year's subscription to the Thrice-a-week World (new subscription or renewal), and a copy of the 1906 World Almanac (nearly 700 pages) will be sent you at once, postage paid. Almanac alone, 35c., postage paid.

That Tax Law.

Only one defender of the maximum tax law, Senator Hillery, of Morris, appeared at the committee hearing in Trenton yesterday. The opposition to the law was strongly represented, and the arguments used were convincing enough of the inutility of the law under existing tax conditions. It remains for the Legislature either to make the whole taxing system of New Jersey conform to the constitutional mandate or repeal the Hillery act forthwith. Only by full valuations and the distribution of the prospective increased taxes to the State from railroad main stem property can the municipalities be enabled to keep their tax rates within the maximum of the law.—Newark Advertiser.

Isaac Wilson, of Canada, a prominent member of the Religious Society of Friends, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vail, of Norwood avenue.

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SPORTS HERE AND THERE

DIAMOND DUST.

It is hoped that the Plainfield High School Athletic Association will open the baseball season on May 31, possibly with the N. P. H. S. team. On April 7 the local school boys will have one of the hardest games of the season. On that date they will play the Brooklyn High School nine. In preparation for that game a contest has been arranged to be played here on April 4 with the Cranford High school team. On Saturday, April 14, Commercial High School, of Brooklyn, will oppose the locals here, and on April 21 the first out-of-town game will be played with the Montclair High School. This will put the team in first class condition for the first contest with Leal's School on Saturday, April 25. Beyond this date the schedule is not arranged as yet, but Manager Gavett is planning to bring a number of strong teams here.

LAWYER FINED $100.

Croll Punished for Contempt by Judge Sweeney.

Edward I. Croll, a lawyer, was fined $100 for contempt of court by Judge Sweeney in the First Precinct Police Court, Newark, yesterday afternoon. The fine was based on the attorney's conduct during the hearing of Alexander Miller and Elsie Miller on a charge of swindling on December 19. Croll, who was counsel for the prisoners, became angered at the decision of the court to hold them under bail for the Grand Jury, and criticised Judge Sweeney, telling the latter among other things that he would be perfectly satisfied to be adjudged in contempt if he were allowed to express his opinion of the court.

In imposing the fine on Croll, Judge Sweeney referred to the fact that they had been students in the same law school, but said that the dignity of the court must be upheld. Former Sheriff William C. Nicoll appeared for Croll and made a plea for his client.

Judge Sweeney asked Mr. Nicoll if he was willing to submit to the court the exact language which constituted the contempt. Mr. Nicoll referred the question to Mr. Croll, but the latter did not accede to Judge Sweeney's suggestion.

It became known today that Mr. Nicoll had broached the subject of an apology by Croll to the court, but Judge Sweeney said that while this would be agreeable, it would not settle the case by any means. Croll did not volunteer any apology.. Judge Sweeney said today:

"It is understood that an appeal will be taken by Croll."

Watchung Hunt Club Runs.

Dr. M. O'M. Knott, who has charge of the runs for the Watchung Hunt Club, has fixed the programme for February as follows: Saturday, February 3, Mt. Pleasant; Saturday, February 10, Netherwood Hotel; Monday, February 12, Baltusrol, in the morning; breakfast at noon; Saturday, February 17, "The Kennels," Rahway road; Thursday, February 22, Middlesex Farm, 11 a. m.; Saturday, February 24, Washingtonville.

Mrs. Rossien Dead.

Mrs. Joseph Rossien, of Mt Bethel, an aunt of Mrs. R. F. R. Huntsman, of this city, died yesterday. She is survived by a daughter and two sons.

Dr. F. Wilbur Cornwall, of New York, is stopping at Truell Inn.

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The North Plainfield High School basketball five defeated the Rahway team yesterday afternoon, 23 to 9. The game was all one way, and the issue was never in doubt.

The Rahways were as completely outplayed as if they were a second team. North Plainfield passed all around them, and had little difficulty in finding openings for the basket. Peacock made a brilliant showing.

The result was a surprise to both teams. At Rahway, a few weeks ago, the teams ended a game with the score 24 to 23 and it looked then as if there was no difference at all between the teams.

The line-up and summary:

Rahway.	N. P. H. S.
Ayers	VanArsdale
Erwin	Peacock
forwards.	
Stevens	Mundy
centre.	
Silver	Webster
Miller	Steiner
guards.	

Goals from field—Peacock, 6; Mundy, 2; Webster, 2; Ayers, 2; Silver. Foul goals—Ayers, 3; VanArsdale, 3.

SULKY JUROR IS SENT TO JAIL TO COOL OFF.

He Was Charged With Contempt of Court for Refusing to Serve on the Jury.

Ramsey, Feb. 1.—Jacob Snyder, the hermit farmer, who remarked, "To blazes with the court" when served with an order in contempt proceedings, is a prisoner in the Hackensack jail, to which he was committed yesterday by Judge Zabriskie for unbecoming conduct in the courtroom.

Snyder failed to appear in court Saturday to answer the charge of contempt, and Judge Zabriskie issued a bench warrant for the farmer's arrest. Knowing that Snyder had barricaded his house and threatened to shoot the first official who dared enter his home, Constables Courter and Winters hid near Snyder's house yesterday morning and waited for him to go to the barn, as is his custom. He was intercepted and placed under arrest.

"Let me get my coat," he asked, and when inside the house he slammed the door in the faces of the constables. They followed, and after a desperate fight they succeeded in putting the handcuffs on him. When taken into the courtroom Judge Zabriskie asked:

"What is the matter with you?"

"I told you I wouldn't serve as a juror, and I kept my word."

The farmer continued his impertinence and was sent to jail to cool off.

JEWELRY THIEF TAKEN BACK TO ROCHESTER.

Requisition Papers Signed by Governor E. C. Stokes.

On requisition papers signed by Governor Stokes, William Corson, who was arrested in Elizabeth on a charge of larceny preferred by the Rochester Jewelry House, was taken to Rochester this morning by Detective John McDonald, of that city.

He was one of the two men, employed as travelling salesmen by the firm, indicted by the Grand Jury of Monroe County, New York, on the charge of stealing jewelry to the value of $2,000. Corson was tracked from Rochester to Buffalo to Binghampton to Boston to Brooklyn and then to Elizabeth. His partner was captured in Brooklyn a few days ago.

Where is the Independence?

The Hudson Observer, a Democratic newspaper, says that independent Republicans in Union county have combined with the purpose of downing "ring candidates" next fall. Before the Observer concludes its account of conditions responsible for this alleged independent movement it says that the leader is one Thompson who was beaten at the primaries last fall for the nomination for the assembly. And this is usually the case. Because some man with an ambition to hold public office is beaten in a fair fight, he becomes revengeful and determined to set up a little machine of his own that he hopes to be able to use for his own elevation. And when he comes out into the open he calls himself a reformer.—Trenton State Gazette.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

LITERARY NOTES.

The February Atlantic presents an unusual variety of timely articles. Nathaniel S. Shaler, the veteran geologist and man of letters, contributes a notable paper upon Exploration, setting forth something of the history of exploration in the past and pointing out its present status as a science. The paper is at once very informing and uncommonly picturesque. William Everett contributes a searching study of the present status and effectiveness of te United States Senate. There is a helpful article upon Industrial Securities as Investments, by Charles A. Conant, treasurer of the Morton Trust Company. Jesse W. Weik has an able paper upon the independent telephone movement. There is an interesting summary of the important events of the year in a Letter from Mexico by Frederic R. Guernsey, editor of the Mexican Herold. Among the literary and historical papers especially notable are the first of Andrew D. White's remarkable historical studies of the statesmanship of Turgot; Pianists Now and Then, by W. J. Henderson; and Eliana: the Latest Windfall; by W. C. Hazlitt, which contains an interesting set of letters of Charles Lamb, which have never before been in print. There are some excellent stories by such writers as Maarten Maartens, Latta Griswold, and Henry A. Beers, and poetry by Henry van Dyke and Fannie S. Davis.

In the matter of raw materials, such as building stones, if a builder or owner anywhere in Germany discovers a stone which seems valuable, he can send this to the laboratory. It will there be tested upon a large scale. One of the most interesting machines used in thte whole establishment is an enormous freezing-machine, by which large stones may be frozen and thawed many times in the course of a week, thus giving them all the wear and tear in a few days which they would receive from fifty years of weathering. In a similar way, machines have been invented for the testing of silks and textiles, of cotton thread, for breaking great beams of iron and steel to determine their strength and hardness and physical properties which make them valuable in manufacture or in the arts. An immense laboratory has been built up for cement-testing and the testing of building stones and earths of various kinds. Chemistry has been used in tthe most skillful manner to solve the problems of industry and to deal with all the complicated processes which enter into manufacture. The aim has been, on the whole, to establish an institution in which a body of experts familiar with the facilities and the literature of modern science shall be ready to turn themselves at any time to the solution of any practical problem which the inventor, the manufacturer, the metal-worker, the farmer, or the builder might bring to them.—From "How Science Helps Industry in Germany," by Henry S. Pritchett, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for February.

The Popular Science Monthly for February contains the following articles: "The Passing of China's Ancient System of Literary Examinations," by Professor Charles Keyser Edmunds; "The Lapses of Speech," by Professor Edwin W. Bowen; "Recent Advances in Meteorology and Meteorological Service in Japan," by Dr. S. Tetsu Tamura; "With the British Association in South Africa," by Professor Ernest W. Brown; "Some Recent Tendencies in Mathematical Instruction," by Professor G. A. Miller; "The Wealth of the Commonwealth, its Consumption and Conservation," by Dr. A. C. Lane; "The Honor System in American Colleges," by Professor W. Le Conte Stevens; "The Work of the Department of Agrimulture under Professor Wilson;" "The New Orleans Meeting of the American Association of the Advancement of Science."

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Hubert N. Holder, of West Fifth street, who was recently discharged from Muhlenberg Hospital, where he underwent a serious operation, is much improved and expects to be able to return to his position soon.

—A. C. Beckstein, of New York, is spending a few days at his beautiful country home on Park avenue. As Mr. Beckstein expresses it, he came here just for a delightful change from city life to Plainfield life.

Thirty Years for Sane.

Frank Sane, who shot and killed Contractor Seme, of Newark, on February 23, 1905, was convicted in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Newark, this morning before Justice Gummere and was sentenced to thirty years in State prison. Sane was employed by Contractor Seme, and he claimed that the latter owed him $8. A quarrel followed. Seme was murdered.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Freedom Castle, No. 42, Knights of Golden Eagle, will celebrate its fifth anniversary on Tuesday night, February 27.

Miantonomo Tribe, No. 118, Improved Order of Red Men, is planning to hold a "ladies' night" entertainment early in February.

Forty members of Women's Relief Corps, No. 10, auxiliary to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., gave Mrs. Edward C. Morse a surprise party at her home in Jackson avenue, Tuesday night.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Clifford W. McGee, of the borough will leave on Saturday for Thomasville, Ga., where she will remain for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Keefe, of West Seventh street, are the parents of a young son who arrived at their home yesterday.

TOLLA CASE TO COURT OF PARDONS WEDNESDAY.

Meeting for Yesterday Had to be Postponed Pending Swearing in of Judge Dill.

Trenton, Feb. 1.—The meeting of the Court of Pardons, which was to have been held yesterday to consider the case of Antoinette Tolla, who is to be hanged on Friday of next week, was postponed until next Wednesday. This was the result of the ruling of Chancellor Magie, which prevented the swearing in of Judge Dill as a member of the Court of Errors and Appeals, the swearing in being necessary to make him eligible to sit in the Court of Pardons.

Judge Dill will be sworn in at the conference of the Court of Errors on Friday. Chancellor Magie would not permit him to take his seat until the commission had been signed, and insisted that the oath should be administered in the presence of the entire court.

Cop Laid Up.

Patrolman Herbert Overbaugh is confined to the house by rheumatism. Patrolman Andrew Saffron is covering his beat, a daytime detail in the business section.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Carl B. Haynes, baritone, and the Y. M. C. A. orchestra will assist at the men's meeting to be addressed by S. N. Allen, of New York, at the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance Society will hold a meeting for Bible study and prayer at the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Meetings are held every Friday.

FAVORS VOTING MACHINES.

Commission Recommends More General Use of Devices as Time Savers.

The New Jersey Voting Machine commission has submitted its annual report to Governor Stokes and the document generally commends the use of voting machines in the State.

The report states that in cases where mistakes were made in the returns from the machines at the last election such errors were due to election officers who failed to set the machines properly.

The chief difficulty encountered by the use of them creates two systems of voting in places where they are used. As a remedy for this the report suggests that future purchases of the machines be distributed so as to completely equip certain voting districts.

The report also recommends as a matter of economy that three election officers be the total number employed at any one machine, for the reason that not more than three men are needed.

It is also suggested that for the general education of the voting public machines be displayed in public places in the districts in which they are used.

A Colonial Fete.

Under the auspices of the Cup Bearers' Circle of King's Daughters, a Colonial fete will be given at the Casino on the afternoon and night of Washington's birthday.

W. G. Vance Will Probated.

The will of W. G. Vance, of Dunellen, has been probated at New Brunswick. Josephine Vance is named as executrix.

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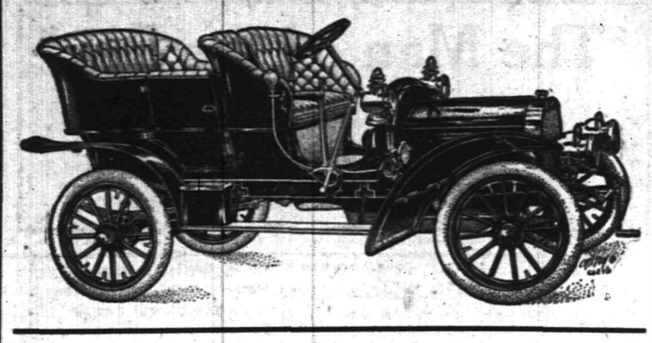

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PLENTY TO EAT TURKEY

Crowd So Big at The Trinity Church Supper That Many Were Turned Away.

CONTINUED TONIGHT

418 Served by Ladies' Christian Work Society—Committees in Charge of the Affair.

Successful far beyond that which was anticipated was the annual turkey supper given at Trinity Reformed church last night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society. So liberal was the patronage accorded that the supplies gave out after exactly 418 suppers were served, and many persons unable to be served were informed that their tickets would be good for tonight, when the affair will be continued. Fully sixty persons found it impossible to get their supper.

Not only was the fine turkey supper enjoyed, but also the delightful social features of the occasion. From 6 until 9 o'clock, the supper hours, and even later, the lecture room was thronged with people, and notwithstanding that many were obliged to wait a considerable time to get a seat at the crowded tables, everyone was good natured and listened with pleasure to the attractive programme of music rendered by Charles Suhr's orchestra of three pieces.

Pleasing decorations made the place very attractive, red being the prevailing color. There was a profusion of red crepe paper tastefully arranged about the room and suspended from the ceiling, while the various tables were garnished with beautiful flowers. There were eight tables, six being in the main room and two in the primary room of the Sunday school.

The Ladies' Christian Work Society is to be congratulated upon the success attained. This active and energetic body of women is noted for its efforts in the past and last night's affair only added greater praise and commendation. Not only the members of Trinity Reformed church, but those from other churches helped to make the supper what the society hoped for, and the large following and generous support is very gratifying. The supper will be continued tonight, when the society hopes the patronage will be equal to that of last night. There will also be music by the orchestra.

Mrs. Anna Gillem and Mrs. Charles P. Leggett were the general chairmen of the affair from the Ladies' Christian Work Society and the various committees were divided up as follows:

Reception—Mrs. Cornelius Schenck, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Parse, Mrs. M. F. Gano, Mrs. Robert Clark, Jr., Mrs. George L. Van Emburgh, Mrs. S. A. Meader, Mrs. Emily Templin. Presidat the tables—Mrs. A. L. Force, Mrs. H. B. Paul, Mrs. Edward Cooley, Mrs. Horace J. Martin, Mrs. D. C. Adams, Mrs. Peter A. Emmons, Mrs. Robert Clark, Jr., Mrs. Andrew Mantz, Mrs. Garret Van Winkle. Serving in the supper room—Mrs. Garret Q. Dolliver, Mrs. W. S. Schomp, Mrs. Charles Dencklau, Mrs. L. C. Sheppard, Mrs. H. B. Pugh, Mrs. R. V. Kenney, Mrs. William VanDeventer, Mrs. Virginia Chickering. Serving pies, cranberries and cake—Mrs. B. Frank Coriell, Mrs. Julius Williams, Mrs. George Reighton. Placing patrons—Mrs. R. B. Rogers, Mrs. Mary Disborough, Mrs. M. E. Kershaw, Mrs. William A. Woodruff, Mrs. W. C. Leek, Mrs. J. C. Van Dyke, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Parse. Carving turkey—Mrs. Seaman Williams and Mrs. Edward Cooley.

Cake table—Mrs. Henry C. Van Name, Mrs. Emma Van Doren, Mrs. Richard B. Van Arsdale, Mrs. Charles E. Ball. Pop corn table—Mrs. John Beckman, Mrs. Louis M. Dunavan. Candy table—Mrs. George W. Cole, Mrs. J. V. Stillwell, Mrs. C. Frank French. Decorations—Mrs. J. C. Van Dyke, Mrs. W. C. Leek, Mrs. George W. Cole. Treasurer and cashier—Mrs. B. D. Newell. Tickets—Mrs. A. L. Force, Mrs. H. C. Van-Name. Doorkeepers—C. Bertram Leggett, F. E. Smith, Jr.

The following young women served as waitresses: The Misses Anna and Kate Bodine, Stella Boss, Dora Wilson, Mabel Vanderhoff, Minne Berg, Bessie Reighton, Eva Dunavan, Cora Laire, Grace Howland, Hazel Martin, Margaret Leggett, Lucy Coriell, Minnie Nischwitz, Bessie Randolph, Minnie and Lyda Wyman, Edna Dilts, Mabel and Cora Gano, Edith Leek, May Davenport, Lela Connors, Ada Van Doren, Anna and Sadie Searing, May Randolph and Mrs. Walter Butz and Mrs. William G. Tunison.

The ingenuity of W. C. Leek in rigging up and operating a cloak room resulted in a profit of nearly $12.

Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, of East Second street, is anticipating a trip to El Paso, Texas, on February 12, to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Potter.

WILL OPPOSE BOROUGH FORMATION FOR A YEAR

PISCATAWAY CITIZENS WOULD HOLD SOUTH PLAINFIELDERS TO ACCOUNT.

Citizens of New Market and other parts of Piscataway township who are not heartily in favor of the South Plainfield borough movement met at Thornton's Hotel, New Market, yesterday afternoon to discuss the project. Between fifty and sixty representative men were present. More attention was given to the veiled charges of graft in the township government, made by the South Plainfield committee in a published communication Wednesday, than to the question of separation. The statements made by the South Plainfielders in that communication have aroused indignation in New Market and the surrounding sections, and the citizens who met at the hotel yesterday spiritedly accepted the challenge thrown out by the borough boomers.

There was not much set speaking at the meeting—more of general discussion of a crossfire nature than of oration. Several brief speeches were made, however, among those who spoke most pointedly being former Assessor Kelly and Silas D. Drake. It was the consensus of opinion that South Plainfield could get out of the township any time it wanted without opposition from the rest of the township sections, if the secession were "decently accomplished." It was felt, however, that the South Plainfielders had made statements that could not be allowed to rest unchallenged. In the communication from the South Plainfield committee, referred to above, the threat was made that if separation was not accomplished this winter the South Plainfielders would work "to a man" to have the township government for thirteen years past investigated. The new borough would start off, the communication said in another place, "with honest officeholders and an honest administration.

The meeting agreed that the South Plainfielders must be compelled to make their insinuations good or retract as completely and publicly as they had presented them. It was unanimously voted that a committee be sent before the Legislature when the borough bill comes up for consideration, to urge that action on the separation be deferred for a year. If the separation is halted, the anti-South Plainfielders point out, the borough boomers must make good their treat or stand convicted of malicious misrepresentation.

The legislative committee is composed of S. D. Drake, C. E. Kelly, E. S. Veghte, Lewis D. Walker and William Fitz Randolph. The meeting was presided over by George Bunting, and Charles Day acted as secretary.

BROKE THREE RECORDS AT Y. M. C. A. MEET

SCULL STARS AT HALF OF CHAMPIONSHIP ATHLETIC TOURNAMENT.

Half of the annual championship athletic meet of the Y. M. C. A. was held last night. Four of the eight events were run off; the remaining four will be held next Tuesday night.

Y. M. C. A. records were broken in three of the events and Harry Scull did all the breaking. He was far and away the star of the evening, getting second place in the only event in which the was not premier competitor. Eighteen men entered the events. The latter went as follows:

Standing broad jump—Harry Scull, first, 9 feet 4 inches; this is 11 inches better than his own record of last year. Clyde Burgess was second, with 8 feet 11 inches; Paul Collier, third, 8 feet 10 inches.

Standing high jump—Scull, first, 4 feet 3 inches, better by 4 inches than the existing record; Burgess and Collier tied for second place with 3 feet 10 inches.

Shot putt—Paul Collier, first, 35 feet 5 inches; Scull, second, 33 feet 7 inches; M. B. Stutsman, third, 30 feet 4½ inches.

Hop, step and jump— Scull, first, 27 feet 3 inches, which is a mark 2 feet 7 inches better than the record, made by himself. Burgess was second, 24 feet 5 inches; Collier, third, 23 feet.

Borough's Report Ready.

The twenty-first annual report of North Plainfield's Mayor and Common Council has been printed in pamphlet form and is now ready for distribution. Copies may be had at the office of Collector George F. Brown.

Mrs. Possien's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Jeanne Possien, who died at her home in Mount Bethel yesterday, will be held from her late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

DISCUSS STREET PAVING

Board of Trade's Delegate to Confer With Councilmanic Committee as to Cost.

NO DISTRICT COURT

Mr. Coriell Says Other Improvements Are Needed More—Mr. Woolston Denies Colby Was "Turned Down."

In the regular order of business at last night's meeting of the Board of Trade, the subject of permanent pavements and arc lights was again taken up and the committees having the matter in charge announced that additional data was being secured. Former Sheriff B. F. Coriell, who had been instructed to investigate the advisability of establishing a district court in Plainfield, detailed the cost of the innovation. It would amount, he said, at least to $2,500, this figure including the judge's salary of $1,200 and a clerk's at $600. The revenue would be about $800 and the remainder would have to be borne by the taxpayers. In the opinion of Mr. Coriell, the court would be a good thing but there were other improvements that the city needed more, specifying permanent pavements and arc lights. These, he said, the people would gladly welcome and do their share toward securing them.

In a discussion of the pavement subject, the question of cost was also brought up and Secretary Frank H. Smith, Mr. Coriell and A. J. Gavett were instructed to confer with the public affairs committee to ascertain what the increase would be over the present amount expended for the purpose.

President Woolston reported on the inundation of the Perrin Freres Company property by Green brook and stated that he had consulted with Councilman Buxton about the matter but as yet they had arrived at no practicable plan to remedy the trouble.

Formal denial that Senator Everett Colby had been "turned down" in the selection of speakers for the recent Board of Trade dinner was made by President L. V. Woolston, who said that he took the opportunity in order to clear up the existing belief in the minds of the people. Mr. Colby's name, he alleged, was not once discussed at a full committee meeting and the talk that had arisen led many to believe that the board had had a dispute over the speakers.

Eugene M. Laing, chairman of the dinner committee, made a complete report of the affair and expressed the opinion that all who had attended had been fully satisfied with the programme. The report was accepted and the committee was discharged with thanks.

The next meeting of the board will be held on March 1 and for that occasion former Mayor William L. Saunders, of the borough, and Joseph O. Osgood, chief engineer of the Jersey Central and designer of the new Newark bay bridge, have been secured to make addresses. Messrs. Coriell, VanArsdale and Woodruff were appointed a committee to make special arrangements for this gathering.

Because of their inability to attend the meetings, J. P. Emmons and Edward Kapp resigned as members of the board and the following new members were elected: Charles H. Lyman, E. C. Westcott, H. G. Black, Moses Roth, Marchant Brothers, A. D. Edgar, B. J. Schreiner, Senator E. R. Ackerman, John W. Murray, Jr., former Mayor Charles J. Fisk, Walter Apgar, W. F. Arnold, Councilman Herbert Buxton, Christian Gloekler and H. A. Todd.

An Entertainment.

Under the auspices of the young people of the Church of the Holy Cross, a musicale, concluding with the first appearance here of the "Stanley Dwarfs," of Africa, will be given in the auditorium of the Park Club on Wednesday night, February 7, at 8:15 o'clock. The programme will be presented by professional and home talent combined. There will also be readings by a Mr. Haynes, of New York; banjo selections by Fred VanEps and other features. Tickets are now on sale at the drug stores of L. W. Randolph and T. S. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. McCrea Entertain.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Circle of the First M. E. church was pleasantly entertained last night by Rev. and Mrs. A. C. McCrea, at their home in Central avenue. There were about twenty guests and the time was spent in varied entertainment, including games, music and an informal programme of recitations, after which refreshments were served.

—VanArsdale's annual midwinter sale of shoes begins Monday, a VanArsdale event always looked forward to by scores of men and women who appreciate genuine bargains.

TWO BAD COLORED BOYS

Pollard Twins, Hans and Howard, Brought Before the City Judge.

INCORRIGIBLE BULLIES

Among Other Things They Tripped Rev. Mr. Mooney's Son and Broke His Collar Bone—Supt. Maxson Testifies.

Hans Pollard and Howard Pollard, fifteen-year-old colored twins, were arrested yesterday afternoon on the Irving School grounds for throwing stones at the pupils and misbehaving generally. In court this morning testimony enough to take away the character of a dozen pairs of colored boys was produced against them, and they were put under a sixty-day sentence that will fall on them the very next time the police have any reason for locking them up.

According to the witnesses, who included Superintendent H. M. Maxson, the twins are very tough and spend most of their time bullying smaller boys without regard to color. One of the dozen schoolboys brought to court to appear against the prisoners testified that he saw one of the twins trip up the young son of the Rev. George Mooney, pastor of the Monroe Avenue church, three days ago, and give him a fall that broke his collarbone.

Supt. Maxson declared the twins were incorrigible, and had been barred from the schools. He said they were so bad he couldn't entertain the idea of taking them back, and believed the school board would endorse his action. It appeared that the boys have been reported to the teacners a number of times for hitting and bullying pupils and that they invariably thumped the boys they thought were responsible for the complaints.

Judge Runyon gave the boys a scorching rebuke in passing sentence. He warned them that the sixty-day sentence would be imposed the first time they were brought before him again. The father of the twins made a speech at the court, but nobody could make out what he was trying to argue. The oration didn't figure in the disposition of the case.

MRS. C. A. HUDSON DEAD.

Had Been a Local Resident for the Past Thirty-eight years.

Mrs. Caroline A. Hudson, widow of Samuel Hudson, died this morning at the home of Mrs. Miles on upper Somerset street. She was eighty-one years old and had been a local resident for thirty-eight years, coming here from England. She has recently been living in Brooklyn. There are three daughters and two sons surviving.

The interment will be made in Greenwood cemetery.

Slipped on Banana Peel.

Charles Koefoed, of Franklin place, slipped on a banana peel as he was boarding a trolley car at the Somerset street terminus last night and dislocated his shoulder bone, besides splitting it. He didn't learn the extent of his injury until he went to Dr. Murray this morning to see why his shoulder pained so. The physician sent him to the hospital.

Gave Progressive Euchre.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Todd, of John street, gave a progressive euchre at their home last night. At the conclusion of play and the awarding of prizes refreshments were served. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. Mather, Mr. and Mrs. J. Erath, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. S. Todd, Mr. Clark and Mr. Crane.

Wants Jury Trial.

Upon application of the defendant for a trial by jury, the case of the New Jersey Nursery Company against Vincent Wizniewski, on contract, was put off a week by Justice Hand yesterday afternoon. William Newcorn is the plaintiff's lawyer and W. S. Angleman represents the defendant.

Plaintiff Non-Suited.

Lawyer Kiernan, of counsel for the plaintiff, accepted a non-suit in the Union County Court, this morning, in the damage suit of Miss Mary McIntyre against the Public Service Corporation, in which she sought to recover for a severe nervous shock to her system.

Co. K. Banquet.

Although not yet decided, it is likely that the annual dinner of Co. K, to be held in February, will be at Truell Inn. The committee in charge will meet soon to complete the details for the banquet and announce the names of the speakers.

—Before making selections of fresh vegetables or fancy fruit see the display at Neuman Brothers'. They make a specialty of both and quote exceptionally low prices.

TAXING AT HALF VALUE

Local Assessors Make Frank Admission Before the State Board of Taxes.

THE CUSTOM, NOT LAW

H. C. VanEmburgh, H. C. Runyon, J. A. Hubbard and C. H. Hand All Admit Following Precedent of 50 Per Cent.

H. C. Van Emburgh, Charles H. Hand, H. C. Runyon and J. A. Hubbard, of the Plainfield Board of Assessors, appeared before the State Board of Equalization of Taxes at Elizabeth yesterday, together with representatives from all parts of Union county, and explained the method of taxation in this city. The hearing was given for the purpose of investigating the methods adopted by the various boards of assessors in the county in the assessment of real and personal property, and to ascertain in what particular the laws are defective or are improperly or negligently administered.

When Plainfield was reached, after a call of several rural taxing districts where true value means anything from 40 to 60 per cent., Harry C. Van Emburgh responded for the First ward. He openly declared that the rate of assessment was about 50 per cent., as did Charles Hand, assessor for the Second ward. Mr. Hand said that precedent has fixed 50 per cent. as true value for his ward, and that he believed that Cranford and Summit were assessed at only 25 per cent. He said that $300,000 of personal property ought to be $800,000, but that he would not raise the assessment unless the rest of the county did likewise.

J. A. Hubbard is assessor of the Third ward. When the 50 per cent. proposition was reached Charles C. Black asked Mr. Hubbard how an assessor could reconcile a 50 per cent. assessment with an oath to assess at full value, and if such action was not a malfeasance.

Mr. Hubbard, who has been a taxing officer for thirty years, said that upon his entrance into office the city attorney of Plainfield had said that an assessor should not assess at over 40 per cent., and that he was the "victim of custom," without attempt to reconcile glaring defects. Harry C. Runyon, of the Fourth ward, also assessed at 50 per cent.

The perfectly frank confessions of the Plainfield assessors that they had not obeyed the spirit or letter of the law led ex-Judge Armstrong, a brother of T. S. Armstrong, of this city, to say that the tacit agreement of all county assessors to assess at 50 per cent. of true value cannot excuse any assessor for participating in such an agreement.

It was the judge's personal view that if the assessor of any district kenw of the violation of the law the board of equalization on appeal would immediately right the wrong.

Altogether, it is a field day for the board, and the assessors have rarely had such open confessions made that there has been such complete failure to obey the law.

Plucky Girl Blocks Runaway.

The horse attached to a depot wagon in which Mrs. Martin, of Clinton avenue, was being driven, fell at Park avenue and Front street this forenoon. The shaft was broken, a spoke was forced from one of the wheels and Mrs. Martin, frightened by the accident, jumped into the street. The horse struggled to its feet, and set itself for a scared dash when Miss Mathewson, of the Lincoln flats, who was passing on the sidewalk, caught it by the bride and quieted it. Her dress and face were soiled by the restless horse, but she held it firmly until the coachman took the animal in charge.

Admission to New School Building.

Superintendent H. M. Maxson, of the Plainfield Public Schools, announced at chapel exercises in the High School this morning that no person under twenty years of age will be allowed to enter the new High School building until February 22, the date fixed for the opening. This action is taken because visitors at the school have been interfering with the workmen. Mr. Maxson also announced that during the examinations on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings the chapel exercises would be held at 10:30 o'clock.

Old Factory Sold Again.

The Sherwood Metal Working Co. has sold the old oilcloth factory, on North avenue, to a manufacturing concern. None of the Sherwood company management could be seen in the city this morning, and the names of the purchasers could not be learned. It is understood that the new owners will begin to install machinery shortly, and began active operations on a large scale.

—The Republican City Committee will meet in William Newcorn's office next Tuesday night.

SENATOR COLBY WILL SPEAK HERE ON MARCH 1

GENUINE ENTHUSIASM AT CHAMBER CONCERT.

Vladimir McIntyre and Gwilym Miles Delight Audience.

The Casino was filled last evening on the occasion of the second of the McIntyre chamber concerts. Vladimir Dubinsky, 'cellist, who was so enthusiastically received at the first concert last December, appeared against as a soloist, and deepened the splendid impression which he had made on the music-lovers of Plainfield. The singer last evening was the Welsh baritone, Gwilym Miles, who stirred the audience to real enthusiasm. His singing of "Danny Deever" and "It Is Enough" was very dramatic; and the little Irish song which he sang as an encore was charmingly done.

It is gratifying to see the response with which Mr. McIntyre's concerts are meeting. He has uncompromisingly set the very best as his standard, both as regards performers and programme. If these concerts become a fixture, as it is hoped that they may, they will be not only the source of great enjoyment, but also of great educative value to the musiclovers of this city. At the next concert, the last of the present series, which will be given at the Casino, Marsh 22, it is likely that Mr. McIntyre himself will be heard as a soloist. Last night's programme was as follows:

Beethoven—Sonata in A for 'cello and piano, Allegro, Scherro, Adagio-Allegro Vivace; Tschaikowsky—"Pilgrim's Song;" Foote—"On the Way to Kew;" Damrosch, "Danny Deever;" Mendelssohn—"Violin Concerto;" Andante; Finale; Mendelssohn—Aria, "It Is Enough," from "Elijah," (with 'cello obligato arranged by Mr. Dubinsky); Dvorak—Trio, Op. 90.

MISS EMMA L. WOLFE A FEBRUARY BRIDE.

She Becomes Mrs. Peter V. Stroble at Quiet Ceremony.

Miss Emma Louise Wolfe, daughter of Amada Wolfe, of West End avenue, was quietly married last night to Peter V. Stroble, of Easton, Pa. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, performed the ceremony at the bride's home in the presence of a small gathering of immediate relatives and intimate friends.

Miss Wolfe was unattended and was gowned in a pretty creation of white Brussels net over white silk, trimmed with point lace. She wore a large picture hat and carried a shower bouquet of roses. Her travelling gown was of gray broad cloth.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held during which Mr. and Mrs. Stroble were congratulated by the gathering and a supper was served. The bride and groom left later for a trip through the New England States and on returning will make their home at Easton, the former being an engineer on the New Jersey Central. Mrs. Stroble is a trained nurse and has been practicing her profession in Plainfield for several years. Both she and her husband are popular among a large circle of acquaintances as attested by numerous handsome presents which they received.

Endeavorers' Anniversary.

A special service celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Christian Endeavor Society will be held at the Congregational church Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. The programme of exercises prepared by the United Society will be used. There will be instrumental music and vocal selections by a quartette comprising Messrs. Tallamy, E. E. Runyon and Morris C .VanArsdale

Y. M. C. A. Directors Elect.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. last night, the following officers were elected: President, Joseph W. Gavett; vice president, George M. Rittenhouse; secretary, Albert B. Beers; treasurer, Curtis M. Thorp. The finance committee submitted its budget for the year and it was accepted by the board.

Mid-Year Exams.

The mid-year examinations will be held at the Plainfield High School commencing on Monday and continuing up to and including Wednesday. The examination of subjects in the fourth and first periods will be held on Monday, those of the third and fifth periods on Tuesday and the second and sixth periods on Wednesday.

Visitor From Cuba.

Mrs. Arthur Lee, of Santiago, Cuba, accompanied by her daughter, is spending several weeks in this city. They are staying with friends.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

Foe of Political Corruptionists to be Guest of Honor at The American Banquet.

GOV. STOKES MAY COME

Governor Invited — Assemblyman Tucker to Be Another Speaker —No Politics in the Affair.

Senator Everett Colby will be the principal speaker at the "Junior American banquet" to be held at the Casino on Thursday night, March 1. This was announced last night by the joint committee from Franklin and Benevolent councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., under whose auspices it will be held. It is also expected that Governor Stokes will attend, while acceptances have been received from Assemblyman Everard Tucker and the State Council officers of the order.

In reply to the invitation asking him to speak at the banquet the committee received this letter from Senator Colby:

"Newark, N. J., Jan. 31, 1906.

"My Dear Sirs:—I am in receipt of your very kind letter of January 27, and accept with much pleasure the invitation to speak at the Jr. O. U. A. M. banquet at Plainfield on March 1.

"Very truly yours,
"EVERETT COLBY."

The committee in charge of the banquet states that politics are not to play any part in the affair, that the efforts to bring the Senator here were begun long before the Board of Trade planned its banquet. It is also stated that not only Mr. Colby, but Governor Stokes and all others invited to speak here are members of the order and that it is for the purpose of arousing greater enthusiasm among the members that the event is planned. It is proposed to make it an annual gathering and have prominent speakers present.

About fifty per cent. of the tickets now in the hands of the committee will be offered the public outside of the order, and the price has been fixed at $2 each. They can be secured from A. D. Honeyman, chairman, or any of the following members of the committee: Harry C. Runyon, secretary; T. E. Currin, Jr., treasurer; Ephraim Compton, Alfred A. Tranchant and John G. Bicknell.

Senator Colby will be allowed to select his own subject for the occasion and he will undoubtedly talk about something of especial interest to the order, as well as other matters in general. He will inform the committee within a short time as to his subject. The toastmaster has not yet been decided upon, but his name will be announced in a few days. While Governor Stokes has not signified his intention of being present, the committee hope for a favorable reply to the invitation.

While arrangements were being made with Senator Colby to come here, he was asked whether the recent action of the Board of Trade would influence him in his decision. He replied that it would not, that as regards that affair he was not asked, neither did he ask to speak at the Board of Trade banquet, and he could not understand why the mention of his name as a speaker for that occasion should have caused such a discussion. Mr. Colby is a member of the Orange Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., and takes a lively interest in its affairs.

Will Consider Religious Life.

For the purpose of meeting and conferring with Fred B. Smith concerning the religious life and work of the local Y. M. C. A., a dinner will be held at the association building on Friday night, February 9, at 6:30 o'clock. Mr. Smith is the International Secretary for Religious Work of the Y. M. C. A. and has recently returned from a trip to England, India and Australia, which was made in the interest of the religious work of the association. In the large cities of these countries he was greeted by great and enthusiastic audiences of men. A nominal fee will be charged per plate for the dinner and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

Death of Mrs. William Craig.

Mrs. Cornelia F. Craig, wife of William Craig, died at her home, 314 Monroe avenue, this morning, following a short illness. She was twenty-three years old and is survived by a husband and an infant child. The funeral services will be held from the late residence Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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50c Men's fancy Socks, fine cotton and lisle silk embroidered, all sizes 9½ to 11 - - **25c**
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1.25 to 1.50 Ladies' Muslin Gowns Drawers, Skirts and Corset Covers, lace and emb trimmed in a great variety of styles, for **79c**

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50c Ladies' Muslin Night Gowns **39c**
35c Ladies' Muslin Drawers, tucked and ruffled **25c**
19c Ladies' Low Neck Sleeveless Vests .. **12½c**
5c Card Pearl Buttons for **3c**
5c Cakes Soap **3c**
9c Spool Silk, 100 yard spools **6c**
69c Corsets, straight front, all sizes **39c**
39c Outing Flannel Under Skirts **25c**
$1.00 to $1.50 Ladies' House Wrappers, sizes 32 and 34 ..... **50c**
$1.50 Ladies' Fleece Lined Jersey Ribbed Union Suits **98c**
19c Ladies' Hand Made Turnover Collars, two for **25c**
15c Bead Neck Laces, assorted colors **10c**
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18c 30-inch Fine India Linon for **12½c**

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50c Men's fleeced lined gray Underwear, drawers and shirts, all sizes **39c**

19c 27-inch Dotted Swiss for **12½c**
15c to 20c Edgings and Insertions for **8c**
50c Fancy Wool Dress Goods, 38-inch **29c**
6½c Standard Apron Ginghams for **5c**
$1.25 Men's Fancy Madras Shirts, all sizes.. **75c**
$1.00 Men's Sateen Night Shirts **49c**
75c Men's Unlaundered Shirts, all sizes **49c**
69c Men's Sweaters.... **39c**
7c S. H. & M. Velveteen Binding colors, yd.... **5c**
12½c Huck Towels, 18x36 ..... **8c**
15c Bath Towels 20x40 ..... **10c**
25c Damask and Huck Towels, also Bath Towels **19c**

$10.00 Ladies' Wool Suits. About 15 to be sold Saturday at **$1.98**
$6.50 Ladies' Skirts. About 20 to be sold Saturday at **$1.49**
20c Misses' Hose, fine and coarse weave **15c**
15c Ladies' Black Hose, white feet **10c**
49c Laundry Wash Boards **39c**
$1.98 9-piece Toilet Sets, decorated.... **$1.69**
75c H'vy Clothes Baskets, Nos. 1, 2, 3 ..... **59c**
5c 800-sheet Toilet Paper, 7 for **25c**
98c Cedar Wash Tubs, size No. 2, for **79c**
45c Table Tumblers, 10-ounce size **29c**
19c Ladies' Pat Leather Belts, red and black **12½c**
20c Dress Shields, fair and square **13c**
10c Glass Toweling **5c**
10c 4-4 Hill Bleached Muslin **7½c**
50c Blankets, all white.. **35c**

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The electric lights on Park avenue in the darkest places have been turned from the roadway and now hang over the sidewalk, which is a decided improvement, as neither pedestrians or drivers had much benefit from their being hung under the limbs as it neither lighted the roadway or sidewalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Gere, of Brooklyn, former residents of this place, will remove back to town this spring, having rented one of Henry C. Meyers' cottages on Westfield avenue.

William Johnston and family have removed from the Hetfield property on Front street to the Cook property on Westfield avenue, formerly occupied by Frederick Clark and family.

The women of All Saints' Episcopal church hold a cake and valentine sale tomorrow afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. C. B. Loomis, in the borough.

Clifford Noble has entirely recovered from a light attack of scarletina and the quarantine on the house has been removed.

Rev. T. Moore-Smith will have charge of the weekly prayer and praise service tonight at the Baptist church.

Mrs. H. Hand, of East Sixth street, has been visiting her sister, Miss Mary Coles, of East Front street.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., held a well attended meeting last night in the library rooms.

John Alberts is around again after an illness of a week, which at one time threatened pneumonia.

"Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots" will be the attraction tonight at the New Plainfield theatre.

Miss Laura Housel, of this city, has been visiting her parents at Neshanic Station.

Alonzo B. Conant, formerly of this city, but now of Chicago, has been visiting his father, A. G. Conant, of Watchung avenue. He will go to Deadwood, South Dakota, before returning home.

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$18 Overcoats, -	13.50	$16 Suits, - -	13.50
$20 Overcoats, -	14.50	$18 Suits, - -	14.50
$22 Overcoats, -	16.50	$19 Suits, - -	15.50
$25 Overcoats, -	19.00	$20 Suits, - -	16.50
$30 Overcoats, -	24.00	$22 Suits, - -	18.50
$35 Overcoats, -	27.75	$25 Suits, - -	19.50

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Betts, of the borough, were recent visitors among friends at Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chamberlain, of Somerville, have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Thorne, of this city.

Miss Helen Armstrong and Miss Caroline R. Moore, of the borough, are visiting Miss Armstrong's uncle, Judge Armstrong, of Philadelphia.

Miss May VanFleet, of East Third street, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bauer, of Somerville.

Miss Lulu Randolph, of West Eighth street, has returned from a visit with friends at New Haven, Conn.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, of Park avenue, has returned from Williams College, where he has been spending several days.

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20 Stamps Free with 3 cans Royal Blue Corn a can 10c	20 Stamps Free with 3 cans Harvest Gem Peas a can 12c	20 Stamps Free with 3 lb. box Laundry Starch a box 20c	20 Stamps Free with 3 large rolls Toilet Paper 25c

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Armour's Potted Ham or Tongue, a can.....3½c	Dates, stuffed with assorted nuts, 25c kind, box 19c
Shredded Codfish, a package 4c	American Mixed Candy (10c kind), lb..... 7c
Best Elgin Creamery Butter, lb.....28c	Juicy Messina Lemons, dozen 15c
Swift's Lard, lb 8c	Grape Juice (25c kind), a bottle 19c

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1 bottle Vanilla Extract 15c	3 lb. can Syrup 15c	Fig Bars, lb 12c
1 bottle Lemon Extract 15c	1 package Macaroni 10c	Graham Crackers, lb 12c
1 package Farina 10c	1 bottle Scheuer's Catsup 13c	2 packages Cracker Jack 10c
1 package Hasty Tapioca 10c	1 bottle Horse Radish.....10c	Chocolate Creams, lb 15c
3 lb. package Rice 20c	1 bottle Vanilla 15c	Cocoanut Bon Bons, lb 12c
2 lb. package Rolled Oats 10c	1 can Baked Beans 10c	French Mixed Candy, lb 12c
1 large pkg Wash. Powder...10c	1 can Pumpkin 10c	Royals, lb 13c
1 package Parlor Matches ..12c	1 can Beets 12c	Cocoa Brittle, lb 13c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing.10c	1 can Stringless Beans 12c	

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Trenton Prepared Ham, lb 16c	Sugar Cured Boneless Bacon (strip), lb.....14c
Lean Salt Pork, lb 10c	Fresh Killed Turkeys, Roasting Chickens and Young Fowl.
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Lamb for stewing 4c	

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Children's Dresses and Little Folks' Coats

This is the time for a liberal cutting of prices and these dresses and coats for girls do not escape, worthy though they be.

345 Dresses and Coats have been marked for speedy exit—and we have never yielded profits more gracefully than in the pricing of this lot. Mothers of girls will have a bargain feast they should enjoy tomorrow.

Girls' Dresses—Many styles, but not many of any one style—in popular Russian effects; the materials embrating cheviots and cashmeres, in a good array of colors and including a number of pretty plaids; for girls of 4 to 14 years; former prices $4 to $6.98; special selling price

$2.50

Little Girls' Full Length Coats—In various effective styles; not many of a kind; materials including plain cloths and cheviots in many colors, and handsome velvets; for girls of 4 and 5 years only; former prices $4.50 to $7.98—special selling price.

Plenty of Sample Skirts

We are not given to buying or exploiting meagre lots of garments. We prefer the bigger purchases, because then we can satisfy our great army of patrons. This sample skirt purchase is an example of our liberal buying as well as generous selling.

No better made skirt than these. They come from a maker standing high in the trade. We are lucky to get them. They are made in

Circular, Plaited and Trimmed Styles, of superior quality of fabrics, including such favorites as

Fine Voiles, Moire, Taffeta, Crepe de Chine, Chiffon Voile, Mohair, Brilliantine, Covert Cloth, Broadcloth and Mixtures. Colors are—Black, Blue, Tan and White.

Some especially beautiful ones trimmed with taffeta, moire, braid and tailor straps. There are a number of charming effects in white—just in time for that Southern trip! Choose from these five groups at prices that mean the biggest kind of savings to you!

GROUP ONE	GROUP TWO	GROUP THREE	GROUP FOUR	GROUP FIVE
$3	$4.50	$6.50	$8.50	$10.50
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Fine Suits and Coats Half Price and Less

A collection of our finer suits for women's wear which have been among the laggards; splendidly tailored; made of Broadcloth, Voile, Panama and Cheviot; in long coat, blouse and Eton styles; some with the new circular skirts; suits that have been $29.50 to $55.00; grouped in one big lot for Saturday buyers to be sold at only **$15**

Spring Shirt Waist Suits of handsome moire in pretty colors—wine, green, gray, reseda, blue, brown and black and some in neat checks; with gored circular plaited skirts; newest of 1906 models; all sizes from 34 to 44; suits that should naturally sell at double the price we ask for this lot..... **12.50**

Extraordinary Prices on Women's Coats

Lot 1—Women's Coats—broken lines; a few of one kind; a few of another; Short Coverts, Broadcloths and Cheviots; Tourist Coats of Mixed Tweed; regular prices $8.50 to $12.50; to go at the puny price of **$3**

Lot 2—Women's Coats of Kersey, Cheviot, Covert and Mixtures, in long tight-fitting and loose effects; not many of any one kind; plums worth picking; $12.50 to $22.00 garments for only **$7**

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Appropriate Clothing

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A great tumble in prices—Splendid bargain pickups.

Boys' Suits, of fancy cheviots and tweeds; Norfolk and double breasted styles, 9 to 16 year sizes; **Boys' Tourist Overcoats,** 9 to 6 year sizes; **Boys' Russian Overcoats,** 3 to 16 year sizes; broken lines of our regular $4 and $5 suits, reduced for a quick clearance to the very low price of.....**2.95**

Boys' Norfolk and Double Breasted Suits, 9 to 16 year sizes; **Boys' Russian and Tourist Overcoats,** 3 to 16 year sizes, in plain and fancy effects; **Boys' Russian and Sailor Suits,** of serge and fancy cheviots, sizes 3 to 9 years; all well made and stylish garments, but broken sizes of our regular $5.50 to $7.50 grades; now reduced for a quick and certain clearance to **3.95**

Young Men's Suits and Overcoats, sizes 15 to 19 years; suits are of cheviots and tweeds; single and double-breasted styles; overcoats are of Oxford and black frieze; odds and ends of our $8, $9 and $10 assortments that we wish to clear out without delay, therefore the price has been cut for Saturday to just **5.00**

Young Men's Suits and Overcoats, 15 to 20 year sizes, the balance of our $15, $18 and $20 Winter stocks, made of a good quality of worsteds, cheviots, Thibets and cassimeres; carefully tailored throughout; stylish, durable and comfortable, and all big bargains at our special clearance price of.....**9.75**

Final Clearance Sale of Women's, Misses' and Children's Garments

at half and less than half.

We have very few of our Winter coats and suits left now. The selling season is about over, while the wearing season has some two or three months yet to run. For a quick and certain clean up we have reduced the price of these garments to half and less than half former sale prices. As space will not permit of a description of the various styles, so we have grouped the garments into five different lots and have priced them as follows:

25 Women's Coats, worth $15 and more, now **7.50**

30 Women's Suits, worth $16.50 and more, now **7.50**

20 Women's Coats, worth $18.50 and more, now **10.00**

18 Children's Coats, worth $8.50 and more, now **5.00**

23 Children's Coats, worth $12.50 and more, now **7.50**

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Good Saturday News of New Garments.

New $15.00 to $20.00 Coats—Selling fast, and is it any wonder, with such values as these; you have paid $20.00 for a coat many a time not as good as these; excellent cheviot; collarless models, beautifully trimmed at neck with silk velvet and silk braids; loose fitting, requires no fitting; sizes 34 to 44; 48 inches long at **10.00**

Separate Skirts—Without doubt we are showing five times as many as any other store in Newark, all new not odds and ends or broken sizes; but full lines; light and medium grays; fancy Panamas and Lymansville cheviot; black and navy; several good styles—some with folds at bottom, others plain, panel front and back **5.00**

New Spring Suits—Stylish fitted Eton of fancy light mixtures; piped with plain broadcloth and machine stitched; pretty sleeve, shirred at armhole; gracefully hanging circular skirt, pleated front, wide bias band around bottom; a little beauty and a value of surpassing goodness at **24.50**

New Spring Skirts—Panel front, high kilt effect; double stitched pleat over hips; cluster pleated gores; high grade Panamas, in blue and black; $5.00 would not be high for these skirts; indeed, compared to others about town $5.00 would seem low—therefore a real bargain at **3.98**

Saturday---Last Day These Women's 2.50 to 3.00 Shoes at - - - - - - - $1.69

A GREAT SALE—It has made many women better off in purse and satisfaction, and should continue to do so up to the last moment, for few shoe bargains have been so far-reaching—shoes so good, styles so desirable, range of sizes so comprehensive. Indeed, we back every pair with our guarantee, as though you paid the full value—$2.50 to $3.00.

Kid, Box Calf, Patent Leather, lace and button—plenty of the popular sizes, a little low on 4½ and 5½—enough of all the rest—2½ to 8; new round toe last, medium military heel.

Be Sure to Buy Saturday—You will not regret it—many women have bought one pair and then come back for more. Profit by their experience and buy a good supply; $2.50 to $3.00 shoes at **$1.69.**

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Lipton's Condition.

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Beginning today we shall close all our Trousers out at about half price. Sizes from 30 waist to 50 waist; lengths from 30 to 36. A chance for you to secure a good warm pair for a small figure; on exhibition in our window. **CLOTHING TO ORDER.**

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are our Iron Bedsteads. They are built of iron, heavily coated with white enamel, with brass trimmed ornaments. Their equals cannot be found anywhere in town.

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4½c—Special lot bleached Crash Toweling, extra wide width, regular price 6c yard.

4½c—Special lot of Cotton Huck Toweling, a genuine bargain, regular value 7c yard.

9c—Special lot of extra heavy Outing Flannels, good assortment of patterns, regular value 11c yard.

10c—Special lot of Flannelettes, extra width, good assortment of patterns, regular 12½c yard.

50c—Special lot of bleached and unbleached Sheets, reg. value 59c yd.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

We are offering our line of trimmed and untrimmed millinery at prices reduced below cost to close out. Anyone examining this line will be surprised at the prices our goods are marked. Special values in Children's Hats.

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Enameled Ware, Tinware, Wooden Ware, Clothes Baskets, Clothes Pins 10c per hundred, Wash Lines, Wringers, Tubs, Washing Machines, etc.

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Assorted Chocolates and Bon Bons	23c	Assorted Nut Caramels	19c
Molasses Mixture	14c	Our goods are strictly pure and made on the premises fresh every day. Ice cream delivered at all times.	
Peanut Squares	14		

Don't Forget!

When you are looking for Gloves that we have them in all kinds—lined and unlined. A large variety to choose from.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 2, 1906.

Senator Colby will receive a cordial welcome when he comes here to address his fellow lodge members at the "American banquet." He may rest assured of that. And when he comes at a later date to speak to the people of Plainfield on the vital issues confronting the State of New Jersey he will be greeted in a way that will make known throughout the State that the majority of people in this city want equal taxation and limited franchises and do not want party bossism.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Richard Mansfield recently played a week's engagement at the Academy, Baltimore, during which the receipts were $17,000.

Willie Collier, who comes here a week from tomorrow in "On The Quiet," drew crowded houses all last week at the Princess theatre, Toronto, Ont.

Pittsburg is to have a hippodrome, similar in every way to New York's big amusement enterprise. It will be erected by Thompson & Dundy for a company capitalized to take it over and run it.

Walter Sherwin, the young Plainfielder, is again to return to his home town in a play. He has the role of "Shylock," the leading part in "The Holy City," which comes to the local theatre next Thursday night. It is said to give him a better opportunity to display his ability than did the lead in "The Life That Kills."

Manager Counihan's theatrical experience has not been confined to box office affairs. He has managed companies on the road and spent two seasons in Europe with the Barnum & Bailey show, handling one of the advertising cars. He also had charge of all the concessions on The Pike during the St. Louis exposition.

The theatrical offerings during the week beginning February 12 will be the greatest array that Plainfielders have ever had to select from. On Monday the attraction booked is "The School Girl;" on Tuesday, Richard Carle in "The Mayor of Tokio;" Wednesday, James K. Hackett and Mary Mannering in one of their latest successes; Thursday night, the local Elks' big minstrel jubilee; Friday night, "Under Southern Skies;" Saturday night, held for a strong melodrama. There isn't another city of this size in the State that can beat the list.

High School for Dunellen.

The Board of Education of Dunellen is planning to give the pupils of the borough some form of secondary education. At present the pupils must pay for a high school course themselves after their sixteenth year. The State law says the children must be educated up to their eighteenth year, and the Dunellen board has awakened to the fact that it must give the pupils a full four years' course beyond the grammar school or risk the loss of State school moneys.

Granting Teachers Certificates.

The Union County Board of Examiners met at Elizabeth, this morning, for the purpose of granting certificates to teachers who meet the requirements. Very few persons appeared before the board today. The session will be continued tomorrow.

Will Build Two Houses.

Alexander Maynard, of Hunter avenue, has purchased two lots on that street and will build two dwellings. Ground will be broken for the buildings very shortly. It is hoped to have them ready for occupancy by May 1.

Plainfielders Attend Reception.

Several Plainfielders attended the reception given last night to Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes by the members of his congregation in Jersey City.

American Steam Laundry

H. W. Marshall, Proprietor

122 East Front Street

Lace Curtains from 40 cents per pair up. We handle them carefully and return promptly.

Collars and Cuffs 2 cents each.

Our wagons are painted GREEN.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

J. Henry Crane will lead the Young People's Society meeting at the First Baptist church tonight.

There will be a business and social meeting of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church in Vincent chapel tonight.

Dr. B. VanD. Hedges will lead the Young People's Society meeting at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tonight.

Services will be held in English at St. Peter's German Lutheran church, Grove street, Sunday. There will be a preaching service at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. Sunday-school at 8:30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church is arranging to give a valentine supper at the church on Wednesday, February 14. There was a meeting of the committee yesterday to complete arrangements for the affair.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—The Somerset County Board of Freeholders will meet at Somerville on Tuesday, February 6.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Dixon have given up housekeeping and are now boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Stevens on West Front street, opposite Liberty street.

—All of the private rooms at Muhlenberg Hospital are now engaged and the men and women wards are well occupied with patients. During the past few weeks there have been an unusual number of operations.

FIRE AT IROQUOIS.

Employe Strikes a Match and Brisk Blaze Results.

A slight fire was caused in the annex to the Iroquois Hotel dining room, last night, by an employe striking a match. It communicated to some inflammable material on the floor and a brisk blaze was quickly in evidence. An alarm was sent in to fire headquarters but the flames were extinguished with pails of water before the department arrived.

The warning was given by Proprietor Leary, who ran to the fire house and Assistant Chief Jennings turned in box 13 from his office. Only one round was given.

Y. M. C. A. Bowlers Win.

The Y. M. C. A. bowling five won three straight games from the Saturday Night Bowling Club of Westfield last night by good margins.

Elliott Is Held.

William Elliott, arrested yesterday under a charge of passing a worthless check for $1, was held for the Grand Jury by Justice Mosher.

Maze Edwards Lessee and Mgr.

CASINO

W. Seventh St. and Arlington Avenue.

Engagements for Concerts, Lectures, Readings, Recitals, Receptions, Dances, Dinners Bowling Alleys Meetings, etc., can be arranged on application as above.

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MEN! A WORD WITH YOU.

This cold weather may last a month Are you prepared for it? Do you need warm underwear? If so, buy now There is every probability of higher prices for next season Old prices still hold good and the stock is full Take our advice and buy now, although you may not need the goods until next season.

Root's "Tivoli" Underwear, made of Australian wool and camel's hair. Beautiful, warm, elastic, perfect fitting garments at moderate prices.

Prices—1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00.

To men who can't wear wool, we recommend the Utica Fleece Lined Derby Ribbed garments. Excellent garments at **50c.**

We have warm gloves of every kind suitable for every purpose. Gloves for Drivers, Teamsters, Motormen, Mechanics, Laborers, etc. Myers', Dent's and Fownes' Kids for street wear. White Gloves for evening wear.

At 2 pairs for 25c—Some natty styles in fancy Socks. About as effective as the 25c goods. Only enough for Saturday's selling.

At 2 for 25c—Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs.

At 5c each—Extra good Hemstitched Cambric Handkerchiefs.

The popular "Easy" Braces—**25c pair.**

OUR NEW 50c SHIRTS.

The new goods now here. We know them to be the best we have yet shown. In variety, style, fit and general appearance they are unrivalled. By all means see them now while the showing is at its best. Light and dark colors Cuffs attached or detached.

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It is universally acknowleged that we are headquarters for what is newest and best in Men's Neckwear. Probably no house in the State shows a larger or more varied assortment. Enormous sales keep the stock fresh and bright.

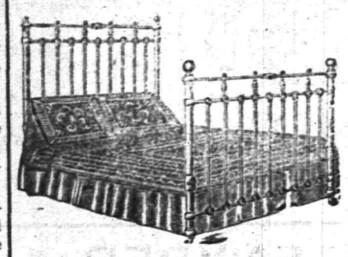
MEN'S FLANNELETTE NIGHT SHIRTS 39c.

These are the regular 50c goods. We are overstocked—you may profit by our indiscretion.

We show excellent Domet Pajamas in good patterns at **1.00 per suit.**

A small lot, perhaps 20 dozens, Men's Black Wool Socks at **15c pair.** You will be asked 25c for same grade in most places.

The well known Way Mufflers, **50c each.**



Sale of Sample Beds.

These beds are from one of the largest and best factories in the country and are about 25 per cent under price. Every bed is fully guaranteed against breaking.

Regular 9.50 Beds for ..... 6.98 Regular 12.50 Beds for 9.50
Regular 15.00 Beds for ..... 12.50 Regular 19.50 Beds for 15.00

Sale of Elastic Felt Mattresses at 6.50 instead of 9.50.

These Matresses were bought for the January Sale, but have just arrived, and to clear them out quickly we have priced them as above. They are made of good quality felt, full 40 pounds and covered with an extra grade of ticking

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These Tables have beautiful quartered oak tops, very finely polished, with heavy carved legs.

ROUND TABLES.		SQUARE TABLES.	
Reg. Price.	Sale Price.	Reg. Price.	Sale Price.
18.75	now 14.98	16.98	now 13.75
23.50	now 18.50	18.75	now 14.98
25.00	now 19.50	20.00	now 16.50
26.50	now 21.50	23.50	now 18.50

SALE OF DINING-ROOM CHAIRS.

Made of solid oak stock, very strong and durably finished, with cane seat and brace arms.

Reg. Price.	Sale Price.		
1.50	now 1.25	98c Kitchen Chairs	69c
1.78	now 1.50	2.00 Oak Rockers	1.50
2.50	now 1.98	1.78 Oak Rockers	1.29
2.98	now 2.25	3.98 Reed Rockers	1.98
		10.00 Morris Chairs	7.50

THE SALE OF SAMPLE COUCHES.

4.25—Regular 6.50 Couches.
9.25—Regular 12.50 Couches.
6.98—Regular 9.00 Couches.
12.98—Regular 16.50 Couches.
5.98—Regular 8.00 Couches.
10.98—Regular 15.00 Couches.
7.98—Regular 10.50 Couches.
14.98—Regular 19.50 Couches.

THE SALE OF BED OUTFITS.

A Saving of 25 per cent.

5.98—Regular 8.50.
6.98—Regular 9.50.
7.98—Regular 10.50
9.98—Regular 12.50.
11.98—Regular 15.50.
13.98—Regular 18.50

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Two receptions will be given each week. Notice will be given later as to the days. Next dance

SATURDAY NIGHT.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

The concert of the Sagamore Banjo, Guitar, Mandolin and Violin Club, of Plainfield, at the Presbyterian church last night was a great success. The programme was a delightful one, and the audience was large. The club was assisted by Miss Aimee Louise Emmons, elocutionist, and Joseph Martin, bass. The entertainment was held under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E.

W. E. Davis is one of the very few people in Dunellen who knows Bob Fitzsimmons personally—if indeed, there is anybody else here who does. Mr. Davis bowled with Fitz in a Connecticut club one night. He says the pugilist is a splendid man personally, whole-souled and unaffected.

The diseased foot of Mrs. Stanley Day was amputated Wednesday by Dr. Platt. The operation was successful and her recovery is now looked for. It is expected that she will be able to be about in a few weeks.

Candlemas Day was observed by St. John's R. C. church this morning. Mass was celebrated at 7:30 o'clock, Rev. Father Dunphy officiating. A feature of the service was the blessing of the candles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Randolph entertained the Married Couples' Card Club last night. Four tables were in service. The meeting was an unusually pleasant one. Refreshments followed the play.

Coal thieves have been unusually active at West Dunellen along the Lehigh lately. The railroad detectives are watching this district sharply and several arrests are impending.

Robert Lowrie was ninety-three years old yesterday. He observed the anniversary quietly. Mr. Lowrie is still in good health, and is, so to speak, within reach of a century.

The annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Baptist church will be held this afternoon. The mite box will be opened.

The delinquent tax list will be published next week. The list is practically completed now. It will be larger than usual.

Old residenters are looking for the groundhog today. This is the day Br'er Woodchuck comes out to flirt with his shadow.

John B. Eick, whose transfer from the borough station was reported Tuesday, is now stationed at Whitehouse.

Engineer F. R. Wynkoop has a new fireman—W. S. Wilson, of Phillipsburg. Mr. Wilson will live here.

The Father Lights Missionary Society will meet tomorrow afternoon at the Baptist church.

Miss Elizabeth Herlich entertained the Young People's Card Club yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peddie are happy over the arrival of a young son.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Grieb will shortly move to Plainfield.

Friendship Circle, D. of L., met last night.

Additional suburban news on page two.

PERSONAL.

James Smith, of Elmwood place, has been visiting friends near Boston for several weeks.

Mrs. George Saums, of West Front street, is much improved from a recent severe illness.

Mrs. William Abbott, of West Eighth street, is slowly convalescing from a severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Pilger, of East Front street, are the parents of twins, a boy and a girl, who came to their home a few days ago.

Mrs. Blanche Randolph, of Central avenue, who is spending part of the winter with her sisters at Atlantic City, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Judson Bonnell, of East Front street.

—If you want anything, advertise in The Daily Press.

Randolph's Corn Cure.

Why suffer longer with corns when Randolph's famous Corn Cure is within easy reach?

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GETTING BIGGER BOILERS.

New Ones Being Placed in Water Company's Pumping Station.

The first of three new boilers made by Tippett & Wood, of Phillipsburg, is being installed at the pumping station of the Plainfield Water Supply Company on North avenue, today. It was removed from the freight house by William Hand & Sons. The boiler weighs ten tons and is of 150 horsepower. These new boilers will replace the old ones. All are of the same size and horse-power.

Early in May a new pump of increased capacity will be installed at the station, which, with the one now in use, will be able to pump 6,000,000 gallons of water daily. This new pump will replace two old ones which have had fifteen years service.

WILLIAM ALPAUGH'S FUNERAL.

Odd Fellows Conduct Burial Service at Hillside Cemetery.

The funeral of William Alpaugh was held from his late home on East Third street, yesterday afternoon, with Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss in charge. The attendance was very large and included delegations from Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., and Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R. At Hillside cemetery, where interment was made, the Odd Fellow burial service was conducted by Chaplain Charles M. Raybert.

The pall bearers were Abram Wade, J. R. Clarkson, John H. Cose, Joseph Kingston, W. C. Smith and David Weaver.

Married at Parsonage.

Miss Caroline Lason, of Westfield, and Peter Lason, of Perth Amboy, were quietly married by Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck at his home last night. The young couple will make their home in Perth Amboy, where the groom is employed.

Colored People's Society.

William A. Hewlette, of Cranford, formerly of Petersburg, Va., will lecture in the Calvary Baptist church, Wednesday night, February 7, on the subject of "The Right Note," under the auspices of the Wallace Memorial Literary Society.

New Plainfield Theatre
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9198	Will You Love Me in December as You Do in May (Song)	Harry MacDonough
9199	God Be with You till We Meet Again	Anthony and Harrison
9200	It's a Good World After All (Song)	Bob Roberts
9201	Blue Jackets March	Edison Military Band
9202	Daddy's Little Girl (Song)	Byron G. Harlan
9203	College Life March (Whistling)	Joe Belmont
9204	Lazy Moon (Song)	Billy Murray
9205	Ghost of the Mayor Overture	Edison Symphony Orchestra
9206	'Neath the Spreading Chestnut Tree (Song)	Irving Gillette
9207	Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms (Song)	Marie Narelle
9208	Pocahontas (Song)	Edward M. Favor
9209	Titania, Air de Ballet	Edison Concert Band
9210	Is Everybody Happy? (Song)	Madge Maitland
9211	Robinson Crusoe's Isle (Song)	Arthur Collins
9212	My Mother's Old Red Shawl (Song)	MacDonough and Bickling
9213	The Chaser March (Xylophone)	Albert Benzler
9214	Save Your Money, 'Cause de Winter Am Coming On (Song)	Clarice Vance
9215	The Original Cohens	Ada Jones and Len Spencer
9216	Song of the Steeple	Edison Male Quartette
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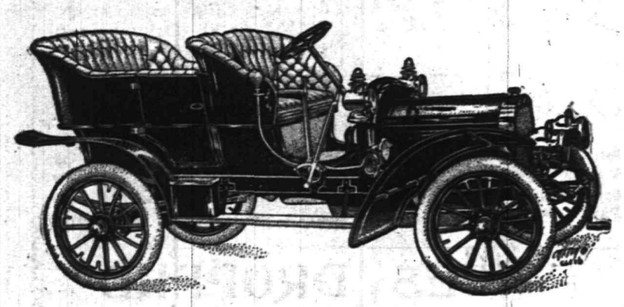

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Thursday and Friday Evenings,
February 1 and 2,
in the Lecture Room of the Church.
Supper served from 6 to 9.
Tickets, including supper, 35 cents. 1 27 6

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Concluding with the
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On the evening of
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Professional and home talent combined.
Tickets $1.00, at Armstrong's and Randolph's Drug Stores. Given for the benefit of the music fund of Holy Cross Church.
2 2 4

EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscribers, executors of Michael Nugent, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of March next.
Dated, January 29, 1906.
MARY NUGENT.
EDWARD MAHER.
John H. VanWinkle & Son, Proctors.
2 2 oaw 5

Auction Notice!

Latourette, the Auctioneer, has removed from 322 West Front street to 326 West Front, and is ready to wait on his patrons with pleasure. He has on hand a good line of second-hand Furniture that can be bought at low prices. Come and see for yourself and you will be more than repaid. All other sales promptly attended to.

P. H. LATOURETTE, Auctioneer.

CARD OF THANKS.

At the meeting of the Executive Board of the King's Daughters held February 1, it was unanimously agreed to take this method to extend a vote of thanks to all those who so generously assisted them at the opening of the Day Nursery.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, substituted administrator with the will annexed of Michael F. Marcley, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of March next.
Dated, January 31, 1906.
EUGENE M. LAING.
Codington & Swackhamer, Proctors.
2 2 oaw 5

Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor of Faith chapel, is convalescing from an attack of tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Townsend, who were recently married in Norway, and who are now on their way home, are expected to arrive here tomorrow on the Steamer Minneapolis.

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Tel. call 2214. Westfield Trolley passes my office.

DIED.

CRAIG—At Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 1, 1906, Mrs. Cornelia F. Craig, wife of William Craig, aged 23 years, 7 months, 1 day.

Funeral services at her late residence, 314 Monroe avenue, on Sunday, February 4, at 2:30 p. m. 2 2 2

POSSIEN—On Wednesday, January 31, 1906, Jeanne M., widow of Joseph L. Possien, aged 48 years, 9 months, 15 days.

Funeral service at her late residence, Mt. Bethel, on Saturday, February 3, at 2 p. m.

CORIELL—At New Market, N. J., January 31, 1906, Abner S. Coriell, aged 85 years, 2 months, 20 days.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral service at his late residence, on Saturday, Feb. 3, at 2 p. m. 2 1 2

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

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Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Before April 1, house about 7 or 8 rooms; all improvements; select neighborhood; state rent. Address Responsible, care Press. 2 2 2

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 tf

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 1146 Dunellen avenue. 1 31 3

WANTED — First-class chambermaid; good references. Call Thursday, after 5 o'clock, 503 Stelle avenue. 1 31 tf

WANTED—Stair builders or men to work on stairs; steady work to good men. Inquire of W. J. Boehm, No. 1066 Magnolia avenue, Elizabeth, N. J. 2 1 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Inquire 945 Central Ave. 2 1 3

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. Mrs. G. G. Davidge, 12 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—A sober, industrious, young white man to take care of horses and make himself generally useful around store. Apply No. 187 North avenue. 1 25 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; small family; reference required. 1042 Dunellen avenue, near Albert St. 2 2 2

FEMALE HELP WANTED—Experienced lace-runners and operators on white skirt bodies. Edward Kapp, 121 Prince street, New York city. 2 2

BOY wanted in office of manufacturing concern; state age, experience, etc. P. S., Press office. 2 2 2

Help Wanted.

WANTED — Experienced grocery clerk; good wages to right party. P. J. Windfeldt, 133 and 135 Broad St., Westfield. 2 1 3

WANTED—Competent chambermaid and waitress (white). Apply 34 Rockview avenue. 1 31 3

Miscellaneous.

U NEED IT—Nash's $5.00 Pea Coal. 1 30 10

FOR FLORIDA and the South, the Clyde Line is direct and offers superior service and accommodations. Tickets and full information at office, No. 197 North Avenue, William D. Thickstun, agent. 1 19 1mo

MASSAGE, general and facial, scalp treatment a specialty; manicuring. 1121 Putnam Ave. 1 22 1mo

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BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St tf

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THE highest cash price paid for house hold goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second St. Phone 1722 4 25 tf

Situations Wanted.

WANTED—By capable Finnish girl, 28, position as laundress or plain cook and laundress; knows little English. Call after six at 752 West Seventh St.

FIRST-CLASS cook wishes position. 216 New street. 2 1 3

SITUATION wanted for general housework, by respectable woman, with child three years old; excellent references. Address A. H., care Daily Press. 2 1 3

NEEDY man wants jobs or any work. "R.," Daily Press. 1 31 3

For Rent.

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

TO LET—Six-room house; also part of house, with all improvements; furnished or unfurnished. Apply 342 Somerset street. 2 2 6

FLATS to let, $9, $12, $16 per month; improvements. Inquire Adam Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 1 10

TO RENT—Ten-room house; all improvements; in perfect order; to family of adults. Inquire 402 Park avenue. 2 1 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—One Cypress Incubator and one brooder. Address Incubator, care Press. 1 31 4

PONY, cart and harness wanted; pony must be kind, gentle and fearless. Address Pony, care Press. 1 3

WANTED—By April 1, house of 6 or 7 rooms, with improvements; west of Grant avenue. Address C. C., Press. 1 31 3

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

WANTED—From owners, particulars of houses, for sale, or rent; also furnished houses; have quite a number of applicants. William Davison, opposite Netherwood station. 1 24 tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—On Wednesday evening, mourning brooch, pearl centre. Reward if left at this office. 2 2 2

LOST—Open-face gold watch with chatelain; monogram A. S. Suitable reward at this office. 2 2 3

LOST—Tuesday afternoon, a lady's gold watch, locket attached, going from the High School to Central avenue to Seventh street west to Monroe Ave. Suitable reward for its return to the Press office. 1 31 3

LOST—Hound dog. Return to 904 West Fourth street; reward. 2 1 3

LOST—Round gold pin, ornamented with bird and cat tails; reward. Return to Mallinson's drug store. 1 31 3

LOST—$25 reward; gentleman's diamond ring, while driving Sunday over trolley road from White & Goodacres' and over turnpike to Cook & Sons'. Return to either above parties. 1 30 7

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2 1 6 Plainfield, N. J.

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FOR SALE—In desirable residential section, house containing nine rooms, city improvements, fine stable and carriage house; lot 175x250 ft.; terms to suit. William Davison, opposite Netherwood station. 1 22 tf

FOR SALE—Small restaurant. Call 17 Grandview Ave. 1 30 6

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FOR SALE—An offer of $6,000 and very liberal terms might buy a handsome house worth $9,000; grand location; if you want a fine home, cheaper than renting, here is the opportunity. Ira L. LaRue, 109 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

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FOR SALE—Beautiful tract of five acres, on Woodland avenue, between the properties of Messrs. Arens and Dufton. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 6 tf

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"He's not a duffer!" remonstrated Nancy, with a flare in her mild eyes. (How I wish I might have seen her as she defended me!) "He's the dearest fellow in the world, and I love him with all my heart!" (How do you like that, Mr. Robert? Bravo, Nancy! I may be a duffer, true enough, but I rather object to its being called out from the housetops.) And Nancy added: "I want you to understand distinctly, Robert, that in my selection of a husband you are not to be consulted."

This was moving him around some.

"Hold on, Nan! Drat it, don't look like that! I meant nothing, dearie; only I'm a heap surprised. Chuck is a good fellow, I'll admit; but I've been dreaming of your marrying a prince or an ambassador and Henderson comes like a jolt. Besides, Chuck will never be anything but a first-rate politician. You'll have to get used to cheap cigars and four-ply whisky. When is it going to happen?"

"In June. I have always loved him, Bob. And he wants you to be his best man."

Robert appeared a bit mollified at this knowledge. "But what shall I do after that?" he wailed. "You're the only person I can order about, and now you're going the other side of the range."

"Bob, why don't you get married yourself?" asked Mrs. Warburton. With your looks you won't have to go far nor begging for a wife."

"There's the rub, sister mine by law and the admirable foresight of my only brother. What am I good for but ordering rookies about? I've no business head. And it's my belief that an army man ought never to wed."

"Marry, my boy, and I'll see what can be done for you in the diplomatic way. The new administration will doubtless be republican, and my influence will have some weight."—and John smiled affectionately across the table. He loved this gay lad opposite, loved him for his own self and because he could always see the mother's eyes and lips. "You have reached the age of discretion. You are now traveled and a fairly good linguist. You've an income of $1,500 and to this I may be able to add a berth worth $2,000 or $3,000. Find the girl, lad; find the girl."

"Honestly, I'll think it over, Jack."

"Bob, there's a ball at the British embassy to-night. You must go with us."

"Impossible!" said Robert. "Remember my leg."

"That will not matter," said Mrs. John; "you need not dance."

"What, not dance? I should die of intermittent fever. And if I did dance, my leg might give out."

"You can ride a horse all right," said John, in the way of argument.

"I can do that easily with my knees. But I can't dance with my knees. No, I shall stay at home. I couldn't stand it to see all those famous beauties, and with me posing as a wall-flower."

"But what will you do here all alone?"

"Play with the kid, smoke and read; make myself at home. You still smoke that Louisiana, Jack?"

"Yes."—dubiously.

"So. Now, don't let me interfere with your plans for to-night. I haven't been in a home in so long that it will take more than one night for the novelty to wear off. Besides, that nurse of yours, Kit, is good to look at."—a bit of the rogue in his eye.

"Bob!"—from both women.

"I promise not to look at her; I promise."

"Well, I must be off," said John. "I'm late now. I've a dozen plans for coast defenses to go over with an inventor of a new carriage-gun. Will you go with me, while I put you up at the Metropolitan, or will you take a shopping trip with the women?"

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mine conceived his great (not to say young and salad) idea. It appealed to him as being so rich an idea that the stables rang with his laughter.

"Sir?" politely inquired the groom.

"I'm not laughing at your statement, my good fellow; rather at an idea which just occurred to me. In fact, I believe that I shall need your assistance."

"In what way, sir?"

"Come with me."

The groom followed Warburton into the yard. A conversation began in low tones.

"It's as much as my place is worth, sir. I couldn't do it, sir," declared the groom, shaking his head negatively.

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"Very well, sir. I dare say that no harm will come of it. But I am an inch or two shorter than you."

"We'll tide that over."

"I am at your orders, sir." But the groom returned to the stables, shaking his head dubiously. He was not thoroughly convinced.

During the morning ride down-town the two women were vastly puzzled over their brother's frequent and inexplicable peals of laughter.

"For mercy's sake, what do you see that is so funny!" asked Nancy.

"I'm thinking, my dears; only thinking."

"Tell us, that we may laugh too. I'll wager that you are up to some mischief, Master Robert. Please tell," Nancy urged.

"Later, later; at present you would fail to appreciate the joke. In fact, you might make it miscarry; and that wouldn't do at all. Have a little patience. It's a good joke, and you'll be in it when the time comes."

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MASONS WANT TO BURY THE BODY OF PAUL JONES.

Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 2.—The Masonic committee of the Paul Jones Club yesterday mailed the following communication to the Grand Masters and the Masonic fraternity of the several States and colonial possessions of the United States: "The late Admiral Paul Jones was a member of our fraternity and a Calvinist in his religion. The Paul Jones Club has requested that Brother Paul Jones be buried with Masonic honors, but the request has not, as yet, been granted. We now ask the co-operation of the Masonic fraternity in our endeavors."

Senator Arrested.

Pine Pluff, Ark., Feb. 2.—State Senator Hardin K. Toney, accompanied by his bride, who was Miss Musselman, of York, Pa., where the wedding took place last Wednesday, arrived yesterday and after a reception at the railroad station, surrendered himself to Sheriff Philpot and gave bond in the sum of $5,000 on account of two warrants resulting from indictments charging conspiracy and bribery. Senator Toney was indicted as a result of the inquiry into alleged legislative boodling.

Call to Banks.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The Comptroller of the Currency has called for reports of the condition of National Banks at the close of business on Monday, January 29.

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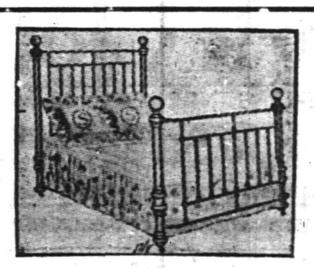

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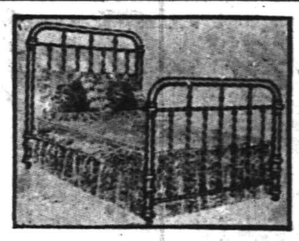

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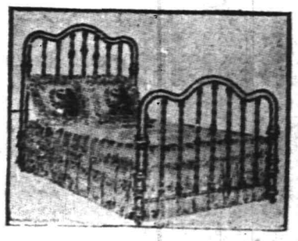

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Men's Suits—Special assortment. All-wool Cassimeres and Worsteds, single or double breasted, this season's latest styles. Former price $8.90. Sale price **$5.50**

Men's Suits—Special heavy Worsted and Cheviots, neat stripes and plaids, made in this season's latest style. Former price $12.00. Sale price **$7.50**

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Men's Suits—Extra fine all wool Cassimeres and Worsteds, neat checks and stripes, elegantly made. These suits come from one of the finest makers in the country. Former price $13.50. Sale price.. **$8.50**

Men's Suits—The very latest up-to-date shades of Gray and Fancy Mixtures, elegantly made. Sold all the season at $10.00. Sale price. **$6.90**

Men's Suits—Special, all our finest Cassimeres, Worsteds and Black Thibets have been placed in one grand lot, equal in every respect to custom made. Former price $16.50. Sale price **$9.90**

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Men's Winter Overcoats—Heavy Oxfords and Blacks, made up to date, good length. Regular price $8.50. Sale price **$4.95**

Men's Winter Overcoats—Fine All Wool Overcoatings in Oxfords and Fancy Scotch Mixtures, plain or belted back. Regular price $10.00. Sale price **$5.95**

Men's Winter Overcoats—This lot contains fine All Wool Kerseys and Fancy Meltons, made 52 inches long, tourist style. Regular price $11.50. Sale price **$6.90**

Men's Winter Overcoats—The very finest Kerseys, in Oxford or Black, cut with shapely shoulders, long and stylish, equal to the finest custom made garments. Reg. $18.00 coats. Sale price **$9.90**

Men's Winter Overcoats—Extra fine All Wool Kerseys and Meltons, cut long and loose, in Black and Oxfords. Regular price $12.50. Sale price **$7.50**

Men's Winter Overcoats—Swell Overcoats, cut in the latest style, in Blacks and Gray Kerseys and Meltons, 54 inches long, broad concave shoulders and close fitting collar. Regular price $15.00. Sale price.. **$8.90**

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Fine Cassimeres and Worsteds, neat check designs, elegantly made. Former prices $2.00 and $2.50. Sale price **$1.35**

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Men's Linen Collars, 15c kind. Sale price... **5c**

Men's Regular $2.00 Derbys or Soft Hats. Sale price **95c**

All Wool Fancy Cheviots, in plaid and striped designs, in double breasted or Norfolk style. Former prices $3.00 and $3.50. Sale price.. **$1.95**

Men's Working Pants, regular price $1.50. Sale price **85c**

All of our extra fine Suits, formerly selling from $4.00 to $5.00, consisting of Worsteds and Serges. The very latest styles Sale price **$2.50**

Celebrated Princely Dress Shirts, 75c kind. Sale price **39c**

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One lot Men's Shoes, were $3.50, $4.00 and $5, at $3.00

One lot Boys' Shoes, were $3.50, sale price $3.00, mostly Patent Colt.

One lot Boys' Shoes, $1.50 and $200, were $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50.

Women's Button and Lace Welt Turn Soles, were $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00, sale price $2.75. Splendid values.

Women's Button and Lace Welt Soles, $2.48, were $3.00, and $3.50, a few were $5.00.

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SATURDAY SPECIAL AT The Fair, 130 W. Front St.

SKIRTS—Never sold for less than 4 and 5 dollars. SATURDAY SPECIAL at **$1.85**

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Lot 3—Very handsome White Waists, open back, front of fine tucks and embroidery, value $2.00 .....$1.25

Lot 4—An assorted lot very fine Embroidered Waists, values up to $3.00, for.....$1.98

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A lot of Ladies' Fine White Skirts, embroidery trimmed, lace trimmed and hemstitched, some 4½ yards wide, each 98c

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Men's Short Boots	2.25
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Boys' Felt Boots, sizes 3 to 6	1.50
Youths' Felt Boots, sizes 11 to 2	1.25
Youths' Storm King Boots, sizes 11 to 2	2.00
Men's Arctics, sizes 6 to 11	1.00
Boys' Arctics, sizes 3 to 6	85c
Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	75c
Child's Arctics, sizes 6 to 10½	59c
Men's Rubbers, sizes 8 to 11	55c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers	40c
Ladies' Low Rubbers	35c

WATCH OUR BARGAIN COUNTERS.

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Arrested for Fighting.

James Anthony and Victor Bowser were arrested on West Front street last night for fighting. They will be arraigned in the city court tomorrow morning.

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Property Transfer.

Miss Boorman, of Belvidere avenue, has sold her residence on Belvidere avenue to David G. Weems through the agency of William Davison.

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SEWER SYSTEM AGITATION

Mayor Smalley Hammers Away in His Advocacy of Needed Improvement.

WANTS EARLY ACTION

Borough Executive Suggests That Board of Health Get to Work on Proposition—Councilmanic Routine.

That the borough officials are determined to bring the question of a sewer system before the people was evidenced last night, when Mayor Smalley requested former Recorder Thomas Doud, recently elected a member of the Board of Health, to have that body take action as soon as possible. Mr. Doud was in attendance at the Council session and the Mayor directed his remarks principally to him.

"The installation of a proper system is one that will have to be decided upon in the very near future," the executive said, "and the sooner it is done the better. The Board of Health can do a great deal in having the subject brought up formally, and I trust that the members will see their way clear to appoint a committee empowered to confer with representatives of the Council and to act accordingly. This matter cannot be brought to a head any too soon."

In the regular order of business, Councilman Lee offered a resolution that the borough collector be authorized to charge off all taxes prior to 1903 that do not appear collectible. This matter was advised by E. L. Suffern & Co., the experts who recently audited the borough's books. There are numerous small amounts that have been carried along from year to year and make a great deal of unnecssary work. The idea is to put them in a separate account and keep a record for future reference. The resolution was carried.

A. J. Stiglitz, William C. Smith and others petitioned the Council to accept Allen place and residents of upper Duer street asked for an electric light on that thoroughfare 200 feet north of Greenbrook road. Both matters were referred to the street committee. The N. Y. and N. J. Telephone Company was granted permission to lay a conduit 600 feet long in Rockview terrace and William H. Daley was appointed a callman in Hose Company No. 1.

The mayor remarked that at the next regular meeting of the Council, petitions would be presented asking for the opening of Watchung avenue from Codington avenue to the foot of the mountain and for the widening of Somerset street from Jackson avenue to Johnson's drive. He spoke favorably of both and expressed the wish that the councilmen would see fit to carry out these improvements.

175 COLLEGE MEN TO BE AT THE SMOKER.

Good Time Promised at the Casino Next Friday Night.

Thus for 175 college men have accepted the invitation to attend the smoker which is to be held at the Casino on Friday, February 9, and the committee is gratified with the response. There are still about twenty-five men who have not sent their money, and once more the committee urges that they do so. Promptness in this respect will enable the committee to determine exactly how many to provide for. Replies may be sent to Owen H. Fleming, of Park avenue.

All arrangements are complete for the entertainment at the smoker. Plenty of good vocal and instrumental music is assured, also speakers, while the dinner and its accompaniment will be all that one could desire. With representatives from so many different colleges, this feature alone will insure of good time and afford an opportunity for all to become better acquainted with each other.

Protecting Cooper's Bondsmen.

Former State Senator Charles A. Reed has returned from Washington, D. C., where he went to consult with the Federal Postoffice Department authorities regarding the affairs of Postmaster Cooper, of Somerville, particularly concerning the latter's bondsmen, whom he represents.

Mr. McCutchen to Graduates.

Samuel St. John McCutchen, of North Plainfield, chairman of the Normal School committee, delivered an address to the class of forty graduates from the State Normal School yesterday. The diplomas were presented by Hon. James L. Hayes, president of the State Board of Education.

Bequeathed $11,000 by Uncle.

By the death of an uncle in Sweden, Mrs. Jeremiah Cash, of South avenue, has inherited $11,000. She has been apprised of the fact by the executors of the estate and her interests are being looked after by the Swedish consul at New York.

NEW HOUSE NUMBERS ON BOROUGH STREETS

FOR MODERN METHOD PROVIDED FOR AT COUNCIL'S MEETING.

Mayor Smalley introduced the subject of renumbering properties on borough streets at last night's meeting of the Common Council, and there is a possibility that the method in use in the city will be adopted. The Mayor informed the councilmen that he had received numerous complaints about the system and that it is one that has been discarded by nearly all municipalities. He introduced a resolution that the borough clerk receive bids from engineers for renumbering by the block instead of beginning at one and continuing until the end of the street is reached. For this purpose a new map must be prepared and residents will have to be informed of the change.

In speaking of the numbers as they exist at present, the Mayor said that repetitions were frequent on numerous streets, but aside from this it is now impossible to direct strangers and give them an adequate conception of how far they must walk to reach a certain number. In Plainfield this is an easy matter and the crudeness of the borough's way has often been commented upon. Definite action will be taken as soon as the cost of preparing the maps can be learned.

TRINITY MISSION BAND CHOOSES ITS OFFICERS

REPORTS FOR YEAR SHOW ENCOURAGING CONDITION OF AFFAIRS.

Interesting reports and the election of officers for the coming year were features of the ninth anniversary meeting of the Young Women's Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church held yesterday afternoon. There was a good attendance and much enthusiasm was shown in the work.

The secretary submitted a brief report of the work of all the committees, showing that each one has been active. The present membership is sixty-five, an increase of seventeen during the year. The treasurer repotred a balance of $213. This will be divided between the foreign and domestic boards of missions of the Reformed church, as is the custom.

These officers were elected for the year: President, Miss Lillian A. Force; vice-president, Miss Mabel Wilson; recording secretary, Miss Hazel Martin; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. E. Woodruff; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Pierson. The committees will be announced later.

After the transaction of business there was a roll call and each member responded to her name by reading some item of missionary news either from the home or foreign field. This was a helpful feature of the meeting.

COUNCIL TO DECIDE ON TOWNLEY OR COSE

DIVISION IN FIRE BOARD OVER MAYOR'S CHOICE FOR 2D ASSISTANT CHIEF.

It is more than likely that the contest over the appointment for second assistant chief of the fire department will be fought out on the floor of the Common Council Monday night. Mayor Buckle, who left town today for Chicago, will have his appointment of John Cose sent in for confirmation. The matter will not end there.

Chairman George P. Mellick, of the fire boards, favors the selection of Fire Captain Townley for advancement. Councilmen Tolles and Gloak are said to be "on the fence." Naturally Councilmen Randolph, Montgomery and Buxton, "organization" members, are committed to Mr. Cose. J. T. MacMurray is sponser for him.

It is reported that Mr. Mellick will move that the office of second assistant chief be abolished if he sees that Townley's appointment is futile.

Off for the Sunny South.

County Registrar and Mrs. F. H. Smith, of West Fourth street, left today over the Pennsylvania Railroad for Florida, where they will remain for at least a month.

Country Club's Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Plainfield Country Club is scheduled for Tuesday night, when officers will be elected and plans for the coming year adopted.

—Van Arsdale's annual shoe sale starts on Monday morning, continuing throughout the month. The earlier you come, the better the selections.

NEW FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

Borough May Substitute Compressed Air Whistle For Antiquated Bell.

CHANGE IS NECESSARY

Report of Electrician Filed With North Plainfield Council—Action to be Taken Shortly.

Following a statement made by Mayor Smalley recently that North Plainfield's fire alarm system is in need of extensive repairs or else an entire change, the latter preferred, the following report in regard to the matter was submitted to the councilmen by Borough Electrician A. V. Searing last night:

"This report will, of necessity, be very short as I have not had time to complete the investigations regarding certain parts of the fire alarm system.

"It has been suggested that a compressed air whistle be placed on the rear of the fire house to take the place of the present large bell. The iron work of the tower is rusting badly and will soon be very unsafe; the wood work also needs attention as some of the boards are decayed. I have not found out the cost of the above-mentioned change, but if a whistle could be maintained at a reasonable expense, I believe it would be a great improvement over our present public alarm.

"Charles W. Runyon, of the telephone company, made me a verbal proposition that they will supply current to operate our fire alarm system for $100 per year. This, as near as I could find out, is about $30 or $40 less than is paid for battery supplies now, and would insure a steady source of power.

"On inspecting the line I find it in need of a general overhauling, particularly the portion west of Somerset street, where a great deal of new wire is needed, as, in many places, the insulation is entirely gone. In fact the line is in such a condition that Mr. Runyon said that they were unwilling to connect to it until it was put in better shape.

"There are some minor changes underway which, when completed, will add to the efficiency and safety of the system and building. This work will be reported on at a later date.

"The present equipment consists of the following: One indicator and gong, one clock for ringing time signals at 7 a. m. and 6 p. m.; one bell alarm; four house tappers; fourteen street boxes and about eight miles of line, all operated by sixty cells of gravity battery.

"Respectfully submitted,
"A. V. SEARING, JR."

This was the first report that has been received from a borough electrician in a long time and the fact was commented upon by Mr. Lee. The suggestions mentioned were discussed informally and afterward the report was referred to the fire committee for action. There is but little doubt as to a change as the present system has not been giving satisfaction.

ENDEAVORERS OBSERVE THEIR ANNIVERSARY.

Sketches Read by Members of Park Avenue Society.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the organization last night by using the prepared programme of the United Society. A feature was a short address by Rev. Dr. Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, who spoke earnestly on the future of the Endeavor movement, and incidently referred to its wonderful achievements.

The what, when and where of Christian Endeavor was presented in interesting sketches by Rev. A. E. Finn, Mrs. A. E. Finn, Miss Cora Brokaw, Miss Bessie Giles, Mrs. W. S. Lowry, Herbert Brokaw, Charles Van Winkle and Joseph M. Hawkins. These papers showed what Christian Endeavor has done, when it was founded and where the societies are located. Christian Endeavor songs were sung in the place of special music. Miss Florence G. Hawkins was in charge of the meeting as leader and spoke a few words of encouragement.

Maximilion Otto Dead.

Maximilion Otto, who has been employed at the Pond shop for many years, died at his home on Lee place yesterday. He was in his forty-fifth year and leaves a widow, one son, Paul Otto, and a married daughter. The funeral will be held from his late home tomorrow afternoon and interment will be in Hillside cemetery.

Paul Claypoole Scarborough, of Lambertville, is visiting relatives here.

TRAIN STRIKES A TRUCK

Easton Flyer All But Wrecked in Accident at Rock Avenue Grade Crossing.

HORSES BARELY ESCAPE

Vehicle Loaded With Lumber Had Broken Down on Tracks—Engineer Signalled but Unable to Stop.

A heavily loaded lumber truck belonging to the J. D. Loizeaux Company broke down as it was being driven across the Jersey Central tracks at Rock avenue this morning, directly in the path of the Easton flyer due in this city at 9:59. Men in the vicinity sought to signal the engineer, and though he perceived the obstruction and applied his emergency brakes, he was unable to stop and struck the load with terrific force. Walter Pallas, the driver, had leaped from his seat the instant he saw the horses could not pull the wagon off and unhooked the traces. The animals were drawn to one side just in time to escape getting killed.

The load consisted of 3,000 feet of boards and these were hurled in every direction. Several small parts on the locomotive and a step on a passenger car were torn off, otherwise the train escaped injury. Several of the largest timbers dropped directly beneath the wheels and raised the cars directly off the track, but they dropped back in their places. To many who witnessed the crash it seemed miraculous that a wreck did not result. The train fan ahead several hundred feet after striking and was delayed fifteen minutes while the crew made sure that everything was in shape to proceed.

The Louizeaux Company's West End yard is located at Front street and Rock avenue, where the only grade crossing in the city exists. Pallas started to take the load of lumber south on Rock avenue and a jolt in passing over the rails caused the front axle of the wagon to break in two. The wheels were in such a position that the horses were unable to pull them out, and it would have taken an hour to remove the obstruction. Express trains pass this point at almost a mile a minute, and the Easton flyer was at the Dunellen yards when the break occurred, consequently it was impossible to warn the engineer in time.

BULKLEY PROTESTS AGAINST ADJOURNMENT

AUTOIST OPPOSES WEEK'S DELAY IN HEARING; SUED FOR $200.

The hearing of Frederick F. Bulkley, the Westfield automobilist who crashed into the buggy of Nathan Sachs on Front street Tuesday afternoon, was again put off by the city court this morning. An adjournment was taken to next Saturday morning at the request of Counsellor F. J. Blatz, who represents the city in the prosecution. Mr. Blatz relied on the promise of witnesses to be in court, but finds it necessary to use subpoenas.

Mr. Bulkley, who came up from Westfield at 8:30 o'clock and waited patiently for court to open, protested against the adjournment. He said he was ready to go on with the hearing, and had too much business on hand to make adjournment anything but very inconvenient.

"I can prove I was not at fault," he said.

"That's your opinion," said Mr. Blatz, dryly.

"I will make a final adjournment to next Saturday," ruled the magistrate. "The hearing will be held then."

After court Mr. Blatz announced that a suit for $200 damages had been started by Sachs against the automobilist. The action was instituted yesterday in Justice Hand's court. The hearing is set for next Wednesday.

GRANITE BLOCK CO.

Plainfield Incorporators Have $125,000 Capitalization.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday at Elizabeth by the Granite Block Manufacturing Company, of Plainfield, formed for the purpose of manufacturing granite and cement blocks. The company has issued 12,500 shares at $10 each, the capital stock being $125,000. The incorporators are Francis M. Bacon, of Plainfield; Charles E. Lockwood, of East Orange, and Roscoe H. Sanborn, of Elizabeth.

The company's plant is located at one end of the old lumber yard of DeWitt C. Ivins, where it is proposed to carry on this business on an extensive scale.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

GIFTS TO THE LIBRARY

Transparencies of Yellowstone Presented by Mr. Waring are Placed in Position.

RARE BOOKS GIVEN

E. V. Bartine Donates Old Bill—Samuel Huntington Files Congressional Records.

The two transparencies of the Yellowstone region presented to the library by Orville T. Waring have now been placed at the staircase landing in the library building. Their full beauty is best seen from the upper hall. The expense of placing these was borne by Alexander Gilbert and Mason W. Tyler, to both of whom the city is already much indebted for their gifts of value to the library. The work of placing in position was done by William C. Smith.

One of the most popular of the library's bulletins has been the recent one on genealogical books. Those interested in the subject who failed to see this will find it in The Daily Press, December 12 and January 21. It was prepared at the request of a local genealogical worker. The library authorities say they welcome all suggestions of this kind, and will gladly prepare bulletins or lists on any subject desired.

The installation of a telephone in the institution promises to be of great assistance to library users who live at a distance, and to the business men, who can ofte nthus obtain desired information without the expenditure of time otherwise necessary in coming or sending to the library. Library borrowers having telephones are requested to read the library's article about the telephone in the library which appeared in the Daily Press January 17.

Among such miscellaneous matter there have recently come to the library the Harvard graduates' magazine, given by the Harvard Alumni Association. The Princeton and Rutgers alumni magazines are desired.

Samuel Huntington has presented to the library volumes 1 to 14, in twenty-nine volumes, of the Congressional debates from 1824-1837, inclusive; the secret journals of Congress, in 4 volumes, and the first twenty volumes of the Massachusetts Supreme Court reports, 1804-1827. This forms an extremely valuable addition to the reference department of the library.

A bill of one shilling and sixpence "emitted by a law of the Colony of New Jersey passed in the 14th year of the reign of his majesty King George the Third, dated Mr. 25, 1776," has been handed us by E. V. Bartine. This bill is of especial local interest, bearing the imprint of Burlington, N. J.

Mason W. Tyler has presented the last volume of the Proceedings of the National Conference of Charities. The library now has an almost complete set of these reports, which form the most important contribution to a subject of increasing importance and widening interest.

O. B. Leonard recently presented the original constitution of the Plainfield Library Company, a document of much interest in the educational history of the town. Another gift of Mr. Leonard, of great value, is the scrap book genealogy of the Dunham family, compiled by himself. This is of course unique and of especial interest as a contribution to local history. It will be placed in the reference department.

The library has by gift also recently added the two books of W. D. Murray, entitled "The Messages of the Twelve Prophets," and "The Life and Works of Jesus." Another library friend has given two popular little religious books, "Quiet Talks On Prayer," and "Quiet Talks On Power." All the religious periodicals are gifts either from individuals or from the societies which they represent. The "Holy Cross Magazine," published by the Order of the Holy Cross, is the latest added to these. The library welcomes any good representative periodical of any religious body.

Major Sheppard Will Speak.

Major J. S. Sheppard, of the Salvation Army, who for several years has been the presiding officer in New Jersey, and who now has general oversight of a part of the New York district, will address the meeting at Salvation Army Hall, this city, tonight at 8 o'clock.

Musical Service.

Tomorrow morning at the First M. E. church the vested choir will render Mosenthal's "Jubilate," and Dudley Buck's "O, Clap Your Hands," and in the evening Dudley Buck's "Deus Misereature," and Faure-Shelley's "Lo, It Is I."

—Mrs. Emily Williamson, the county probation officer, was in town this morning to talk over the newly established Juvenile Court with the police and Judge Runyon.

MOUNTAIN CAMPS PLAINFIELDERS' IDEA

OUTING MINUS "ROUGHING IT" DURING SUMMER MONTHS.

For the purpose of providing facilities for camping out on the mountains with the usual "roughing it" conditions eliminated, a company is being formed under the name of "Ye Olde Mountain Camp Company." The promoters of the idea are William Jeffery and Francis E. Bodin. They propose that the camp shall embrace as many home comforts as possible consistent with ten accommodations, and the arrangements include many new ideas.

Mr. Bodin was formerly quartermaster of Co. K, 13th Heavy Artillery, N. G. N. Y., and has spent some time studying camp life from a hygenic standpoint. Some of his ideas are now being used in the Government service and these will be adopted for the summer camp to be located at Berkeley Heights.

New army wall tents will be used, providing for individuals and families, and will be so arranged that each party will have his or her own private quarters with sufficient land to plant a garden, or use in whatever manner the patron desires. A competent commissary will devote his time to the cuisine and plenty of good food will be provided. Numerous forms of amusements and games will be provided and many novelties are being planned.

MR. SMITH'S RULES VETOED BY COUNCIL

MAYOR SAYS BOROUGH FIRE DEPARTMENT NOT IN NEED OF "SYSTEM."

Edward P. T. Smith, who took his seat as a member of the borough Council the first of the year, received a jolt from his older colleagues when he introduced a resolution last night. It called for a set of house rules to be applied to the fire department and embraced some clauses that brought vigorous protest from Mr. Lee and others.

They specified what time the regular men should go home to meals, when and how the horses should be fed, how long they should be exercised, when apparatus should be cleaned and what time the house should be shut up for the night. Mr. Lee asserted that such rules were trivial and superfluous, as the men were fully aware as to when the horses should be fed and knew as well as anyone else the time to clean apparatus when it needed it. Mr. Van Arsdale seconded his remarks and Mayor Smalley expressed the opinion that he didn't see any need of introducing such matters, as the regular men had been doing their duty all along.

The framer of the rules insisted on their adoption on the ground of the need of "system," but no one rallied to his support. Mr. Lee asked that the resolution be placed on the table in order to give "the new member" a chance to look up the borough ordinance already covering the daily routine at fire headquarters. Mr. Smith submitted to the inevitable, and there is a possibility that "system" of the kind he sought will be lacking for some time to come.

THIEF GETS $50 IN FINDLAY'S SALOON

GAINED ENTRANCE THROUGH REAR DOOR BY CUTTING OUT THE LOCK.

Saloonkeeper Alex Findlay, of East Second street, is minus $50 that a nervy and well posted thief stole from his barroom early Thursday morning. Only the money was taken.

Every night after closing time Findlay places about $50 in bills and coin in a box over the bar, for early morning change when his bartenders open up. Following the usual custom, the saloon man put $50 in the box Wednesday night, and went to bed.

Next morning box and money were gone. The lock on the rear door had been neatly cut out. The thief apparently knew all about the place and the change box custom, and went straight for the money. Neither liquor nor cigars was touched.

Enjoying Southern Hospitality.

F. L. C. Martin, of Park avenue, who has been in the south during the past two weeks, where he attended the auto races at Ormond Beach, left yesterday with Edward White in the latter's motor boat for a cruise of several days up the Indian River. Mr. Martin will return home in the course of a couple of weeks.

FIGHT OVER AUTO BILL

Frelinghuysen Will Marshal Forces Tuesday in Support of His Measure.

THE LINES OF ATTACK

Enemies Declare it Too Drastic—Constitutionality May be Questioned—Addresses to Be Made.

Trenton, Feb. 3.—Automobilists in all parts of New Jersey and those from New York and Pennsylvania who extensively use the excellent roads of this State for speeding their machines are thoroughly aroused over Senator Frelinghuysen's bill regulating the use of motor cars in this State. They are making preparations to descend upon the State House in force next Tuesday, when the Senate Judiciary Committee, consisiting of Senators Hillery, of Morris; Wakelee, of Bergen, and Minturn, of Hudson, will give a hearing on the measure.

This is scheduled to take place in the Senate chamber at the close of the morning session of the Upper House, but owing to the great crowd which the supporters and opponents of the measure will bring to the hearing, this will be entirely inadequate to accommodate the throng, and there is some talk of using the Assembly chamber. As there is no certainty that the Assembly will be through with its work at the time set for the hearing, it has been suggested that one of the town theatres be engaged for the occasion.

There is a possibility that the hearing will not take place next Tuesday, as the automobilists declare that the day set for it does not give them time enough to arrange for speakers and for the transportation of their supporters to Trenton, and have asked Chairman Hillery to postpone the hearing for a week.

The motorists' opposition to the bill will be based on the contention that its provisions are too drastic and that the great body of automobile owners is in nowise made up of a law-breaking element. If this fails to win favorable action from the committee it is likely that an attack will be made on the constitutionality of the measure. Attention will be called to the provision of the bill which calls for the taxing of tutomobile owners, and then it will be shown that legislation of the State provides that all taxing measures must originate in the House of Assembly.

Senator Frelinghuysen thoroughly appreciates the strength of the opposition which will be brought against his bill, but he will not allow its formidableness to in any way affect his purpose to push the measure to a final issue. The farmers and many other citizens of New Jersey he knows faor his bill and he is convinced that his measure has the earnest support of a public opinion which believes that something should be done by the Legislature to check the utter disregard for the life, limb and property of the citizens of New Jersey which characterizes many of the autoists who attempt to monopolize the State's good raods.

The Somerset Senator has arranged to marshal a host of these citizens at the State House on Tuesday in support of his measure. Mr. Frelinghuysen and other speakers will address the committee, urging that the bill be reported favorably.

It will be contended that reckless drivers of automobiles have made traveling on the public roads so dangerous that relief must be afforded.

Another reason for the enactment of some automobile legislation is the fact that such action was urged by Governor Stokes in his annual message to the Legislature. Some of the Governor's ideas are embodied in the Frelinghuysen bill, although the most radical provisions of that measure are of the Senator's own design.

MR. ANTHONY FELT HE WAS INTRUDED UPON.

So He Kicked Up a Fuss at the Bowser Home.

James Anthony and Victor Bowser, colored, arrested Thursday night for fighting, were arraigned in the city court this morning. The testimony showed that Anthony was at fault and it cost him $5 to get away. Sentence was suspended on Bowser.

The quarrel took place in Bowser's house. Mrs. Bowser testified that the trouble began when she and her husband refused to drink whiskey and port wine that Anthony had brought with him.

"Jim said, 'It seems to me I've been intruded upon,'" recounted Mrs. Bowser. "'How have you been intruded on, Jim,' I asked, and he said, 'Do you want to know? Well, I don't give a —— —— for you or anybody like you, —— ——.'"

"That's the way he was intruded on, was it?" asked the judge, and the courtroom crowd laughed.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

The funeral service of the late Abner S. Coriell, who died on Wednesday, was held from his late home this afternoon at 2 o'clock. There was a large attendance of friends, relatives and neighbors, a number of the older residents being among those who gathered to pay a final tribute of respect to one who had watched and helped the village grow. The service was conducted by Rev. W. W. Casselberry, assisted by Rev. Frank Fletcher. The body was interred in Bound Brook. Five sons and a son-in-law were the bearers: Andrew S. Coriell, Abner Coriell, Jr., Charles A. Coriell, George Coriell, William Coriell, and M. R. Van Kuren, of Eatontown.

The service at the Baptist church tomorrow will be in charge of the Y. P. S. C. E. The members will hold exercises in commemoration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the inauguration of Endeavor work. Papers will be read by Endeavorers, and addresses will be made by Rev. Frank Fletcher, the pastor, and Rev. Henry N. Jordan, pastor of the Seventh-day Baptist church.

Overseer of the Poor W. H. Cole is interested in the plans of Hunterdon county to hold an Old Home Week in observance of the 150th anniversary of the organization of the county government. Mr. Cole is a native of Hunterdon, and lived there for many years. He raised fancy hogs there that were at once the envy and admiration of his neighbors and other dealers.

The high school matter has been settled finally so far as the borough is concerned. The committee's recommendation that space for Dunellen pupils be allotted, under the regular agreement, by the Plainfield High School, has been adopted by the board. It only remains for the city board to put the formal seal of its approval on the tuition agreement.

The funeral of Mrs. Lewis Dunn was held at her late home yesterday afternoon. Rev. H. N. Jordan conducted the service. The attendance was large. The interment was made in Hillside cemetery. The bearers were James Dunham, A. E. Curtis, Ellis Dunn and De Witt Giles.

It was reported about town yesterday that Robert Fitzsimmons had visited Rev. Frank Fletcher Thursday morning, and talked over the sermon fake. Mr. Fletcher could not be seen when a reporter hunted for him, and the story is open to suspicion.

The groundhog saw his shadow all right enough yesterday, but "Jaunty" Randolph says the sign wont work this winter. The groundhog portent is no good, he rules, in a year when the winter remains open and mild up to Candlemas Day.

The Rev. S. K. Doolittle will preach on "Murmuring and Discontent" at the morning service in the Methodist church tomorrow. His evening subject will be "Is the Young Man Safe?"

Mrs. Mary Squires entertained the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Baptist church yesterday afternoon.

Only routine business was transacted by the Board of Trustees of the Baptist church at their meeting.

T. J. Todd was sworn into office as a member of the school board at the special meeting Wednesday night.

George Apgar is a night student at a Plainfield business college.

H. S. Garretson was in Perth Amboy yesterday on business.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning preaching, 10:45. At the close of the sermon the regular monthly communion will be held. B. Y. P. U. meeting, 7:15, followed at 8 o'clock by the evening sermon.

The public school will not hold any special Lincoln's birthday programme this year, but will observe that and Washington's birthday together with appropriate exercises in the assembly room on the afternoon of the 21st.

George MacCauley and family, of Park avenue, have removed to the cottage recently occupied by Samuel MacCauley and family on Grand street, the latter having removed to his new house on Westfield avenue.

If the weather will continue as cold as it was last night, skating will once more be good by tomorrow. The ice on the smaller ponds is already thick enough for the sport to be enjoyed in safety.

The Ladies' Aid Society of All Saints' Episcopal church are holding a cake and valentine sale this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Battell Loomis, in the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kandelky have moved from the Bornman property on Westfield avenue to Mrs. Kandelky's father's, Thomas S. Whitenack, on Forest avenue.

No wonder the ground hog saw his shadow yesterday. Even the ice man laughs, and the "I told you so people" are delighted over the change in the weather.

Miss Dorothy Hoar will entertain a number of friends at an informal dance at her home in the borough tonight.

The weekly prayer and praise service will be held tonight at the Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Hoffman will lead.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Romburg and family, of Fanwood, have moved into the Hetfield property on Front street.

Another new house is being erected on Stanbery avenue. Surely the town is growing.

"Wedded and Parted" is the attraction tonight at the New Plainfield theatre.

Miss Sadie Reger is spending Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Morristown.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Dudley, of Park place, are planning to return to the South in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Elmer Mundy, of this city, have returned from a visit with relatives in Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M McGee, of the borough, have returned from a visit with their son at Cornell University.

Miss Minnie Brokaw, of this city, has returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brokaw, of Harlingen.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Kirby, carrying on a wholesale and retail tobacco business at One Hundred and Six (106) Park Avenue, City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate for the equal benefit of his creditors; and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims under oath or affirmation to the subscriber at his office, number One Hundred and Thirteen (113) East Front Street, Plainfield, New Jersey, within three (3) months from the date hereof, or the same will be barred from coming in for a dividend of said estate.

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Edward E. Nelson, First National Bank Building, represents a first class company and can write your insurance at low rates.

Ten Eyck & Harris, the West Front street coal dealers, sell the kind of anthracite that will keep your house warm and do your cooking right.

Charles E. Vail, the Park avenue jeweler, can sell you the best silverware, watches, clocks and diamonds at reasonable prices. Inspect his stock.

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PERSONAL.

Arthur Fritz, of Watchung avenue, has recovered from a recent attack of pneumonia.

Albert Allen, of this city, has returned from a visit with relatives at Whitehouse.

Harvey R. Thorn, of East Second street, is improved from a severe attack of grip.

Mrs. M. Ricciardi, of Bernardsville, has returned home after a visit with friends here,

Miss Margaret McWilliams, of this city, has returned from a visit with her parents at Somerville.

G. H. Bellis, of Elmwood place, will soon leave for Florida, where he will remain for a few weeks.

Mrs. Stevens, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a visit with the Misses Gallagher, of Raritan.

Mrs. William Case, of Plainfield avenue, who has been visiting friends in Raritan, has returned home.

Mrs. Peter Gulick, of Raritan, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Garret T. Dunham, of West Front street.

Councilman Ralph I. Tolles is detained at his home in Westervelt avenue with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. D. T. Smith and daughter, Josephine, of Bound Brook, have been spending several days with Plainfield friends.

Mrs. J. Heimer, Mrs. A. G. Chamberlin and Miss Margaret Maxwell, of Raritan, have returned home after a visit with friends here.

Mrs. E. S. Hooley and children, and Miss Lillian Brooks, of the borough, sailed today on the Steamer Campania for a three months' trip abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Eoff and son, of Crescent avenue, are planning to spend a part of the coming summer at Gibraltar, Spain, where their daughter, Mrs. Frank Brown Bostwick, who was recently married, is to make her home. Dr. and Mrs. Bostwick are due to arrive at Gibraltar tomorrow or Monday.

PROPOSE LICENSES FOR UNDERTAKERS

BILL PROVIDES FOR APPOINTMENT OF STATE BOARD.

A delegation of the New Jersey State Funeral Directors' Association went down to Trenton this week and succeeded in having their bill, providing for the appointment of a State board of undertakers and embalmers, consisting of five members, to be appointed by the governor for the purpose of examining applicants for licenses as undertakers and embalmers, introduced in the Assembly by Assemblyman Harry Scovel, of Camden.

The bill was first introduced in 1904, but after passing both houses of the Legislature ran against a veto by Governor Murphy. Last year it got lost in the Senate committee rooms. This year the promoters of the bill feel confident that the bill will go through and receive the signature of the governor who, they say, has already looked over it and expressed his satisfaction with it.

The principal workers among the undertakers on behalf of the bill are W. W. Slock, of Burlington; J. F. Martin, of Elizabeth; W. B. M. Burrell, Camden; L. J. Sayre, Newark; W. E. Bates, Vineland; and W. J. Morgan, Jersey City.

The bill provides that each of the members of the State board shall serve a term of three years except those first appointed, one of whom shall serve one year, two for two years and two for three years from the date of their appointment. No one will be eligible for appointment unless he has had five years' experience as an undertaker and embalmer. Those applying for licenses will be examined on questions pertaining to the embalming and burial, disinfection and shipment of bodies of persons dying of infectious or contagious diseases in accordance with the rules of the State Board of Health. The board will meet at least twice a year for the examination of applicants for licenses.

Each person engaged in business as undertaker or embalmer at the time of the passage of the act shall, before the first day of October next, file an application for a license, such application containing a statement of the business the applicant is engaged in, his experience and location, together with a fee of five dollars. When the application is certified and registered by the board a license will be granted.

After the passage of the act all persons desiring to engage in the business must file an application, accompanied by a fee of five dollars and a certified statement of three reputable persons that the applicant is more than twenty-one years of age, is of good moral character, has obtained at least a grammar school education and has served at least two years' apprenticeship with a reputable funeral director. He will, on the receipt of the application be given a permit to enter an examination by the State board. Successful applicants will receive a license on the payment of a license fee of five dollars. The State Board of Health shall receive notice of every license granted.

All persons obtaining licenses must register them with their local Board of Health, and must display their license certificates in a conspicuous position in their place of business. The State board will have power to revoke licenses for cause, and, while no license may be transferred, widows may continue the business of their deceased husbands. The expenses of the State board must not exceed the income from the operation of the act. The board may employ any persons or officers necessary to carry out the provisions of the act. A written statement of receipts and expenditures must, at least once a year, be forwarded to the governor.

Any violation of the act will be punishable as a misdemeanor, and the person convicted by a fine of not less than $100, at the discretion of the court.

An Instructive Volume.

Rev. Charles Fiske, rector of St. John's church, at Somerville, and one of the examining chaplains of the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey, is the author of an interesting book just issued by the Young Chruchman Company of Chicago and Milwaukee, entitled "The Religion of the Incarnation." The volume of essays has met a most favorable reception in the religious press, and has had an extensive sale. An introduction, written by Bishop Scarborough, commends it as an instructive and entertaining work of special value to the laity in solving their doubts and difficulties in the various problems of our modern religious life.—New Brunswick Home News.

—David G. Weems, of West Seventh street, has purchased Miss Bornmann's residence on Belvidere avenue, and will take possession April 1.

—The sixth of the series of dinner-dances, under the auspices of the Plainfield Country Club, will be held at the Casino tonight. It is expected that there will be an unusually large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Baltus Melick, of North Branch, have moved to this city, the former home of Mrs. Melick before her marriage.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"A Wife's Secret," the emotional melodrama, which will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre Monday night, has for its central theme the trials and hardships of a young wife driven from her home by a doubting husband, and is said to contain a story of beautiful sentiment and charming heart interest, with exceptionally

Scene in "A Wife's Secret," at the New Plainfield Theatre Monday Night.

strong comedy, many thrilling situations, a scenic production of the highest order and a cast of general excellence. It is described as a play of plain, everyday life, and presents a group of interesting characters drawn and depicted true to nature. It is remembered here as an excellent attraction and one that should appeal strongly to the patrons of the New Plainfield theatre.

In presenting "A Royal Slave" the reputation of Gordon & Bennett as managers, whose faith in the public is inspiration for greater endeavor, was firmly established. All future announcements made by them are accepted without question. Their production of "The Holy City" surpasses all prior efforts and is universally conceded to be the most sumptuous theatrical spectacle now on the stage. With a powerful dramatic company and combined exhibitions allegorical, musical and splendidly equipped, "The Holy City" provides entertainment historical and intense. Announcement of the coming play excites attention worthy of its cause. It will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre Thursday, February 8, afternoon and night.

Long absence in Europe will give an air of novelty to the reappearance next Saturday night of Willie Collier. "On the Quiet," a tried and true farce by Augustus Thomas, was the lively vehicle for this comedian, who displayed all of the snappy, breezy methods which brought him such success in this play, and later in "The Dictator," the clever Davis farce. Even London found it uproariously funny, and the London tag is being used to warrant the revival. The company he brings from London includes Maude Fealey, Eileen Anglin, George Nash, John Saville, Charles B. Poore, Pauline French, Grace Hadsell, Cranley Douglas, Willard Curtiss, John W. Dean, Frisco Matsuho, Wallace McCutcheon, Irene Avon, Madeline Hazlett, Howard Estabrook, Charles Fullhart, Thomas Martin and J. B. Adam.

On Tuesday night, February 13, at the New Plainfield theatre the eminent author-player, Richard Carle, will present in its entirety his farcical opera triumph, "The Mayor of Tokio," with all its wealth of costumic, scenic and electric grandeur that characterized the long runs in Chicago, New York, Philadelphia and Boston, where it was hailed as being the jolliest kind of life, color, mirth and music accorded seen for a decade. It is said that fun and music fairly permeate the two acts of the piece and each equally share the honors. Musical organizations of today suffice with but two or three comedians, but not so with "The Mayor of Tokio," for in addition to Mr. Carle the cast of comedians alone includes William Rock, Fred Frear, Jo Smith Marba, William R. Platt, Edwin Baker and Jess Caine.

The mere announcement that "Under Southern Skies" is to be seen at the New Plainfield theatre on Friday, February 16, matinee and night, will no doubt be sufficient to draw a large audience to witness it. "Under Southern Skies" has been played over an extensive territory, everywhere meeting with great success. Its beautiful story appeals to all classes of theatregoers and the Hallowe'en celebration delights everyone who sees it. An entirely new arrangement of songs and dances has been made for this season for the Hallowe'en party and no end of fun and enjoyment will be provided for the audience by this feature of the play. An entirely new and beautiful scenic setting will also be seen and a very strong company has been engaged to present the large number of parts.

The conservative New York Post said in its review of May Irwin's production of "Mrs. Black Is Back," which appears here soon: "After an absence of more than two years from the stage, Miss May Irwin returned to the Bijou theatre last night in George V. Hobart's 'offering,' 'Mrs. Black Is Back.' It is not intended seriously, being simply a series of harangues by Miss Irwin with a few clever performers to give her a chance of resting now and then. Of course there are the inevitable 'coon' songs, in which she is such an adept, and some dances. The situations are sufficiently effective in giving Miss Irwin opportunities of which she takes full advantage. She was ably assisted."

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MRS. WILLIAMSON CAUSES ARREST OF KEEPERS—HELD IN BRIL FOR TRIAL.

On complaint of Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, secretary of the State Board of Children's Guardians, Mrs. Mary Jane Brooks, colored, formerly of Arlington street, Newark, who conducts the Brooks Home for Colored Orphans in Glenwood avenue, Bloomfield, and Rev. James Garvis, a caretaker, are under arrest on a charge of maintaining a baby farm, where five colored children are improperly fed and clothed. Because of insufficient food, it is charged that the children were cruelly treated. Both of the accused were held in $200 bail each Wednesday by Recorder Cadman, to appear for trial in the Court of Special Sessions. Simon Miller, of Bloomfield, who claims to be director of the home, was paroled to appear as a witness when the case comes to trial. The complaints and arrests were made in accordance with the provisions of the State law to protect children from neglect and cruelty.

Many complaints had been made of late against the home both by citizens and organizations and the Board of Health was finally informed that the place was in an unsanitary condition and the promoters of it were notified to put the premises in good shape. Later the matter was brought to the attention of Mrs. Williamson. She visited the home Tuesday, made a thorough inspection and then went before the recorder and swore out complaints against Mrs. Brooks and her associate, who claimed to be the former pastor of the Freewill Colored Baptist church, of Newark. Garvis' name is not in the Newark directory, nor does it give the name of such a church.

Three of the children were taken in charge by Mrs. Williamson and the other two, children of Lee White, of Montclair, were removed to the police station, where they were kept over night. Yesterday they were given into the custody of the overseer of the poor of Montclair.

Mrs. Williamson told the police that she found a deplorable condition of affairs at the home. There was not enough food in the place for one person, she declared, and the children were also suffering from lack of proper clothing. According to Chief of Police Collins, Mrs. Brooks admitted that on many occasions she put three of the children in bed in order to keep them warm.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Dr. Lyman Abbott will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the Harvard Senior class on June 17.

It is reported that Richard D. Harlan will resign as president of Lake Forest University at the close of the present school year.

The Duke of Abruzzi has at last completed arrangements for a trip of exploration into the heart of Africa. He will start early in the spring and will be assisted by the British and French governments.

Congressman Victor Murdock, of Kansas, is credited with being the best pianist in the House, music being his strongest weakness. Next to music he loves newspaper work, which he understands thoroughly.

Father F. L. Conrady, the companion and successor to Father Damien, has arrived in New York to complete his plans for establishing leper colonies in China. He was born in Belgium and began his labors as a priest in India.

William H. Magennis, of Albany, N. Y., is the only Roman Catholic secretary of a Y. M. C. A. in the United States. He is a particular friend of Fanny Crosby, the blind poet and evangelist, and spent his last vacation at her home.

Sergius Witte, the Russian Premier, has presented Columbia University with copies of all the Russian State papers issued for many years. Some of them date as far back as 1802. All the Russian Government documents now in print have been included in the gift.

The German War Veterans of America are going to present a punch bowl to the Emperor and Empress of Germany on February 16, the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary. The bowl is in the form of a canoe, raised four and one-half feet from the floor on a pedestal.

Asbury Park License Question.

The Hotelkeepers' Association of Asbury Park has named Frank B. Conover, of the Coleman House; A. R. Parsons, of the Brunswick, and M. E. Sexton, of the Marlborough, as a committee to draft a license resolution to be presented to the City Council for action. All the big hotels are represented in the membership of the association. They want high license. Mayor Charles A. Atkins, himself the owner of one of the biggest hotels, favors high license.

Dates for Duke Hearing.

Vice-Chancellor Pitney made an order yesterday fixing April 23 and 26 and May 2 and 3 as dates for the hearing of the divorce suit brought by James B. Duke, the millionaire tobacco man, against Lillian N. Duke. Application for the order was made by R. V. Lindabury, counsel for Mr. Duke. A request for an allowance for counsel fees was made by Chauncey G. Parker and Samuel Kalisch, counsel for Mrs. Duke.

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Colby is coming.

The foxy Denman has the Westfield Standard offer the suggestion this week that Daab's Plainfield aggregation use Westfield's grounds. Great idea.

Should the Westfield autoist who ran down a carriage on Somerset street the other day, be found guilty an opportunity will be presented the city judge to mete out a punishment that will serve as a warning to all automobilists.

Somehow or other the rural editors of Somerset county make it a habit of breaking loose from their scissors once in a while to wield their "trenchant pens" against the Plainfield newspapers and people. They are always amusing in their seriousness and sometimes ridiculous. For instance, Mr. Bateman, who buries himself at Somerville, rises in his wrath to denounce former Senator Reed because the latter sees fit to take an interest in Somerset politics after the Unionist-Gazette has repeatedly printed his political death notice. Another jaundiced journalist, Mr. Mason, who does not kick against spending his life in Bound Brook, throws his ire into a paragraph regarding a story on that hamlet which was written by a newspaper writer there and subsequently appeared in many dailies throughout this section. He accuses "the Plainfield knockers" of being the author of the sad little tale, although there is no evidence to substantiate him. Somerset's weekly journalists don't stop for anything of that sort. They must spend their spleen against Plainfield because its sympathies with North Plainfield in its effort to try to forget that the borough is a part of Somerset.

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Thirty-two Goblins Consumed at Trinity's Supper.

Although the attendance was not sol arge as on Thursday night, the annual turkey supper under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church was continued last night with gratifying success. There were 250 suppers served and everything was sold out. During the two nights over 700 suppers were provided, 418 being the number on Thursday night. In all thirty-two turkeys were used, twenty-two the first night and ten last night. They weighed from ten to twenty-two pounds.

The society is grateful for the generous support and patronage given and a nice snug sum will be realized as profit for the treasury. This money will be devoted to church purposes as needed.

The orchestral music was a feature last night. B. Paroubek, the violinist, who substituted for Kenneth Stuart, was greatly enjoyed and he received several encores.

Right Kind of Court.

Mayor Newton B. Smalley presented his first report as borough recorder at last night's Council meeting. He has held the place since Thomas Doud retired the first of the year and during the month of January he collected $79 in fines. This is practically all clear profit as the mayor takes no salary and the expenses otherwise are very small.

Mrs. Hudson's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Caroline A. Hudson, widow of Samuel Hudson, who died yesterday at the home of Mrs. Miles on Somerset street, will be held at the residence of her son, William Hudson, 961 Bergen street, Brooklyn, at 8 o'clock tonight. Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Plainfield McAll Auxiliary.

The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Public Library on Wednesday morning, February 7, at 11 o'clock.

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There will be the observance of the Lord's Supper at the First Baptist church tomorrow morning and reception of new members.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Circle of the First M. E. church will hold a business meeting in Vincent chapel Tuesday afternoon.

There will be an Official Board meeting of the First M. E. church in Vincent chapel on Wednesday night, following the prayer meeting.

The Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church held its monthly meeting yesterday afternoon. The subject was "Indians."

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church a birthday party and entertainment will be held in Vincent chapel on Thursday night, February 8, for the benefit of the kitchen fund.

The choir of the First M. E. church will render Dudley Buck's "The Triumph of David," and Gounod's "Gallia," on Tuesday night, February 20, under the auspices of the Brotherhood of the church.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Frank Clark, Jr., of Myrtle avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons, pastor of Grace M. E. church, will make an address.

Sketches of the founder, Rev. F. E. Clark, the institution, principles and achievements of Christian Endeavor Society, together with music by a male quartette, cornet, violin and soprano solos will be the features of the observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the society at the Congregational church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Arrangements have practically been completed whereby J. Edmund Skiff will remain as organist and choirmaster at the First M. E. church for the coming year, and the present vested choir will continue. The officers of the church as well as the members in general are much pleased with the chorus choir results, believing that it has been a great help in the services. During the past year some changes have been made, including the adoption of the processional and recesssional, something new for the Methodist churches in this city. It is likely that other changes will be made during the coming year.

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To men who can't wear wool, we recommend the Utica Fleece Lined Derby Ribbed garments. Excellent garments at **50c.**

We have warm gloves of every kind suitable for every purpose. Gloves for Drivers, Teamsters, Motormen, Mechanics, Laborers, etc. Myers', Dent's and Fownes' Kids for street wear. White Gloves for evening wear.

At 2 pairs for 25c—Some natty styles in fancy Socks. About as effective as the 25c goods. Only enough for Saturday's selling.

At 2 for 25c—Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs.

At 5c each—Extra good Hemstitched Cambric Handkerchiefs.

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OUR NEW 50c SHIRTS.

The new goods now here. We know them to be the best we have yet shown. In variety, style, fit and general appearance they are unrivalled. By all means see them now while the showing is at its best. Light and dark colors Cuffs attached or detached.

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It is universally acknowleged that we are headquarters for what is newest and best in Men's Neckwear. Probably no house in the State shows a larger or more varied assortment. Enormous sales keep the stock fresh and bright.

MEN'S FLANNELETTE NIGHT SHIRTS 39c.

These are the regular 50c goods. We are overstocked—you may profit by our indiscretion.

We show excellent Domet Pajamas in good patterns at **1.00 per suit.**

A small lot, perhaps 20 dozens, Men's Black Wool Socks at **15c pair.** You will be asked 25c for same grade in most places.

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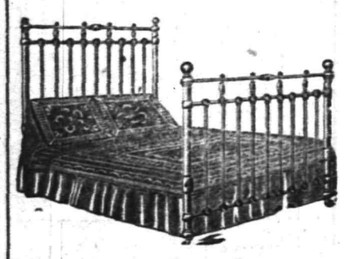

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Regular 9.50 Beds for ..... **6.98** Regular 12.50 Beds for **9.50**
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Sale of Elastic Felt Mattresses at 6.50 instead of 9.50.

These Matresses were bought for the January Sale, but have just arrived, and to clear them out quickly we have priced them as above. They are made of good quality felt, full 40 pounds and covered with an extra grade of ticking.

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SALE OF DINING-ROOM TABLES.

These Tables have beautiful quartered oak tops, very finely polished, with heavy carved legs.

ROUND TABLES.		SQUARE TABLES.	
Reg. Price.	Sale Price.	Reg. Price.	Sale Price.
18.75	now 14.98	16.98	now 13.75
23.50	now 18.50	18.75	now 14.98
25.00	now 19.50	20.00	now 16.50
26.50	now 21.50	23.50	now 18.50

SALE OF DINING-ROOM CHAIRS.

Made of solid oak stock, very strong and durably finished, with cane seat and brace arms.

Reg. Price.	Sale Price.
1.50	now 1.25
1.78	now 1.50
2.50	now 1.98
2.98	now 2.25

98c Kitchen Chairs.. 69c
2.00 Oak Rockers...1.50
1.78 Oak Rockers...1.29
3.98 Reed Rockers..1.98
10.00 Morris Chairs.7.50

THE SALE OF SAMPLE COUCHES.

4.25—Regular 6.50 Couches.
9.25—Regular 12.50 Couches.
6.98—Regular 9.00 Couches.
12.98—Regular 16.50 Couches.
5.98—Regular 8.00 Couches.
10.98—Regular 15.00 Couches.
7.98—Regular 10.50 Couches.
14.98—Regular 19.50 Couches.

THE SALE OF BED OUTFITS.

A Saving of 25 per cent.

5.98—Regular 8.50.
6.98—Regular 9.50.
7.98—Regular 10.50
9.98—Regular 12.50.
11.98—Regular 15.50.
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These prices include Bed, Spring and Mattress complete.

Hair Mattresses renovated and made over equal to new by a new process at very little cost.

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One Dollar today may be worth Two Dollars Tomorrow.

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Interest at the rate of FOUR PER CENT credited semi-annually

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Two receptions will be given each week. Notice will be given later as to the days. Next dance

SATURDAY NIGHT.

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Ladies' Tailoring Department.

Announces that during January and until Feb. 15 orders will be accepted at decided reductions from usual prices. All work executed under direction of a skilful French ladies' tailor. Special care and attention given in remodelling and repairing fine furs, making of scarfs and muffs.

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Strong, healthy, young singers. Guaranteed. Also cages, seeds, etc.

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Who Need Flannel
Who Need Dress Ginghams

COME TO PECK'S.

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We are receiving large shipments of Furniture every day and will place it on sale at most reasonable prices as you will see by comparison.

Beds and Bedding.

We can show as large and complete lines of enamel Beds and Mattresses as you would care to see, and all good reliable makes, too. Our prices for this sale will convince you that we can sell you Furniture and Bedding as reasonable as we do our Carpets, Rugs and Shades.

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ANNUAL

February Shoe Sale

BEGINS

Monday Morning.

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One lot Men's Shoes, were $4.00 and $5.00, now $3.50

One lot Men's Shoes, were $3.50, $4.00 and $5, at $3.00

One lot Boys' Shoes, were $3.50, sale price $3.00, mostly Patent Colt.

One lot Boys' Shoes, $1.50 and $200, were $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50.

Women's Button and Lace Welt Turn Soles, were $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00, sale price $2.75. Splendid values.

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One lot at $1.19 and 98c—odds and ends, strictly bargains

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Why suffer longer with corns when Randolph's famous Corn Cure is within easy reach?

It removes corns by the painless process in three days.

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THEATRICAL NOTES.

A matinee performance of "The School Girl" will be given at the New Plainfield Monday, February 12, this being a semi-holiday.

Hamlin, Mitchell & Fields are casting about to find something for a successor to "The Wizard of Oz," for the benefit of Montgomery and Stone. These two comedians are still playing the "Scarecrow" and the "Tin Woodman" with great success, but they are anxious for a change.

May Irwin is to be a local visitor on February 20. She comes with "Mrs. Black Is Back," and it will be the first time she has dropped in on us in nearly ten years. For all that, Miss Irwin is just as young looking as on the first day that she introduced her famous "Bully" song.

"The Lion and the Mouse," one of the season's greatest successes in New York, will be seen at the New Plainfield during the coming spring. It was written by Charles Klein, the author of "The Music Master," in which David Warfield has been playing in the metropolis for two years.

Adele Rowland, one of the two prima donnas in "The Mayor of Tokio," is the lucky possessor of one of the largest sapphires in the world. It is a family heirloom, and having passed from generation to generation finally became her property by the will of her late aunt, whose lineage links closely with that of King Edward VII. of England.

City Judge Runyon is known as the composer of several catchy topical songs, but the one he has written for the Elks' minstrels will relegate all the others to the "tall timbers." It has a swing that will make it popular with the whistlers and the words will bring more laughs than anything Jerome and Schwartz or George Cohan ever put on the market.

Women's Higher Education.

"Some Results of the Higher Education of Women" will be the subject of a lecture to be given by Miss Mary A. Jordan, of Smith College, before the Monday Afternoon Club at the Casino Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Interscholastic Meet.

Tickets are out for the interscholastic meet to be held at the Y. M. C. A. between Cranford, Westfield and Plainfield High Schools on February 24. The entries will close February 17.

SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

Baptist.

First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, communion; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Park Avenue—Rev. A. E. Finn, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "The Promised Presence of God;" Lord's Supper and reception of new members; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:45, evangelistic service, subject, "A Religion of Joy."

Faith chapel—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—10:45, preaching, subject, "Self Examination;" communion at close of sermon; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching, subject, "Heaven."

Mt. Olive Baptist—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Calvary Baptist—11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; 3:00, Sunday-school.

Reformed.

Trinity — Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:15, evening prayer meeting; 7:45, preaching.

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching by pastor in German; 8:00, preaching.

Marconnier chapel—3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian—Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "Making a Living or Making a Life;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching, subject, "The Beginning of a Christian Life."

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—Service 10:30 and 7:45.

Hope Chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—Services 10:30 and 8, evening.

Warren Chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—Service 10:30 and 8.

Bethel Chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 and 8 p. m.

Episcopal.

Grace church—Rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson; rector-emeritus, Rev. E. M. Rodman—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 10:30, morning prayer, litany and sermon, 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, sermon.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Charles H. Doupe, rector—9:45, Sunday-school, 11, morning service.

St. Stephen's—Rev. Arthur S. Peck, rector—Fifth Sunday after Epiphany; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11 a. m., high celebration of the Holy Communion; Rev. Dr. Neilson, preacher; 4:00, evensong.

Holy Cross—Rector, Rev. George A. Warner—8:00 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., Sunday-school meets in parish house (except first Sunday in the month); 10:00 a. m., rector's Bible class for young men and women in the parish house; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon (except first Sunday in month); 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Rev. E. E. Miller, curate—11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8:00 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Methodist Episcopal.

First—Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor—10:30, subject, "The Law of Christ;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:00, Epworth League, topic, "A Life That Is a Trust;" 7:45, public worship, subject, "A Feast in the Desert."

Grace M. E.—Rev. Charles Wesley Parsons, D. D., pastor — 10:30, subject, "Growth;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth League; 7:45, preaching, subject, "Be Good to Yourself."

Monroe Avenue—Rev. George Mooney, pastor—11, sermon; 3:00 p. m., Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. H. C. Ashley, pastor—11:00 a. m., preaching; 3 p. m., preaching.

Roman Catholic.

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3; Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 3:30.

Congregational.

Congregational church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, subject, "The Benefit of Religious Emotion;" 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, celebration of twenty-fifth anniversary of C. E. movement.

Swedish Evangelistic Pilgrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—4:00, Young people's meeting.

Friends.

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street, meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

Unitarian.

All Souls—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching; 11:50, Sunday-school.

Lutheran.

German Lutheran—Swedish service, 8 p. m.

St. Peter's German Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street—9:30, Sunday-school, German and English classes; 10:30 a. m., preaching.

Christian Science.

Services 11 a. m., in room 407, Babcock building.

Not Classified.

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank Place—7:30 p. m.

Disciples of Christ.

Christian church—Rev. Phil A. Parsons, pastor—Services 10:30 a. m., 3:30 and 7:30 p. m.; anniversary services of Grove Street Mission.

W. C. T. U.—Meeting at 4 p. m., good speaking and singing.

Y. M. C. A.—4:00 p. m.

To Speak at Garwood Chapel.

S. N. Allen, who will address the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, will also speak at the Garwood Presbyterian chapel tomorrow evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shearer, of Madison avenue, will spend Sunday with Mrs. Shearer's sister in New York.

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Fifty Cases Just Received from France.

In Gallon, Half Gallon, Quart, Pint and Half Pint Bottles.

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NOTICE.

City National Bank of Plainfield,
Dividend, No. 58.

The Board of Directors of the City National Bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent., out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Tuesday, February 6.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 31. 2 3 2

Monday Afternoon Club Lecture

Some Results of the Higher Education of Women,

by Mary A. Jordan (Smith College), on

Monday, February 5, at 3:30 p. m., at The Casino. Admission 25c.

THE FORUM.

Groundhogs.

Editor The Daily Press:

It was groundhog day. The sun shone so that the groundhog could easily find his shadow and initiate a new period of winter. All this he had done. The sudden bitterness of the wind drove the ladies who waited for the nine-thirty train into the waiting room. Plainly lettered upon one of the pillars was the admonition "Smoking strictly prohibited," But it was groundhog day!

Sitting in the middle of the room in an armchair, reading a newspaper and vigorously puffing a five-cent cigar, sat an individual clad in man's attire, and in a brown mustache, recking not of rules, but reeking of vile tobacco and filling the room and the ladies' nostrils with his detestable smoke.

It was groundhog day!

No one spoke to him—not the ladies, surely. They only suffered; they had no wish for communication with him. Not the gentlemen passengers, who also had been driven in by the sudden bitter blast. They were indignant, but preferred not to meddle with the duty that belonged to the stationmaster or the policeman. Not the stationmaster! He was a little man, and otherwise occupied. Not the policeman!. He wasn't there, and never is! And so the individual in the male attire and the brown mustache puffed on.

It was groundhog day!

R. F.

Cannot Secure Permits.

Because the governing bodies in the different municipalities between Plainfield and Elizabeth refuse to give the Public Service Corporation permits to locate "Y's" at certain points the company is unable to operate any number of single-end motor cars on the main line. At present only one car of this type is now being used. An effort will be made to secure the necessary permit so that other cars may be run. They are considered a great improvement over the old style cars.

A Basketball Game.

Being unable to get a game with an out-of-town team, the first Y. M. C. A. five will not play tonight, but instead there will be a lively contest, the third in a series for the championship, between Wanamassa Boat Club and the Business Men's five of the association. The game will be called at 8:15 o'clock. Both teams are playing very fast and much local interest is being shown in the result of the game.

Four Per Cent. Dividend.

The borad of directors of the City National Bank has just declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Tuesday, February 6. In a large measure it is the earning capacity of a bankinf institution that indicates its standing, and in this respect the City National Bank is considered one of the best in the country.

Cigar Dealer Makes Assignment.

Charles H. Kirby, who has conducted a wholesale and retail cigar store on Park avenue for the past three years, made an assignment yesterday, through his attorney, Francis J. Blatz. The assets are about $350 and the liabilities about $1,000. Mr. Kirby has been ill much of the time of late and he was unable to give the business the attention it needed.

At Charity Ball.

Among the guests at the Charity ball given Thursday night at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York, were Burritt H. Shepard, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard, of "The Gables," Fanwood, and Edward R. Finch, of New York, whose parents reside on Park avenue, this city.

J. D. Loizeaux, of East Second street, returned this morning from Alabama, where he has been spending a short time on business.

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DIED.

CRAIG—At Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 1, 1906, Mrs. Cornelia F. Craig, wife of William Craig, aged 23 years, 7 months, 1 day.

Funeral services at her late residence, 314 Monroe avenue, on Sunday, February 4, at 2:30 p. m. 2 2 2

HUDSON—On Friday, February 2, 1906, Caroline A., widow of Samuel Hudson, aged 80 years, 7 months, 23 days.

Funeral services at the residence of her son, William Hudson, 961 Bergen street, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Saturday, February 3, at 8 p. m.

OTTO—In this city, February 2 1906, Maxmilion Otto, aged 44 years and 3 months.

Funeral from his late residence, 318 Lee place, Plainfield, Sunday afternoon, February 4, 1906, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Hillside cemetery.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Situations Wanted.

FIRST-CLASS cook wishes position. 216 New street. 2 1 3

SITUATION wanted for general housework, by respectable woman, with child three years old; excellent references. Address A. H., care Daily Press. 2 1 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 tf

WANTED—A young girl for light general housework. 183 Martine avenue. 2 3 6

WANTED — First-class chambermaid; good references. Call Thursday, after 5 o'clock, 503 Stelle avenue. 1 31 tf

WANTED—Stair builders or men to work on stairs; steady work to good men. Inquire of W. J. Boehm, No. 1066 Magnolia avenue, Elizabeth, N. J. 2 1 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Inquire 945 Central Ave. 2 1 3

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. Mrs. G. G. Davidge, 12 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—A sober, industrious, young white man to take care of horses and make himself generally useful around store. Apply No. 187 North avenue. 1 25 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; small family; reference required. 1042 Dunellen avenue, near Albert St. 2 2 2

BOY wanted in office of manufacturing concern; state age, experience, etc. P. S., Press office. 2 2 2

WANTED — Experienced grocery clerk; good wages to right party. P. J. Windfeldt, 133 and 135 Broad St., Westfield. 2 1 3

Help Wanted.

FEMALE HELP WANTED—Experienced lace-runners and operators on white skirt bodies. Edward Kapp, 121 Prince street, New York city. 2 2

ENGINEER wanted to run pumping engine at station of Plainfield Water Company. Apply No. 175 North avenue. 2 3 tf

Miscellaneous.

U NEED IT—Nash's $5.00 Pea Coal. 1 30 10

FOR FLORIDA and the South, the Clyde Line is direct and offers superior service and accommodations. Tickets and full information at office, No. 197 North Avenue, William D. Thickstun, agent. 1 19 1mo

MASSAGE, general and facial, scalp treatment a specialty; manicuring. 1121 Putnam Ave. 1 22 1mo

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 5 4 tf

AUTOMOBILE drivers, repairmen, chauffeurs and others wanted all over the country; 50,000 machines built this year in United States; affording great opportunities for our students. 6 cents a day will qualify you for good wages in this growing field. For full particulars and one free lesson, including a dictionary of motoring terms, address The Correspondence School of Automobile Engineering, Suite 7376, Flatiron Building, New York. 2 3 12 1st s in mo

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BROWN — Plainfield's popular watchmaker, 202 Watchung avenue, for repairs. 1 30 3 eod

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TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices: also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. 4 6 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St tf

CALL telephone 357-W when you need coal. 1 30 10

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For Rent.

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

STORE, 187 North avenue, for rent from April 1. Apply room 2, 102 North Avenue. 1 8 tf m w s

TO LET—Six-room house; also part of house, with all improvements; furnished or unfurnished. Apply 342 Somerset street. 2 2 6

FLATS to let, $9, $12, $16 per month; improvements. Inquire Adam Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 1 10

TO RENT—Ten-room house; all improvements; in perfect order; to family of adults. Inquire 402 Park avenue. 2 1 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

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DELEGATION IN CONGRESS SPECULATING ON DRYDEN'S CHANCE.

Washington, Feb. 3.—New Jersey isn't the only place where a whole lot of interest is being taken just at present in the question of whether Governor Edward C. Stokes is or is not constitutionally disqualified from election as United States Senator to succeed John F. Dryden when the latter's successor is elected by the Legislature next year. The Dryden forces are interested, as the present Senator is counting on enough South Jersey support to overcome North Jersey opposition if it develops, as it is expected to, should the Colby forces in Essex, the Fagan-Record forces in Hudson and the reform element in Passaic, be again successful in controlling the Assembly delegations from those counties. The Colby people are interested, as the entrance of Stokes into the Senatorial lists would undoubtedly bring to him a considerable following from South Jersey, even if the Baird machine in Camden is overthrown, as they are planning to do next fall. All the South Jersey Republican leaders are interested, for, with Stokes in the race, they believe, in the event of the Colby movement gaining any momentum in the lower tier of counties, his personal following and the advantage of having a South Jersey candidate, to appeal to the sentiment of sectionalism, would be of material advantage to them in the next campaign, aside from their natural interest in regaining a South Jersey Senator, which distinction they lost with Sewell's death.

Among the Jerseymen in Washington, the outlook for the Congressional elections in New Jersey next fall, followed closely, as it will be, by the Senatorial fight, is a matter of very much and immediate interest, and is receiving about as much attention and causing more uneasiness than anything that is before Congress in the way of pending or proposed legislation. At this time there probably isn't a members of the New Jersey delegation but is in favor of Dryden's re-election. With Stokes in the fight, there may be some division of loyalty. In several instances there will be men standing between love and duty. It is a fact that every present New Jersey member of Congress is very friendly to the Dryden interests. Both in and out of the delegation, so far as official circles in the national capital are concerned, the Prudential president is popular, respected and looked upon as one of the influential members of the Senate.

There has been speculation at times, and is some at present, as to how deep-seated may be the love borne by the senior New Jersey Senator, John Kean, for his colleague. It is a fact that among South Jersey Republicans the sectional feeling, so far as political representation is concerned, runs high. The fact that both of the present Senators come from North Jersey, and from adjoining counties at that, is not relished, and there can be no contradiction of the statement that, aside from any personal feeling toward the present Senators or any future candidates, South Jersey leaders will never be entirely satisfied until a Senator is again elected from that end of the State. Nobody knows this sentiment better than Kean, and knowing this condition of affairs, there are many who believe he would be entirely satisfied to see Dryden's successor elected from the lower end of the State, which would add much to his own prestige and chances for re-election, possibly, as the only North Jersey Senator.

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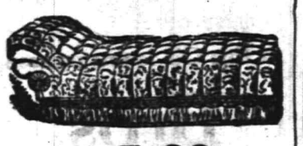
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HUDSON COUNTY ASSOCIATION TAKE STEPS TO OPPOSE THE MEASURE.

Jersey City, Feb. 3.—To formulate plans for opposing the excise bill which is being prepared by the Roman Catholic and Protestant Episcopal clergymen in New Jersey, for introduction at this session of the Legislature, the executive committee of the Hudson County Liquor Dealers' Association held a special meeting in this city Thursday.

Patrick McArdle, chairman of the executive committee, declined to divulge what happened at the meeting. He said, however, that another meeting would be held today, when a statement will be made by the liquor dealers.

The liquor dealers object to the provision of the bill of the clergymen which limits the number of saloons to one for each 1,000 population, and to the provision which places at $250 the license fee for dealers who sell only beer and which provides an additional $250 fee if the saloon-keepers wish also to sell liquors.

CLIPPINGS OF CURRENT COMMENT.

Legislation be jammed! That's the keynote in Washington.—Boston Herald (Ind.).

There is a rumor that George Ade will be sent to Congress. Just who will send him, or why he should be sent, isn't at all clear.—Cleveland Plain Dealer (Dem.).

Captain Van Schaick's negligence was criminal; but justice halts and breaks down utterly in visiting upon this poor old man alone the punishment which should be distributed "higher up."—Boston Post.

Mayor McClellan's invasion of the Tammany tiger's lair promises to excel Daniel's lion-den performance in spectacular features. Daniel didn't twist their tails. And at that the prophet had stronger backing.—Portland Oregonian (Rep.).

New Yorkers sincerely hope that the last days of January will not be so warm as those of Pompeii.—Anaconda Standard.

One good thing about English elections is that you can wallop the other side for two whole weeks, thus giving plenty of time for celebrating.—Syracuse Herald.

One of the means suggested to kill the anti-tip bill now before the Ohio Legislature is to tip some of the legislators. It would be all right, perhaps, but for the notorious fact that the tipped never tip.—Boston Evening Transcript (Ind. Rep.).

Secretary Root again pronounces absurd the story that there is a plan to sell the Philippines to Japan. Uncle Sam is not selling any of his possessions and Japan hasn't any money to invest in real estate at present.—Utica Press (Ind.).

If the state should enact a law compelling direct nominations, then all political parties would be on an equal political footing. But New York Republicans will find, if they attempt to run a direct nomination scheme, that Tammany will have an amusing time taking advantage of their errors.—Albany Evening Journal (Rep.).

The reason which induced the people of New York State to vote in favor of the barge canal was that New York State needed it. The fact has never been denied or disguised, however, by the advocates of the canal that its existence will be of benefit to the whole country by linking together still more closely the commercial interests of the East and the West, and benefiting the consumer everywhere. No state or nation ever had reason to regret such an act as this.—Syracuse Post Standard (Rep.).

NUSSBAUM TO GET DIVORCE.

Vce Chancellor Says Testimony Against Wife is Convincing.

Vice Chancellor Stevens announced yesterday at Newark that he had decided to recommend a decree of divorce to Leo Nussbaum, of Newark, from his wife, Mrs. Esther Nussbaum. The case was tried in Newark a short time ago. The petitioner named Henry Herzenberg as co-respondent, and there was testimony involving Mrs. Nussbaum and Herzenberg while the woman was a patient recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the Beth Israel Hospital, of which institution Herzenberg was a trustee.

In announcing his decision the Vice Chancellor said:

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Quite Reasonable.

A preacher was saying the other day, "I once had in my Sunday-school a young urchin from a poor neighborhood. He did his best to bring recruits, and one afternoon I said to him, 'Billy, don't you think you could induce one or two other boys to come to Sunday-school?' Billy answered: 'Well, sir, I could bring one, but all the other fellers in our alley can lick me."—London News.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

"The Man on the Box"

By HAROLD MacGRATH

Author of "The Grey Cloak," "The Puppet Crown."

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CHAPTER V.

THE PLOT THICKENS.

At dinner that night I met my hero face to face for the first time in eight years and for all his calling me a duffer (I learned of this only recently), he was mighty glad to see me, slapped me on the back and threw his arm across my shoulder. And why shouldn't he have been glad? We had been boys together, played hooky many a school-time afternoon, gone over the same fishing grounds, plunged into the same swimming-holes, and smoked our first cigar in the rear of my father's barn; and it is the recollection of such things that cements all the more strongly friendship in man and man. We recalled a thousand episodes and escapades, the lickings we got, and the lickings the others got in our stead, the pretty school-teacher whom we swore to wed when we grew up. Nobody else had a chance to get a word in edgewise. But Nancy laughed aloud at times. She had been a witness to many of these long-ago pranks.

"What! you are not going to the ball?" I asked, observing that he wore only a dinner-coat and a pair of morocco slippers.

"No ball for me. Just as soon as you people hie forth, off comes this boiled shirt, and I shall probably meander around the house in my new silk pajamas. I shall read a little from

"NO BALL FOR ME."

Homer—Jack, let me have the key to that locked case; I've an idea that there must be some robust old, merry old tales hidden there—and smoke a few pipes."

"But you are not going to leave Mrs. Warburton and your sister to come home without escort?" I expostulated.

"Where the deuce are you two men going?" Robert asked, surprised. Somehow, I seemed to catch a joyful rather than a sorrowful note in his tones.

"An important conference at midnight, and heaven only knows how long it may last," said Jack. "I wish you would go along, Bob."

"He can't go now, anyhow," said the pretty little wife. "He has got to stay now, whether he will or no. William will see to it that we women get home all right,"—and she busied herself with the salad dishes.

"Go to the ball, you beauties, dance and revel to your heart's content; your brother Robert will manage to pass away the evening. Don't forget the key to that private case, Jack,"—as the women left the table to put the finishing touches to their toilets.

"Here you are," said Jack. "But mind, you must put those books back just as you found them, and lock the case. They are rare editions."

"With the accent on the rare, no doubt."

"I am a student, pure and simple," said Jack, lowering his eyes.

"I wouldn't swear to those adjectives," returned the scalawag. "If I remember, you had the reputation of being a high-jinks man in your class at Princeton."

"Sh! Don't you dare to drag forth any of those fool corpses of college, or out you go, bag and baggage." Jack glanced nervously around the room and toward the hall.

"My dear fellow, your wife wouldn't believe me, no matter what I said against your character. Isn't that right, Chuck? Jack, you are a lucky dog, if there ever was one. A handsome wife who loves you, a kid, a fine home and plenty of horses. I wonder if you married her for her money?"

Jack's eyes narrowed. He seemed to muse. "Yes, I believe I can do it as easily as I did 15 years ago."

"Do what?" I asked.

"Wallop that kid brother of mine. Bob, I hope you'll fall desperately in love some day, and that you will have a devil of a time winning the girl. You need something to stir up your vitals. By George! and I hope she won't have a cent of money."

"Lovable brother, that!" Bob knocked the ashes from his cigar and essayed at laughter which wasn't particularly felicitous. "Supposing I was in love, now and that the girl had neaps of money, and all that?"

"And all that," mimicked the elder brother. "What does 'and all that' mean?"

"Oh, shut up!"

"Well, I hope you are in love. It serves you right. You've made more than one girl's heart ache, you good-looking ruffian!"

Then he switched over to politics, and Robert became an interested listener. Quarter of an hour later the women returned, and certainly they made a picture which was most satisfactory to the masculine eye. Bob jumped to his feet and kissed them both, a thing I lacked the courage to do. How pleased they looked! How a woman loves flattery from those she loves!

Well, William is in front with the carriage; the women are putting on their cloaks, and I am admiring the luxurious crimson fur-lined garment which brother Robert had sent to Nancy from Paris. You will see by this that he was not altogether a thoughtless lad. Good-by, Mr. Robert. I leave you and your guiding-star to bolt the established orbit; for, after this night the world will never be the same careless, happy-go-lucky world. The farce has its tragedy, and what tragedy is free of the ludificatory? Youth must run its courses, even as the gay, wild brook must riot on its way to join the sober river.

I dare say that we hadn't gone 20 minutes before Robert stole out to the stables, only to return immediately with a bundle under his arm and a white felt hat perched rakishly on his head. He was chuckling audibly to himself.

"It will frighten the girls half to death. A gray horse and a bay; oh, I won't make any mistake. Let me see: I'll start about 12 o'clock. That'll get me to the spot just as the boys leave. This is the richest yet. I'll wager that there will be some tall screaming." He continued chuckling as he helped himself to his brother's perfectos and fine old Scotch. I don't know what book he found in the private case; some old rascal's merry tales, no doubt; for my hero's face was never in repose.

We had left Mrs. Secretary-of-the-Interior's and were entering the red brick mansion on Connecticut avenue. Carriages lined both sides of the street, and mounted police patrolled up and down.

"Poor boy!' sighed Nancy. "I wonder if he'll be lonely. It's a shame to leave him home the very first night."

"Why didn't he come, then?" Mrs. W. shrugged her polished shoulders.

"Oh, my cigars and Scotch are fairly comforting," put in Jack, complacently. "Besides, Jane isn't at all bad looking,"—winking at me. "What do you say, Charlie?"

But Charlie had not time to answer. The gray-haired, gray-whiskered ambassador was bowing pleasantly to us. A dozen notable military and naval attaches nodded; and we passed on to the ball-room, where the orchestra was playing "A Summer Night in Munich." In a moment Jack and his wife were lost in the maze of gleaming shoulders and white linen. It was a picture such as few men, once having witnessed it, can forget. Here were the great men in the great world: this man was an old rear-admiral, destined to become the nation's hero soon; there, a famous general, of long and splendid service; celebrated statesmen, diplomats, financiers; a noted English duke; a scion of the Hapsburg family; an intimate of the German kaiser; a swart Jap; a Chinaman with his peacock feather; tens of men whose lightest word was listened to by the four ends of the world; representatives of all the great kingdoms and states. The president and his handsome wife had just left as we came, so we missed that formality, which detracts from the pleasures of the ball-room.

"Who is that handsome young fellow over there, standing at the side of the Russian ambassador's wife?" asked Nancy, pressing my arm.

"Where? Oh, he's Count Karloff (or something that sounds like it), a wealthy Russian, in some way connected with the Russian government; a diplomat and a capital fellow, they say. I have never met him. . . . Hello! there's a stunning girl right next to him that I haven't seen before. . . . Where are you going?"

(CONTINUED.)

The "Handle Dog."

An Italian newspaper informs its readers that a new kind of lap-dog has been manufactured in England and has been named the "Handle Dog." The end of the tail of a puppy is cut open and twisted into an open wound in the back of the animal, where it makes a second root. The tail thus forms a handle, and no fine lady in England who respects herself now appears without one of these dogs hanging to one of her fingers.—London Truth.

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GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

Western plays there have been aplenty of late years, but it is doubtful if any have reached the popularity of "The Squaw Man," at Wallack's theatre, New York. For three months or more this extremely virile play has packed the theatre at every performance, and this is due alone to the truthful type of characters presented. They are just men and women, with their usual frailties, and not idealized products of a playwright's brain set dancing and talking to the tune of an impossible fancy. The third act is the apotheosis of the West and its inhabitants. William Faversham, the star of "The Squaw Man," portrays an English army officer in the first act of the play. Curiously enough Mr. Faversham was prior to his adoption of the stage, a captain in the Leicester Yeomanry, the very regiment in which he now appears as a lieutenant at every performance at Wallack's theatre. The star says he feels a thrill run through him every time he inserts himself into the old uniform.

It is seldom that four well known stars are found in the support of another star, and yet in "The Vanderbilt Cup" at the Broadway theatre, New York city, may be seen Otis Harlan, who starred in "A Black Sheep," Henry V. Donnelly, of "Natural Gas," Charles Dickson, of "Incog," and Aubrey Boucicault, of "Heidelberg," and they lend their efforts to helping Miss Elsie Janis keep the comedy ball rolling, and the result is the one really successful comedy of a musical nature that Broadway has seen this season.

Miss Ellis Jeffreys, who is appearing as the star in Alfred Sutro's play, "The Fascinating Mr. Vanderveldt," at Daly's theatre in New York, relates an incident connected with her first meeting with the noted author. She was playing in London when Mr. Sutro was announced at the door of her dressing room. When she went out to meet him, Mr. Sutro merely said: "Sorry to have troubled you, and delighted to meet you, but I just wanted to get a look at you quite closely. I have a play in mind, and the principal character as I have imagined her, looks like you. I just wanted to see what your hands looked like and how you wore your hair. Thank you and good-bye!" Later Miss Jeffreys was asked to appear in the role for which she stood as model for a brief instant.

The Rogers Brothers, in their new musical play, "The Rogers Brothers in Ireland," is the attraction at the New York theatre for a brief engagement, beginning next Monday evening. This piece was presented earlier in the season at the Liberty theatre. The company numbers 125 people, and the scenery and costuming are superb. The story is told in three acts with scenes which show Glendalough, the Lakes of Killarney and Blarney Castle. The Rogers Brothers play the roles of Heinrich Vunk and Nicholas Knox, two public spirited young German-Americans who visit Ireland to purchase the blarney stone and place it on exhibition in the United States, to raise a fund to release Ireland from the British government. The Germans become involved in a series of comic complications which introduce a varied selection of Irish types. All characters but those played by the Rogers Brothers speak with a brogue. The principal supporting role is played by Corinne, formerly widely known as "Little Corinne." Other noted players are Josie Intropodi, Bessie de Voie, Charles McCarthy, Edward O'Connor, John Conroy, Ethel Intropodi, Julia Eastman, William Torpey, Arthur V. Gibson, Grace Grindell and Pauline Thorne.

The biggest comedy hit of the year in New York is Fay Templeton in Geo. M. Cohan's music play, "45 Minutes from Broadway," at the New Amsterdam theatre, where she is now in her fourth week. Miss Templeton is undoubtedly the cleverest comedienne on the American stage. Her versatility was never more strongly tested than in this play, wherein she has serious and emotional, as well as broad comedy situations. Her work is particularly pleasing to women. She is a women's comedienne, always refined in al that she does and never resorting to the slightest suggestion of coarseness to make her comic points. Victor Moore, who plays the opposite role, "Kid" Burns, has made a hit second only to that of the star. Mr. Moore, too, belongs to the quiet, unctuous and refined school of comedy, and in him Miss Templeton finds a most able second, in full sympathy with her stage methods. It is a pleasure to witness the situations between these really great artists, who make their points through refreshingly natural methods. As for the piece itself, it far surpasses expectation and any one who sees it cannot leave the theatre disappointed. It is a very effective conglomeration of different schools of theatrical entertainment into a powerful story of human interest, staged with novelty, variety and snap. "45 Minutes from Broadway" is quite the real thing in New York.

In "As Ye Sow," the new play by the Rev. Dr. John Snyder, of Boston, which had its premier at the Garden theatre, New York, Christmas, William A. Brady and Joseph R. Grimser believe they have another popular success of the type of the "Old Homestead," "Way Down East" and "Shore Acres." It will be recalled that the last named plays gradually grew to great popularity after having been at first received with some skepticism by the more severe critics, and that they still—years after their initial presentations—are potent and profitable attractions throughout the country. That "As Ye Sow" has many of the qualities which made famous "Way Down East" is conceded, and its reception in New York is much the same as that which characterized the advent of that immensely successful play here some nine years ago. "As Ye Sow" will not satisfy those who revel in the risque or who rejoice in the unclean in the drama. It is a play built on simple and altogether wholesome lines, but withal intensely interesting throughout, with strong love interest, pathos and comedy situations blended. It is a play which appeals to the "average citizen" and is not intended for the edification of those who seek only the frivolous things which the stage offers.

MRS. COREY ON HER WAY TO NEVADA.

Will Establish a Residence, It Is Presumed, and Sue For Divorce.

Reno, Nev., Feb. 3.—A message was received here from Ogden yesterday stating that Mrs. W. Ellis Corey, wife of the President of the United States Steel Corporation, is on the Overland Limited and will arrive in this city today. She left Pittsburg last week. It is definitely announced in Reno that she intends to make Nevada her home, all hope of a reconciliation with her husband had been given up. It is presumed that it is the purpose of Mrs. Corey to establish a residence in Nevada and sue for divorce.

Mrs. Corey, it is believed, has purchased outright the R. L. Fulton mansion here. When here before she leased the house. In the last few days it has been refurnished and a large retinue of servants has been retained. They say that Mrs. Corey is expected.

SAVED THE LINIMENT.

New Providence Boy Had Hard Time of It, but Did His Duty.

New Providence, Feb. 3.—Adolph Miller, fourteen years old, of this borough, had quite an adventure Thursday, and though he was thrown from a horse's back and badly shaken up he still says with pride: "Well, I saved the liniment, anyhow."

Adolph Miller, Sr., the boy's father, is a teamster, living about a mile from the commercial part of the borough. Yesterday afternoon he instructed his son to go to the store and buy a bottle of liniment.

"May I ride one of the horses?" asked the lad.

"Why, there is no saddle," said the father.

"That's all right: I'll ride bareback," replied Adolph, and to this the father consented, instructing him to be careful, and, above all, not to break the bottle of liniment.

Adolph arrived safely at the store and, after purchasing a quart bottle of liniment, started home on an easy trot, carrying his package under one arm. When about half way there he saw coming toward him, in a pony cart, another boy, about fourteen years old. Just as the pony and cart were passing the horse the boy in the cart snapped his whip and shouted. This naturally frightened Adolph's horse, and away the animal went, galloping full speed toward home, regardless of the feelings of the boy on his back.

Adolph tugged desperately at the bridle, but in vain, the horse only galloped faster. So as not to be bounced off the lad let go of the bridle and grasped the mane, still clutching the bottle under his arm. Gradually he slid toward the rear of the horse. His hold loosened on the horse's mane, there came an extra hard bump, and after a rapid journey through the air Adolph sat violently down in the middle of the road. But he still tightly clasped the bottle of liniment. He watched the horse disappear up the road and then slowly limped homeward.

CHIEF OF POLICE SUED.

Priest Wants $10,000 Damages for Alleged Libellous Statements.

Sheriff Sommer, of Essex county, issued yesterday a summons for Chief of Police George P. Wacker, of Orange, in an action for $10,000 damages for libel brought by the Rev. Victor Romanelli, former pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, in Orange.

The action grew out of the recent interference by the Orange police with a demonstration at the hospital of the Immaculate Conception, an institution founded by Father Romanelli.

In connection with that trouble, the priest alleges that Chief Wacker made malicious and defamatory statements, accusing the plaintiff of being guilty of the crime of conspiracy, in charging that the priest was the author of an inflammatory circular which is said to have led to the outbreak of Italian residents of Orange.

Y. M. C. A. Men's Meeting.

S. N. Allen, of the Old Jerry McAuley (Water street) Mission, will address the Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Carl B. Haynes, baritone, and the Y. M. C. A. orchestra will assist in the service.

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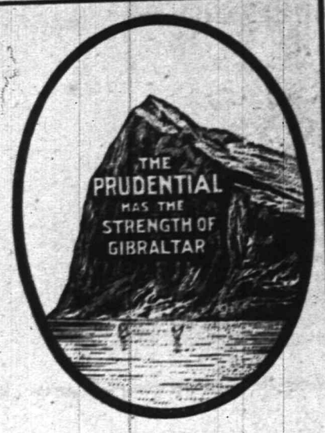

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH'S FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

Formal Observance At All-Day Exercises Tomorrow.

The first anniversary services will be held by the Christian church at the Grove Street Mission tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Phil. A. Parsons, pastor, has completed an interesting programme. There will be good singing and orchestral music to precede each speaker.

Those who have been secured as speakers are the following: William Carey, of Newark; John B. Oakley, of Elizabeth, J. Simonson, of New York; Howard B. Sheckler, of Elizabeth; Rev. H. N. Jordan, of New Market, and Rev. J. B. Cleaver, of Bound Brook. There will also be local speakers.

SERVICE FOR CHILDREN.

Rev. Mr. Warner Announces Special Monthly Meeting.

A service for young people and children will be held at Holy Cross church tomorrow morning at 9:45 o'clock. A shortened form of morning prayer will be said by the rector, Rev. Charles S. Warner, and the musical parts of the service, including hymns, will be both familiar and simple. The full vested choir of men and boys will lead the singing.

The rector will catechise the children publicly in the church, explaining questions and answers. Adults will be welcomed at this monthly service, but it is essentially a service for the young people. The little ones who can only walk and talk and are likely to indulge in both in church, the rector says, are quite as welcome as the older ones who are better acquainted with proper church decorum.

Bateman Looking Out for No. 1.

C. H. Bateman, of Somerville, would not conscientiously decline the postmastership of his home town should it come his way. He is reported to be carrying on a flirtation with the appointment.

—The boys' work committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet Monday night.

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HE GAVE THE CHIEF A FALSE MURDER CLUE.

Kelly Meets An Uncomfortable Reminiscence of the Wood Chase in the City Court.

Thomas Kelly, of Dunellen, was arrested last night on complaint of a trolley car conductor for helpless drunkenness and disorder. Kelly started his disorder by cussing and brought it to a climax by going to sleep on the car floor.

When he was arraigned in court this morning, Chief Kiely recalled the fact that the prisoner gave him a false clue in the hunt for the murderer of Grocer Williams a year ago as a joke, and sent the chief off on a two hours' wild-goose chase. Curiously enough, it was exactly a year ago today that Kelly "steered" the chief; the first anniversary of the murder fell yesterday.

"You made your jag too prominent," said Judge Runyon in fining the prisoner $5, but Kelly had a suspicion that his little joke of a year ago had something to do with the sentence.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Miss Cleaves has resigned her position with A. L. & M. Gorsline, of Park avenue, to accept one in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Mali, of New York, whose summer residence is on East Front street, were among the members of the Thursday Evening Club who attended its meeting this week at the home of one of their city neighbors, where an informal reception was followed by a French play given by amateurs.

No Would-be Cops.

No applications for the vacancies on the police force have been received at headquarters. The department lays the reluctance of young men to apply to the scale of pay. It is too small to attract the class of men demanded for the work. Patrolmen get $60 a month the first year, $65 the second year, $70 the third, fourth and fifth years, and $75 monthly thereafter. That is the limit under the scale established in 1903. The sergeant only gets $1,000 a year and the chief $1,400.

New Members of Congregation.

The bi-monthly communion service will be held at the First Baptist church tomorrow morning after the sermon, at which time seventeen new members will receive the right-hand-of-fellowship. The pastor, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, will also preach in the evening.

Business Men vs. Canoists.

The Business Men's five will meet the Wanamassa Boat Club team at the Y. M. C. A. again tonight. A spirited game is expected. The fives are old rivals and sparks fly whenever they meet.

Y. M. C. A. Alleys Improved.

The Y. M. C. A. bowling alleys have been fitted with new pins and new balls, and the beds have been trued. Fast rolling is now possible on the alleys.

Mrs. Paul Taylor Brown, of Belvidere avenue, who has been detained at home by illness, is planning to go south within a short time.

The monthly business meeting of the First M. E. church Epworth League was postponed last night on account of a lack of a quorum.

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at Warren chapel tomorrow morning at 10:30.

The evangelistic service at the Park Avenue Baptist church attracted a great crowd last Sunday evening. The number remaining to the after meeting filled the Sunday school room. Five arose for prayer, making twenty in all since the meetings began on the last Sunday night of the old year. The evangelistic service will be continued tomorrow evening under the direction of the pastor, Rev. A. E. Finn.

No. 2243.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The City National Bank.

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

January 29, 1906,

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$ 885,080	76
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	374	14
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	150,000	00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	5,180	00
Bonds, securities, etc.	469,199	74
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	71,202	50
Accrued interest	2,800	98
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	12,291	11
Due from State Banks and Bankers	2,437	11
Due from approved reserve agents	145,231	34
Checks and other cash items.	10,316	27
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	405	22
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie $41,797 00		
Legal-tender notes. 41,439 00	83,236	00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	7,500	00
Total	$1,845,255	17

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000	00
Surplus fund	30,000	00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	165,757	02
National Bank notes outstanding	144,600	00
Due to other National Banks.	16,995	16
Due to State Banks and Bankers	474	81
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	3,526	12
Dividends unpaid	60	00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,233,181	04
Demand certificates of deposit	53,703	62
Time certificates of deposit	46,360	13
Certified checks	429	02
Cashier's checks outstanding	168	25
Total	$1,845,255	17

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss:

I, William F. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this second day of February, 1906.

Arthur E. Crone, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
James T. Closson,
W. P. Smith,
Joseph B. Coward,
Directors.

NO. 447.

Report of the Condition OF

The First National Bank,

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

January 29, 1906.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$ 808,620	72
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	466	19
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	150,000	00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	6,000	00
Bonds, securities, etc.	332,986	08
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	48,500	00
Other real estate owned	17,000	00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	17,199	67
Due from State Banks and Bankers	13,759	21
Due from approved reserve agents	80,811	87
Checks and other cash items.	2,812	86
Notes of other National Banks	4,675	00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	1,171	08
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie $63,372 86		
Legal-tender Notes. 26,000 00	89,372	86
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	7,500	00
Total	$1,580,875	54

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 200,000	00
Surplus fund	50,000	00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	14,099	05
National Bank notes outstanding	145,200	00
Due to other National Banks.	12,414	56
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	1,178	60
Due to approved reserve agents	322	25
Dividends unpaid	272	00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,141,816	63
Demand certificates of deposit	12,656	00
Certified checks	2,916	45
Total	$1,580,875	54

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I, D. M. Runyon, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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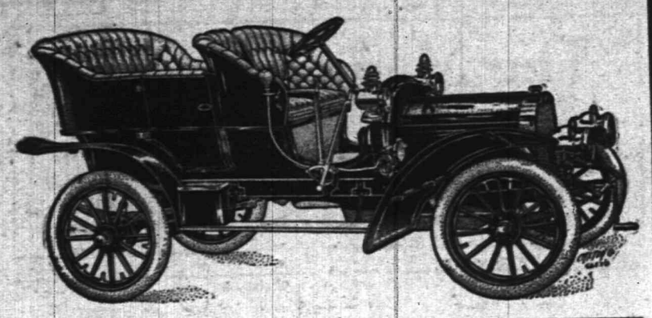

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The success attending the earnest efforts of Rev. A. S. Peck since he became rector of St. Stephen's church was in part realized yesterday, when, at the morning service, he made announcement of the plans to secure a parish house where the work can be carried on more satisfactory. The site chosen is that offered by Mrs. Charles Hyde at South and Woodland avenues, upon which is located a fine house well adapted for the proposed work.

Through the generosity of friends over $3,770 has been contributed toward the purchase of this property, of which amount Mrs. Charles Hyde gives $1,000, Mrs. Dorsey Hyde $1,000, Mrs. Everett Colby $1,000, Louis K. Hyde $250, Mrs. Robert McCready $250, Robert McCready $50, donations $50, cash on hand $100, A. C. Wilmerding $5, Mr. Bunker $10, J. D. Phillips $5, and S. S. Schuyler $50. The balance of about $1,230 will be raised within the coming week, it being the purpose of giving all interested a chance to contribute to the purchase of the property.

The matter of securing a parish house was first mentioned by the rector on Easter Sunday last, when he pleaded earnestly for a place to carry on the parish work. The first donation was a $1 bill in an envelope, and from that time on contributions have been received daily.

The title for the property was passed on Saturday, deeding to the rector, wardens and vestrymen of St. Stephen's church, Plainfield, the lot and dwelling described. This church is incorporated under the laws of the State as an independent parish of the church in the diocese.

It is proposed to establish in the new parish house a reading room, a press room for the publication of the parish paper, guild rooms and library. Later on it is hoped to have bowling alleys and a gymnasium and there will also be a large assembly hall for gatherings of all kinds.

The announcement yesterday by Rector Peck was the occasion of much rejoicing on the part of the entire parish, and it is believed that it will mark the beginning of new life in this important field of Christian effort.

SALVATIONISTS' FAREWELL.

Ensign and Mrs. Magee Hold Final Service Here.

Ensign and Mrs. Magee, of the local Salvation Army, conducted a farewell service at the army hall last night. During the service various members of the army took occasion to speak of their good work during their stay here and wished them much success in their new field of labor at Albany. On Saturday night Major Sheppard, of New York, visited the corps and examined all the books. They were found to be correct. Mr. and Mrs. Magee will leave Wednesday.

Adjutant Hopkins and Captain McDonald, of South Carolina, will arrive here today to take charge of the local work. The come highly recommended as earnest Christian women.

Casino's Busy Week.

This will be a very busy week at the Casino, commencing tonight with the rehearsal of "The Pirates of Penzance." Tomorrow night there will be the annual meeting of the Plainfield Country Club, also the annual meeting of the Plainfield Riding and Driving Club, at which time officers will be elected in both organizations and plans for the year perfected. On Wednesday night the North Plainfield High School dancing class will meet and the Plainfield High School dancing class to hold its dance and reception on Thursday night. The college smoker will have the boards on Friday night and this is expected to be one of the events of the season. On Saturday night there will be bowling, billiards and bridge whist.

Eighteen New Members Received.

Eighteen new members were received into membership by letter and confession at the communion service in the First Baptist church yesterday morning. Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, the pastor, extended the right-hand-of-fellowship. There is a deep spiritual awakening in this church and it is expected that others will soon be received into membership.

—The contract case of George W. Scribner against Allen W. Turtter will be heard before Justice Mosher at 10 o'clock tomorrow. J. Henry Crane represents the plaintiff.

COPS RAID CRAP JOINTS AT 4 IN THE MORNING

TEN PRISONERS CAPTURED BY ROUNDSMAN AND DETECTIVE.

In the chilly hush of 4 a. m. yesterday Roundsman Flynn and Detective McCarthy raided a negro crap joint at 239 West Front street. They broke up a game that was going full blast, captured ten prisoners and confiscated a baize covered crap table.

The joint was located in a rear room on the second floor. The police have had their eyes on the place for several weeks, and found things ripening for a raid Saturday night. The game began, according to the police, at midnight. They waited four hours before raiding to give all the habitues a chance to get in. Their descent was a complete surprise and none of the men in the place had a chance to get away.

The prisoners captured are Peter Simmons, whom the police say is the keeper of the place; Albert Butler, Joseph Pritchard, J. F. Bowser, W. H. Lee, Leonard Fidgette, William Blanchard, Lee Edwards and George Lee. Judge Runyon has set their hearing down for next Saturday morning. The police have put the crap board with the slot machine they captured recently in a Liberty street store. When the equipment collection is big enough Chief Kiely will hold a smashing bee in the headquarters backyard.

MISCHIEVOUS BOYS CAUSED A SHUT-DOWN

FOOLED WITH FACTORY ENGINE, KEPT MECHANICS BUSY TWO HOURS.

Charles L. Norwood, ten years old, Roland McCrea, nine years old, Anderson Harris, thirteen years old, all colored, and Joseph A. Carroll, fourteen years old, were arraigned before Judg Runyon this morning on a charge of malicious mischief preferred by the Spicer Universal Joint Co., which conducts its business in a factory on Madison avenue. The complainant alleged that the boys damaged the factory engine to such an extent that the plant was shut down for two hours.

The damage to the engine was discovered by the factory management when the plant was opened last Sunday morning. The company is conducted by Seventh-Day Baptists, and shuts down on Saturdays. When the engineer tried to start the machinery the crank was found to be jammed so tightly by a pin that the shaft could not turn. It took mechanics two hours to set the engine right.

The crank could only have been jammed by outsiders, and the management started an investigation. They learned that some boys had entered the place the day before, while the plant was idle, and amused themselves pawing over the machinery. Warrants for the four boys arraigned this morning resulted.

The boys acknowledged going into the factory, but denied monkeying with the engine. Harris said he heard Carrol had done the damage, but the white boy insisted that another crowd, who were in the place before he got there, did it. Judge Runyon couldn't satisfy himself that the boys were telling the truth, and adjourned the hearing to Friday morning, to enable the police to investigate further. The authorities regard the case seriously, because the boys might have done a lot of costly damage, and it is intended to make it plain to the youngsters that they are engaged in dangerous business when they fool with factory machinery.

Brings His Bride from Norway.

William Townsend, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Townsend, of the borough, accompanied by his bride, arrived in Plainfield yesterday from Norway, where they were married about two weeks ago. They made the trip from London on the Steamer Minneapolis, arriving in New York yesterday morning, where they were met by members of Mr. Townsend's family. Mr. Townsend was engaged in construction work in Norway for Milliken Brothers, of New York.

Date of Mr. Foster's Wedding.

The date for the wedding of Miss Florence Southerland, daughter of A. E. Southerland, to Eugene Gray Foster, both of New York, has been set for April 25. Mr. Foster is a son of Scott Foster, of West Seventy-second street, New York, and a nephew of D. N. Groendyke, of Mercer avenue.

Mr. Swackhamer to Speak.

S. S. Swackhamer will speak at the installation of officers of the Grove Street Rescue Mission tonight. After the entertainment light refreshments will be served. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

E. M. JOHNSTON IS DEAD

One of Scotch Plains' Oldest Citizens Passes Away Suddenly.

ONLY ILL BUT ONE DAY

Octogenarian Well Known in This Vicinity—Farmer, Contractor, Coal Dealer—Sketch of His Life.

Edward M. Johnston, one of the oldest residents of Scotch Plains and widely known throughout this vicinity, died early yesterday afternoon after a brief illness. He has been conducting a coal business at Fanwood and was at his office as usual Saturday, but soon after the noon hour he was taken with a fainting spell. He was hurried to his home and Drs. Westcott and Jenkins, who were summoned, ascribed the trouble to a severe cold. During Saturday night he continued to grow worse, and because of his advanced age became very weak. The end came at 12:15 yesterday.

Mr. Johnston was born in Morris county in 1823 and moved to Scotch Plains forty years ago. He engaged in farming and contracting and when the New Jersey Central shifted its tracks from what is now Midway avenue to their present location in Fanwood he had charge of a large part of the work in the "cut." He continued farming for some years afterward and then opened a coal yard near the Fanwood station and built up a large and prosperous business. He was at his office almost every day and his four score years did not prevent him from attending to every detail of routine.

Mr. Johston was a life-long Republican and always took an active interest in the doings of his party, at various times having a place on the township ticket. The affairs of Scotch Plains were always his and he was always identified with anything it undertook.

He is survived by a widow and five sons—John J., engaged in the coal business at Netherwood; James, who assisted his father; Robert T., who is the Chicago representative of the Campbell Printing Press Co.; George H., engaged in the insurance business and well known as a baseball manager, and William D., a mason and contractor at Scotch Plains, and also two daughters, the Misses Jennie and Alice Johnston, both of whom reside at home.

MISSION WORKER SPOKE.

S. N. Allen, of New York, Talks on "Backbone" at Y. M. C. A.

S. N. Allen, one of the workers at the Water Street Mission, New York, spoke at the Y. M. C. A. men's meeting yesterday afternoon on "Backbone." His talk was highly interesting, a number of anecdotes of his experience in the metropolitan slum mission adding to the color and vividness of the alk.

Carl B. Haynes, baritone, sang several selections. Members of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra played during the hymn singing, which was led by W. C. Leek. G. M. Rittenhouse presided over the meeting.

Favors Chants and Hymns.

The Messenger, the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church paper, having asked for opinions among the members of the church as to the kind of music to be adopted in the church, Mrs. Hettie F. Milliken, a prominent worker, says: "I think the true idea of church music is where the congregation unite in both chants and hymns, whether led by a precentor or choir from the people. Our whole service is veering away from the dignified simplicity of Presbyterianism, which is a cause for anxiety."

Sixth Dinner-Dance.

The sixth of the series of dinner-dances held at the Casino Saturday night under the auspices of the Plainfield Country Club was an enjoyable affair and well attended. The usual amusements—dancing, billiards, bowling and bridge whist—helped to pass the evening. The seventh dinner-dance will be held Saturday night, February 17. This will be the last one before Lent, but two more will be held afterwards.

Congressman's Work.

Through the efforts of Congressman Ira W. Wood and Postmaster Alexander C. Yard a direct mail service will be established between Lawrenceville and Princeton and between Trenton, Lawrenceville and Princeton. The authorities at Washington notified Mr. Yard to that effect on Saturday.

Watchung Hunt Club Chase.

Starting from Mt. Pleasant, a dozen members of the Watchung Hunt Club enjoyed a chase after the hounds to Colonia and back home Saturday. The ground was in fairly good condition for the chase and the new pack of hounds did good work.

AFTER LIQUOR SELLERS

Charities Aid Association Takes Action on Alleged Drunkenness at the Home.

WANT A REFORM

Miss Adams Suggests at Meeting That Traveling Libraries be Established for use at Penal Institutions.

The reports of alleged drunkenness at the Plainfield Industrial Home was the subject of discussion at a meeting of the Union county committee of the State Charities' Aid Association held at the home of Mrs. Williamson in Elizabeth on Friday, and it was suggested that legal steps be taken to prosecute those who had sold liquor to the inmates and to adopt more stringent measures to prevent a re-occurrence of intoxication.

Rumors of such drunkenness had previously reached the committee and led to an investigation. It is the belief that liquor is either smuggled into the home, or, the inmates when they are allowed to visit town secure intoxicating drinks. It is quite likely that efforts will be made to ascertain who sold the liquor and to prosecute them.

It will also be suggested to those in charge of the Industrial Home that more stringent measures be adopted to prevent liquor from entering the home or the inmates from securing it when they get out.

Another interesting feature of the report presented at the meeting is the suggestion offered by Miss Emma L. Adams, librarian at the Plainfield Public Library, that inmates of penal institutions be allowed to have good books to read. As a means to this end she suggests that traveling libraries be established not only in the county, but the State, something on the plan of the Tabard Inn Library. The committee was favorably impressed and will probably consider the matter more fully in the future.

Mrs. Abram B. Wetmore, Mrs. Charles E. Ryder, Miss Emma L. Adams, Mrs. Dexter Tiffany, Henry B. Maxson and Hugh F. Fox, all of this city, attended the session.

GIRL PRESS FEEDERS GO OUT ON STRIKE

TEN EMPLOYES OF CRESCENT EMBOSSING CO. DEMAND MORE MONEY.

The ten girls who feed the presses at the Crescent Embossing Company went out on strike Saturday morning for an increase in wages. They were given a chance to come back in the afternoon, but refused to take it.

The girls made their demand for more money Friday afternoon. The management decided that it could not recognize the feeders as a body intreating such a demand, but would deal with the feeders individually. The girls learned of this decision at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, and promptly went out, at a word from their leader.

They came back for their pay later. The management gave them to understand that the whole force could return to work, with the exception of the leader. The girls decided to support the standard bearer, and voted to stay out.

Funeral of Maximilion Otto.

The Singing Section of the Gesang and Turn Verein attended the funeral of Maximilion Otto, held at his late home on Lee place yesterday, and rendered several selections. The service was conducted by Rev. Charles E. Herring before a large gathering of relative and friends. Interment was at Hillside cemetery, the pall bearers being Carl Felber, Otto Barre, August Gibler and Bernhard Tieshau.

Death of Herbert Randolph.

Herbert Randolph, colored, died yesterday at his home on West Fourth street. He was thirty-seven years old and is survived by a widow. The funeral will be held from Calvary Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 and interment will be at Hillside cemetery.

Will Locate at Bloomsbury.

The Granite Block Manufacturing Company, which filed articles of incorporation at Elizabeth, last week, will be located at Bloomsbury instead of this city as was at first announced. The local incorporator is Frank Bacon and not Francis Bacon as previously stated.

Joseph Sandford has been elected treasurer of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, to succeed William F. Arnold, who recently resigned after a service of twenty-five years.

WANTS SHARE OF ESTATE

Long-lost Fair Heir Comes East to Collect What is Alleged to be Due Him.

WILL MAKE A FIGHT

Westerner Displeased Over Hasty Settlement of Estate—To Consult With His Lawyers.

Being summoned East by his attorneys, F. P. Smith, a brother of "Moyar Bill" Smith, of New Market, and one of the Fair heirs, arrived in Plainfield last night from Topeka, Kansas. He has practically recovered from a recent auto accident, in which three ribs were broken. His visit East is in the interest of a settlement of his claim against the Fair estate.

When seen this morning by a representative for The Daily Press, Mr. Smith said that as yet nothing has been done on his part toward adjusting his claim. "When the estate settled with my mother and brothers they counted me as being dead," said Mr. Smith, "and, of course, I did not receive a share of my sister's estate."

"I put the matter in the hands of Chandler & Beekman, New York lawyers, and expect them to see that my interests are carefully attended to," continued Mr. Smith. "I have not lost one minute of sleep over a settlement, for I believe that it will come out all right. I expect to see my attorneys today or tomorrow and will then learn what has been done."

Mr. Smith said he was displeased over the manner in which his relatives settled their claims, and especially their anxiety to go to California and get what was coming to them. He said that their share of the estate was not going to get away, and if they had remained home, those in charge of the estate would have hunted them up and made a settlement on their terms and not on those of some lawyers who were only too anxious to have them sign off for a certain amount, which eventually led them into all sorts of trouble.

MANHOOD BEFORE MONEY.

Rev. C. E. Herring Preaches on the Unimportance of Making a Living.

The greater importance of being good rather than successful in a worldly sense, was the theme of Rev. C. E. Herring at the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning. His subject was "Making a Living or Making a Life?"

Mr. Herring preached from the 139th Psalm, "Oh, Lord, Thou Hast Searched Me, and Known Me," etc. He deplored the more or less general tendency to regard the making of a living as the most important thing in a man's career. Making a living was well enough and important enough, but, after all, preparation for eternal life—manhood itself—was the most important thing that men had to think on.

MRS. CRAIG'S FUNERAL.

Held at Her Late Home on Monroe Avenue.

The funeral of Mrs. William Craig was held yesterday afternoon at her late home on Monroe avenue and was attended by a large gathering of relatives and friends. Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor of Hope chapel, was in charge. During the service two selections were rendered by City Judge William N. Runyon. The floral tributes were numerous and comprised several set pieces from employes in the office and draughting departments at Pond's.

Interment was made at Hillside cemetery, the following acting as pall bearers: Robert and William Carpenter and Fred Haynes, of Dunellen, and William Clifton, of this city.

Hurt Vaulting a Fence.

William Heath, of Fairview avenue, a student at the Montclair Military Academy, has returned to his home owing to an abscess formed in his right hand. Heath, in company with several other pupils, was vaulting a fence, when a picket penetrated the palm of the hand. An operation was performed at the academy.

Over 200 Will Attend Smoker.

Owen H. Fleming, treasurer of the committee having charge of the college smoker, contiues to receive responses to the invitations sent out and it is now assured that there will be at least 200 at the banquet and possibly more. Those who have not yet replied are urged to do so at once.

Death of Infant Daughter.

Nickoline Colucci, aged seven years, daughter of Alfonso and Rosa Colucci, of North avenue, died yesterday afternoon after an illness of three weeks. The funeral will be held from the house tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock and the interment will be at St. Mary's cemetery.

MEN CHARGED BY GIRLS PLEAD NOT GUILTY

GALBRAITH, LINZER; ROSS AND HOLLAND WILL BE TRIED ON FEBRUARY 13.

John Galbraith, Peter Linzer, William Ross and Thomas Holland, the latter colored, were arraigned before Judge Vail in the County Court at Elizabeth this morning, to answer to indictments found against them last week, under charges made by small girls. The indictment is for carnal abuse of minors. There are three counts against Galbraith, the others escaping with one each.

The pleaded not guilty and were remanded for trial on February 13. Ross and Galbraith are out on $1,000 bail. Linzer and Holland have been unable to get bondsmen. Galbraith is represented by W. L. Hetfield, Sr.; F. J. Blatz is Ross' lawyer, and W. G. De Meza is counsel for Linzer. Holland asked the court to appoint counsel for him.

The men were arrested two months ago, after alleged repeated offenses. They were caught after an investigation instituted by Father Bogan, of St. Mary's R. C. church. At their examination before Justice Mosher the four girls who figure in the case told shocking stories with shocking detail.

WALLACE'S TRIAL SET FOR WEDNESDAY

HE PLEADED NOT GUILTY—TWO SERVANTS CONFESS GUILT BEFORE JUDGE.

"Larry" Wallace, of Scotch Plains, indicted on a charge of breaking and entering Rapp's Hotel at Scotch Plains, was among those arraigned in the Union County Court, this morning. He entered a plea of not guilty and was released on $500 bail, furnished by his mother. His trial is fixed for Wednesday.

Louise Rehak and Lizzie Bednerik, two servants employed by Samuel Huntington, of Franklin place, indicted on a charge of larceny, that of stealing clothing, etc., and who were brought from New York to this county on requisition papers, entered a plea of guilty. They will be sentenced later.

John Peterson, colored, of Westfield, indicted on a charge of assault and battery, pleaded not guilty. His trial was set down for Wednesday. John P. M. Joseph, of Cranford, indicted on a charge of cruelty to a dog, being accused of shooting and maiming a canine, pleaded not guilty and his trial was set for Wednesday.

SPECIAL SERVICE FOR ENDEAVOR ANNIVERSARY.

Congregational Society Marks Quarter-Centennial of the Movement.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church held a special service last night in observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the Christian Endeavor movement. Papers by members and special music marked the exercises. There was a large attendance, the celebration taking the place of the regular evening service.

President Clarence La Rue opend the service with a brief address. Papers reviewing the work of the Christian Endeavor supporters since "Father" Clark first gave the movement impetus a quarter of a century ago were read by Miss Ethel Millar, Miss Alice Barlow, Mrs. Phillip Suffern, and Harold Millar. Phillip Suffern read a paper on the future of the work. He saw great possibilities for the Congregational society. Rev. C. L. Goodrich made a short address in closing the service.

The feature of the musical programme was the singing of Miss Caroline Edgerly, of Cambridge, Mass. Three violins augmented the musical accompaniment. The church quartette also sang.

H. J. Martin a Candidate.

The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of New Jersey, will be held at Trenton on Wednesday, February 21, and at that time a district deputy grand chancellor for this district will be elected. Horace J. Martin, of Unity Lodge, No. 102, is a strong possibility.

S. L. Schoonmaker Resigns.

S. L. Schoonmaker, of this city, has resigned as one of the directors of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company, and indicates that Henry Clay Frick, with whom he was associated, will no longer take an active interest in the management of this company.

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COMMUTERS INCREASING

Counties Nearest Metropolis Show Great Growth, Union Being One.

SIGNIFICANT FIGURES

Union's Population Increases 44,744 in Fifteen Years—Big Gains in Other Nearby Counties.

Figures in the State census of 1905, just issued from Secretary of State Samuel D. Dickinson's office, reveal a surprising growth in the number of New Jersey commuters—and especially of those living closest to New York City. The population of the State, taken as a whole, has jumped from 1,113,116 in 1880 to 2,144,794 in 1905. The increase of more than 100 per cent. since 1880 in the counties within easy access of New York, and to be brought nearer by under-river tunnels and trolley extensions, is regarded by the economists of the State as significant of coming cetropolitan greatness in that end of the State. One of the counties—Bergen, of which Hackensack is the center—has considerably more than doubled her population within the last fifteen years, while the ratio of growth in the larger and more thickly settled counties, since 1880 even, has been from 54 per cent., in the lowest, to more than 67 in the highest.

It is significant, too, that Hudson county, directly across the Hudson from New York City, and within which the river-front cities of Bayonne, Jersey City and Hoboken lie, has far outstripped all the others—even Essex, which up to 1880 had always led her in population. The city of Newark, which is the center of Essex county, has not yet yielded the palm of leadership to any of the river cities in the sister county, but the county nearest New York, which in 1880 just about equaled Essex in the number of her people, has since then taken the lead from her by 40,000, and is growing at a rate that seems to make Essex's recovery of her supremacy out of the question.

Those who are looking forward to the eventual consolidation of all the communities in the five counties nearest to New York City into one imposing metropolitan district find interest in this table, comparing their several populations in 1880, 1890, and 1905:

	1880.	1890.	1905.
Bergen	36,786	47,226	100,008
Essex	189,449	256,638	409,928
Hudson	187,994	275,126	449,879
Passaic	68,860	105,046	175,858
Union	58,571	72,467	117,211
Total	538,628	756,503	1,252,884

At the same ratio of growth the five counties will have at the expiration of fifteen years a population of 2,069,107, and at the end of twenty-five years of 2,924,954.

A proposal for the erection, on the river front across from New York, of Jersey City, Bayonne, Hoboken, and the thickly settled towns in the northern part of the county into a "Greater Jersey City" is already being discussed by the people who live there. Such a consolidation would include Jersey City, Hoboken, Bayonne, West Hoboken, Union Hill, North Bergen, Weehawken, West New York, Guttenburg and Secaucus.

The total population of these communities by the new census is 420,645, but their new strides, even since the census was taken, will probably bring them close to the 500,000 mark.

For the rest, the State census shows that the 2,144,794 people in the commonwealth are divided into 468,894 families, and live in 363,110 dwellings. In two of the counties there are more dwellings than families. Cape May has 4,572 dwellings for 4,371 families, and Cumberland's 12,402 families have 12,876 homes to live in. Mercer, Middlesex and Passaic are the counties that come nearest to the Rooseveltian idea of big families. The average membership there is 5.

Tickets Going Rapidly.

There is a large sale of tickets for the entertainment to be given at the Park Club Wednesday night, under the auspices of the young people of the Holy Cross church. A first-class musical and literary programme will be presented, including the famous Stanley Dwarfs, who will make their first appearance. F. C. Inglehart, Jr., has made two very clever original poster designs for the entertainment which are attracting considerable attention.

Guests at Chinese Banquet.

Among the 1,000 guests who attended the Missionary Banquet given Friday night at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York, in honor of the Imperial High Commissioners of China, Tuan Fong and Tal Hung Chi, were Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, of Rockview avenue, and Mrs. John Gray Foster, of Mercer avenue.

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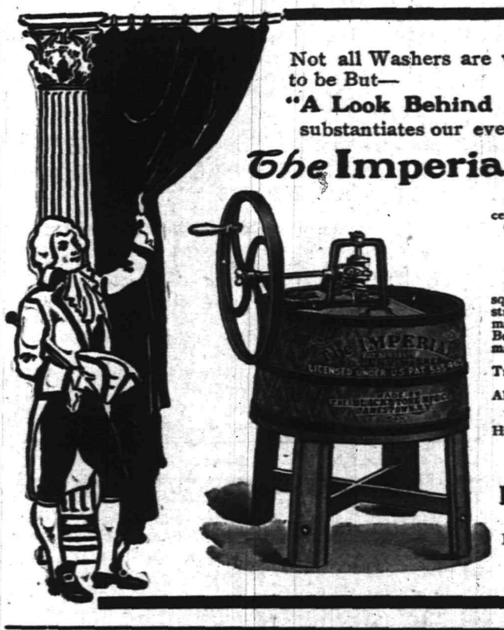

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

An all-day Farmers' Institute opened in Friendship Hall this morning, under the auspices of the State Board of Agriculture. The session opened at 10:30 o'clock this morning with a paper by Franklin Dye on "What Are You Farming For?" Prof. J. G. Lipman spoke on "Nature and Functions of Soil Humus." The afternoon session opened at 2 o'clock with an address by Franklin Dye on "Some Thoughts for Dairymen." A general discussion on "Diseases of Animals—How a Farmer Can Best Prevent and Best Treat Them;" the discussion was led by Dr. C. D. Smead. Prof. G. F. Warren is to speak on "Suggestions on the Renewal of the Peach Industry" and Rev. D. E. Clair will speak on "The Riddle Answered." The evening session will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Prof. Warren will deliver an address on "What Our Agricultural Colleges of Today Teach and How They Teach It." Rev. Mr. Clair will speak on "American Beauty Spots." Both addresses will be illustrated by stereopticon views. The visitors are being entertained by the Grange members.

There was a large attendance at the evening service of the Baptist church yesterday, when the Y. P. S. C. E. held exercises in observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the Endeavor movement. Revs. Frank Fletcher and H. N. Jordan spoke.

The auditing committee will report on the accounts of the collector and treasurer at the meeting of the Borough Council tonight. The delinquent list will be made public in connection with the collector's report. It is much larger than usual.

W. L. Winges was bruised and shaken by a fall from a scaffold on which he was working in New York last week. He had a narrow escape from serious injury.

Pro. William Yeagher, of New Brunswick, is organizing a dancing class among the local young people. The class will meet weekly in Apgar's Hall.

Ziba Osmun has very nearly recovered entirely from the effects of his attack of grip. He will resume his duties as stage driver this week.

W. E. Davis, Jr., has been spending several days in Marlboro, enjoying a brief vacation before going into business in New York.

A. F. Randolph has been elected a director to the Consolidated Vigilant Society of New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Giddes, of Philadelphia, have returned home after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Giddes.

Communion will be celebrated at Holy Innocents' P. E. church next Sunday morning.

Mrs. H. B. Snowden is spending a few weeks with relatives in Newark.

Communion service will be held in the Baptist church next Sunday.

Paul Kratzel will shortly open a meat market in Garwood.

Mrs. Rachael Winckler is very ill with pneumonia.

C. E. Kelly spent Friday in New York.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

After an existence of six weeks, Scotch Plains' first and only newspaper, The Gazette, has suspended publication. Editor J. Byron Dixon, tiring of the trials and troubles of a country editor, decided Friday that the field was not as promising as he had hoped so quietly folded his tent and removed the outfit to Westfield, his home. The Gazette started as a weekly, devoted to the interests of Scotch Plains and Fanwood, independent in politics, but news was scarce and subscribers skeptical, but Mr. Dixon believed this would be overcome in time and that subscriptions paid in advance was sure to come, but they failed to materialize and contracts for advertising were generally limited by the advertisers to a month at a time. It is said only three annual subscriptions were paid in advance. Surely this was not encouraging and the editor decided to quit the local newspaper field, so no paper was issued on Saturday, although the editor had promised to have the paper printed in Westfield and send it up so that the subscribers would receive in as ususal Saturday afternoon, but it failed to materialize and but few were surprised, as it was generally conceded that Scotch Plains is not large enough to support a weekly paper yet.

A most successful cake and valentine sale was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles B. Loomis, by the women of All Saints' Episcopal church. The parlors were prettily trimmed and the several tables filled with cakes and pretty reminders of St. Valentine's Day were liberally patronized by the friends of the church.

Rev. Mr. Bury, of Ireland, who is making an extended visit to this country in the interests of the Irish Home Mission, occupied the pulpit at both the morning and evening services at the Baptist church yesterday. Mr. Bury also gave an interesting talk to the B. Y. P. U. members at their evening meeting.

Miss Dorothy Hoar, of the borough, entertained a number of her friends at an informal dance at her home Saturday night.

Mrs. T. J. Merceirs, who has been visiting her daughter, Miss Mamie Merceirs, of West Fourth street, Plainfield, has returned home.

Miss Gaddis, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Guttridge, has returned to her home in Plainfield.

The weekly meeting of the Epworth League was held last night in the class rooms of the church.

The monthly communion was held at the close of the morning service at the Baptist church Sunday.

A. W. Manchester, of Ithaca, N. Y., is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. S. Corey, for a few weeks.

William Pangborn, of North Plainfield, was the guest yesterday of friends in town.

Miss Blanche Merceirs entertained friends from out of town over Sunday.

Frank S. Rapp spent yesterday with friends out of town.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor organization was observed at the Baptist church last night. Mrs. David Bigley conducted the meeting, in which the members took responsive parts. The pastor read Scripture and offered the prayer and made an address, speaking of things to be thankful for and of new lines of work. An offering was taken for missions. The local society is in a prosperous condition.

The regular monthly meeting of the township committee will be held tomorrow afternoon at Hotel Nelson, New Market.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The McAll Auxiliary will meet at the Public Library Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

The Union Bible Class taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns will meet at the Y. M. C. A. hall tomorrow afternoon at 2:15.

A solo by Miss Etta Raybert, with violin obligato by M. A. Korff marked the morning service at the First Presbyterian church yesterday.

There will be a special business meeting of the Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First M. E. church in Vincent chapel tomorrow night.

The Men's Club of the First Baptist church will meet Monday night, February 12. This meeting will be for the members only and as matters of great interest will be discussed a full attendance is desired.

Mrs. E. Clarke, Jr., of Myrtle avenue, will entertain the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church at her home tomorrow afternoon. Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons, of Grace M. E. church, will speak.

Five new members were received at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church yesterday morning, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Grannett, Jr., on confession; Mrs. Margaret Martin, by letter, and Master Edward Tovell on probation.

The children of the First Baptist church who met last week for the first to form a society similar to the Young People's Society of the church are meeting with much success. This work will be especially for children and meetings will be held every Friday afternoon at 3:30.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The devotional exercises will be conducted by Mrs. I. M. Runyon, the subject being "The Syrophenician Woman." Interesting papers will be read on the Congo State, (Central Africa), by Mrs. William A. Connor, and current events by Mrs. Walter C. Dobbins.

Commencing yesterday the Sunday-school of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church held its session immediately following the morning service. The change is made by the Session at the request of the officers and teachers of the school, who voted by a large majority to try the noon hour for six months. While the change is an experiment, it is believed that it will be a success, as it will give the teachers Sunday afternoon to themselves. It is also believed that it will insure a larger attendance at Sunday-school.

SLASH IN SALARIES.

A $65 Limit Adopted in the Lackawanna League.

At the meeting of the Lackawanna League last week the moguls of that combination took the salary question by the horns by making an iron-clad agreement to adhere to a salary limit of $65 per game for players. This action represents a deduction of nearly 50 per cent., as the price of teams average all the way from $100 to $125 for Saturday games.

The initiative taken by this organization will also be followed by similar action by other strong semi-professional clubs. An official of this league stated a few days ago that there was not a single club that did not owe its players money from last season. In some instances the players have been reimbursed by shares of stock. This means, of course, that if the coming season is successful they will probably get part of their money back. If no money is made, of course, they will be losers.

—The Rasores Club will meet tomorrow morning, February 6, with Mrs. J. Evarts Tracy, 440 West Eighth street; subject, Schiller.

TROLLEY AT ELIZABETH

Deal Taking Shape Under Excise Cross Railroad Franchise —to Extend to Newark.

EXPECTED OPPOSITION

Elizabeth, Feb. 5.—The Essex Cross Railroad franchise, granted to Francis Eppley several years ago by the City Council of Elizabeth, Newark and Irvington, to construct a trolley road from this city to the last named town, is about to be sold to a Pittsburg concern, the name of which is not known, but which is being represented in this city at the present time by C. W. Bishop, a former Elizabethan, and the holder of considerable property on North avenue.

The company purposes to take up the Irvington, Newark and Elizabeth trolley franchise, operate its cars over the route laid down in this city with an extension out Rahway avenue, beginning at Cherry street, to some point near the city line. It is probable that the road may be extended to Rahway, or some of the shore towns. The negotiations have progressed so far that it is understood, upon good authority, that some of the financial consideration has already been paid over to the Eppley company.

Council Friday heard a petition from the Eppley people, asking that one clause in the old franchise be modified. That clause relates to transfers. In the twelfth section of the old ordinance it makes it a condition upon which the franchise is granted that transfer privileges be extended to all intersecting lines which pass or terminate near the lines of the Eppley road. It is asked that this section be stricken out.

The difficulty lies in the possible refusal of the old "horse car line," now the Elizabeth avenue trolly line, to acknowledge the transfers. Under the present clause, if all lines did not recognize the new company's transfers, then the franchise could be held to be invalid. The Elizabeth, Plainfield and Central Jersey road, the "Green Line," now the East Grand street line, and the Morris line, are compelled by their charters to receive and issue transfers to the new line. It is in view of avoiding probable litigation that the company asks for the change in that section of the franchise. That is the only request so far asked for by the company.

The construction of the trolley road will be started at once after the sale of the franchise rights has been effected. The company is willing to take the franchise, which terminates after seventy-five years, without a renewal clause, and it is willing to accept the conditions of the fifty-year franchise recently approved by the City Council in face of the objection on the part of the Public Service Corporation, the petitioners, but which company afterward refused to accept a franchise under the conditions granted in the one referred to.

The time limit of the Eppley franchise was renewed at a special meeting of Council held in October. It expires July 1, but if the company is unable to complete the new line by that time it is probable that a further renewal will be granted by the City Council. Franchises will have to be secured for the extension of the line from the corner of Union and Grand streets, up West Grand street, through one of the finest residential streets of the city, thence through Cherry street to Rahway avenue and from thence to the city line. What further extensions will be made cannot now be stated.

The new company was induced to look over the field and to finally agree to purchase the Eppley franchise by A. D. Mulford, of the firm of A. D. Mulford & Son, real estate brokers, and a prominent and active member of the Elizabeth Board of Trade.

Mr. Mulford has been interested in the extension of trolleys out Rahway avenue for many years. There is very little trolley accommodation in the Sixth and Tenth wards at the present time. The Public Service Corporation recently made an attempt to secure a franchise through that street, but refused to accept a limited franchise. Undaunted by the refusal of the company to accept a franchise which they had originally asked for, Mr. Mulford, with Mr. Eppley, interested outside capital in the project, with the result that within the present week the deal will be consummated, in all probability, and that part of the city which is now isolated will have as good trolley service as any other section of the city.

Considerable opposition is expected by the promoters of the company from the Public Service Corporation. The new line has to cross the tracks of the Public Service Corporation in at least two places—one at Morris avenue and Union avenue and the other at West Jersey street and Cherry street.

The company's lines will be laid from the city line on Rahway avenue providing franchises can be secured for it, which seems probable now, to Cherry street, to West Grand street, to Union street, passing the depots of the Pennsylvania Railroad within a half block, passing under the tracks and near the depot of the Central Railroad, touching the tracks of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, after passing through Union street to Union avenue, crossing Morris avenue, and thence in a straight line to Newark and Irvington.

The petition presented Friday by Councilman John S. Sauer, from the Ninth ward, was the first intimation that something was doing in trolley circles here. Mr. Bishop has been here for the past week conferring with Mr. Mulford and Mr. Eppley about the proposed deal, and from every source of information obtainable it is evident that the deal is about to be formally closed.

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

At the New Plainfield theatre tonight the attraction will be Spencer and Aborn's successful production of the emotional drama, "A Wife's Secret," a play that combines familiar phases of domestic life with the exciting qualities of romance and adventure, telling a charming story of sympathetic heart interest, of the anguish of a young bride, wrongfully accused, driven from home, an outcast from society, but finally triumphant against the sneering sarcasm of her enemies and the doubts of an uncompromising husband. The attraction is one of the best of the later successes in this line, and its management claim for it all the elements that go to make up a popular melo-dramatic offering.

Announcement of a performance of "The Holy City" interests theatregoers to an uncommon degree, The

Walter Sherwin, as "Judas," in "The Holy City," at the New Plainfield theatre Thursday Night.

great Biblical drama and the sumptuous production given it, the strength of the acting company, the music and grand spectacle with which the play abounds, furnishes dramatic satisfaction and scenic pleasure so complete and grateful that Managers Gordon & Bennett's enterprise is a leading feature in all columns containing theatrical news. In his application for a performance of "The Holy City" Manager Counihan sought the most important theatrical offering of this season. It will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre next Thursday afternoon and night.

Direct from a remarkably successful London engagement, supplemented by a run in New York, William Collier, one of the quaintest and brightest of high comedians, will be presented by Charles Frohman at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday night, February 10, in Augustus Thomas' triumph of comedy, "On the Quiet." The London cast will be retained intact and the London scenery, which is said to be unusually elaborate for a comedy, will be used without change. Mr. Collier's funmaking is of a quick, clean, healthy order that is contagious; his every move, expression and saying being a cue for unrestrained laughter.

The advance sale of seats for the approaching engagement of "The School Girl" at the New Plainfield theatre on Monday, February 12, matinee and night, indicates two of the largest and most fashionable audiences of the season. Not in years has a musical attraction come so highly spoken of, and in view of the fact that the entire original production will be presented here just as it was for four hundred nights in London and 150 nights in New York City, there is every reason to believe that the event will be a memorable one in local theatricals. The music of "The School Girl" is by Leslie Stuart, the famous composer of "Florodora," and possesses all the fragrance and freshness and the same elusive form of orchestral coloring that characterized the latter great success.

The advent of "Under Southern Skies" in this city should be a matter of much import to local theatregoers. The theme of the story is intensely interesting and the comedy is delightful. The acting company is especially large, numbering twenty-seven people, and the production is carried intact. "Under Southern Skies" is by Lottie Blair Parker, whose "Way Down East" is well known to Plainfield amusement seekers. It will be at the New Plainfield theatre Friday night, February 16.

Mr. and Mrs. George Macintyre, of West Sixth street, have moved to West Front street.

Harry MacDonald, of West Fifth street, is detained at home by illness bordering on pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clifton, of East Seventh street, are entertaining relatives from Haddonfield.

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COURT OF PARDONS HAS NEW RULES.

Public Notice Required of Applicants for Parole or Pardon.

The Court of Pardons, consisting of the Governor, the chancellor and the six lay judges of the Court of Errors and Appeals, has just completed the revision of its rules and regulations and will hereafter work under a system that promises to relieve the body of the criticism that has prevailed in the past, because so much of the pardoning process was done in secret and without publicity of any kind.

The principal change in the rules is one which makes it necessary to publish notice of application for pardon or parole at the place where conviction was had, giving all interested parites a chance to be heard. The executive clerk is to be known as the pardon clerk and the Secretary of State is to be the clerk of the court. All applications for release from prison must be filed with the pardons clerk. A committee of inquiry is to make preliminary investigation of all applications for release. Provision is making for the revoking of pardons or paroles granted to prisoners who do not subsequently abide by the regulations which require periodical reports to the State authorities and the leading of a decent life.

Rule 7 shows how well the public will be informed as to who are petitioning the board for parole.

BISHOP SCARBOROUGH HAS FINISHED 31 YEARS' SERVICE.

Great Growth of Episcopal Church During that Period.

The close of the thirty-first year of the work of Rt. Rev. John Scarborough as bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey occurred last week. The occasion was celebrated in Trenton in connection with the dedication of the new parish house of All Saints' P. E. church at Trenton. Bishop Scarborough delivered the sermon.

Referring to the close of the thirty-one years of his work as head of the Diocese of New Jersey, Bishop Scarborough said his heart was full, as he thought of the great blessings God had given him. He said he had asked to have this event set for last night, because it was particularly pleasing to him to celebrate his anniversary in a service which marked the progress of one of his churches. He spoke of the great progress in the diocese in the thirty-one years. When Bishop Scarborough took charge there were but 6,000 communicants in New Jersey, now there are 50,000 in the State. The Diocese of New Jersey, which includes the southern half of the State, is stronger today than was the whole State thirty-one years ago. This marvelous growth, the bishop said, should make his hearers take courage and forge ahead more determinedly than ever.

BLIND FOR EATING CANDY.

Eye Specialists Say Aniline Compounds Affected Optic Nerve.

Paterson, Feb. 5.—Eye specialists who have been treating the son of John Schmidt, a Paterson musician, say the lad was blinded by eating candy. The boy has always had an abnormal appetite for highly colored candy. The doctors say the child's eyes were weak, and the aniline compounds he ate affected the weak part of the optic nerve.

Two months ago the child was totally blind, but his sight is being gradually restored, and the physicians believe that in the course of a year he will be able to see as well as ever. The doctors say the case is an unusual one, and it does not follow that other candy eating children will be similarly affected.

E. E. Pray, of West Seventh street, left this morning for St. Augustine, Fla., to remain a short time.

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MUST HAVE RESPECT FOR OLD GLORY

SOLDIERS MUST HONOR STAR SPANGLED BANNER—GOVERNOR'S ORDER.

Trenton, Feb. 5.—Governor Stokes has directed Adjutant-General R. Heber Breintnall to send out general orders No. 1, prescribing methods of showing respect to the national flag by militiamen. The order reads:

"Paragraphs 383 and 441 of the army regulations having been amended as set forth in general orders No. 170, War Department, Washington, October 15, 1905, are published for the information and guidance of the National Guard of New Jersey. All orders in conflict with these requirements are hereby revoked.

"383. Whenever 'The Star Spangled Banner' is played by the band on a formal occasion at a military station, or at any place where persons belonging to the military service are present in their official capacity, all officers and enlisted men present will stand at attention, and if not in ranks will render the prescribed salute, the position of the salute being retained until the last note of 'The Star Spangled Banner.' The same respect will be observed toward the national air of any other country when it is played as a compliment to official representatives of such country. Whenever 'The Star Spangled Banner' is played as contemplated by this paragraph, the air will be played through once without the repetition of any part, except such repetition as is called for by the musical score.

"The words 'prescribed salute,' contained in the amendment to paragraph 283, mean the salute with the hand or with the weapon with which armed. It was the intention to prescribe, in the amendment of the paragraph referred to, that the position of salute should be retained until the playing of 'The Star Spangled Banner' is completed, when the salute should be finished.

"441. At every military post or station the flag will be hoisted at the sounding of the first note of the reveille, or of the first note of the march, if a march be played before the reveille. The flag will be lowered at the sounding of the last note of the retreat, and while the flag is being lowered the band will play 'The Star Spangled Banner,' or, if there be no band present, the field music will sound 'To the Color.' When 'To the Color' is sounded by the field music while the flag is being lowered the same respect will be observed as when 'The Star Spangled Banner' is played by the band. The national flag shall be displayed at a seacoast or lake fort at the commencement of an action and during a battle in which the fort may be engaged, whether by day or at night.

"By command of the governor and commander-in-chief.

"R. HEBER BREINTNALL,
"Adjutant-General."

THE FORUM.

The Rock Avenue Crossing.

Editor, The Daily Press:

Is it not most time the proper authorities took some action in reference to compelling the railroad company to place gates and a flagman at the Rock avenue crossing? The accident, as reported in your paper Saturday, is only a reminder as to what may take place at any time and possibly a great loss of life. While this is the only grade crossing in the city, yet it is a most dangerous one. It's impossible to see a train coming in either direction until you get on the track. I brought up this subject before the Board of Trade nearly a year ago and the secretary sent the resolution to the railroad company, who replied, saying that they would look into the matter and I presume they are still looking and they would be looking at something else had the Easton express been wrecked Saturday. Let something be done in the matter now before it's too late.

Yours truly,
J. V. E. VANDERHOEF.
Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

WIFE FOUGHT TO SAVE HIM.

Woods, Because She Left Him and Wouldn't Return, Drank Acid.

Walter Woods, of New York, whose wife had left him, called upon her late Saturday night at her home, 259 Waverley avenue, Newark, and begged her to return to him. When she refused, he attempted to drain a bottle of carbolic acid.

Twice the wife knocked the bottle out of his hands, but regaining possession of it, he ran from the house. Ten minutes later a policeman found him rolling in agony on the walk in front of his wife's home. The policeman dragged him to a drug store, forced an antidote down his throat, and at the City Hospital, whither he was taken, it is hoped he will recover.

Public Service Cars Crash Head On.

Fort Lee, Feb. 5.—Two Public Service trolley cars met head-on between Fort Lee and Coytesville at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. Mrs. David Vanderbeck, of Coytesville, was severely cut about the face by flying glass. One of her teeth was knocked out. Other passengers were badly shaken up by the collision. The accident is blamed to a new motorman, who passed the danger signal at the Fort Lee switch.

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HE FLED TO POLICE FROM ALLEGED WIFE.

Dr. A. N. Wilmot and His Pursuer Make a Scene in Newark Headquarters.

A man accompanied by a ten-year-old girl entered police headquarters, Newark, yesterday, and appealed to Desk Sergeant John Prout for protection from a woman who, he said, was pursuing him. He said he was Dr. Anson N. Wilmot, that the child was his daughter Evelyn, and that the woman he feared was Mrs. Catharine Cornell.

While Dr. Wilmot was talking an excited woman entered and exclaimed:

"I am the woman who is following him, and I am willing to stand the consequences. I have a right to follow him, for I am his wife."

Wilmot denied her statement, and the woman became so excited that Sergeant Prout threatened to lock her up.

Dr. Wilmot announced his intention of going to New York, whereupon the woman said:

"I'll follow you there to the very door of your house."

Later the woman returned to headquarters. She said she met Dr. Wilmot several years ago, when she was a widow living in Detroit. Dr Wilmot's wife, she said, obtained a divorce, and he sent for her to join him at Toronto, Canada, where, she says, they were married by the Rev. Mr. Ross. She charged that Wilmot carried off the daughter who was in his company from his former wife. She also charged Wilmot with having evaded paying alimony to his former wife. Recently, she alleged, Dr. Wilmot brought her and his daughter to Newark. She had reason to suspect, she continued, that he contemplated deserting her, and was making efforts to induce his former wife to rejoin him.

Sergeant Prout referred the woman to the overseer of the poor, to whom, she said, she would today prefer a charge of desertion.

Dry Sunday in Hackensack.

Hackensack, Feb. 5.—Not a drink was sold over a Hackensack bar yesterday, according to the local police, and it was recorded as the dryest Sunday in the history of the town. "I want the law enforced," said Prosecutor Koester to Chief of Police Dunn, and the latter promptly told the hotel men his instructions. Not even in the Elks' Home or at the Golf Club could members get a drink.

Miss Anna VanFleet, of Duer street, is visiting at the home of her brother, Alvah VanFleet, Chester, Morris county.

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"It is my opinion that there is no question as to the wisdom of this policy. It not only helps to fill the ranks, but compels the soldier to learn to do the thing that is necessary that he shall do well. This practice and record shooting is carried on under the active supervision of a large and competent corps of state inspectors of rifle practice, which the state of New Jersey generously provides.

"I desire to here express my appreciation of the thoughtful consideration and courtesies that were shown me by every officer of the national board and of the New Jersey State Rifle Association, both as your representative, and personally. Nothing was left undone that could have added to my comfort or pleasure. I shall always cherish the memory of the happy hours and the friends that I made at Sea Girt."

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Bayonne Cadets of Temperance Make a Law, But Will Break It.

"Well, I guess if a young man really loves a girl a $5 fine will not prevent him from marrying her. If it does I guess he isn't the kind of a husband girls are looking for," said a pretty Bayonne girl yesterday when she learned that at the last meeting of the Cadets of Temperance a resolution had been adopted imposing a $5 fine on any member who marries.

The resolution was introduced in a spirit of fun, but the members took it seriously.

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LOCAL OPTION UP TODAY

United States Brewers Association to Make Fight at Hearing.

TRY TO SMOTHER IT

High License Bill Drafted by Gilbert Collins to be Presented in Legislature This Week.

There will be another procession of hearings in the Legislature at Trenton this week. Several of them will be interesting and may result in hard fights later on the floor. The hearing on Miller's Local Option bill will be renewed this afternoon. Last Tuesday the advocates of the measure had their innings. Today the opponents of the proposition will present their side of the case. It is understood the principal argument will be made by ex-Judge Alfred F. Skinner, of Newark. He will be supported by several of the officials of the United States Brewers' Association, who are said to be armed with an impressive array of statistics.

Possibly some of the friends of option may get in a reply, but it is hardly likely. They had almost an entire afternoon last week, while the opponents of the bill will have only whatever time they can get between 5 and 7 o'clock this afternoon. The Legislature convenes at 8 o'clock, and the committee will want a chance to get dinner beforehand. Some time this week the introduction is expected of the High License bill, which is being drafted by ex-Judge Gilbert Collins.

It is known that the party leaders are in a quandary over the local option measure. From the Governor down, it is understood, all those in charge of the situation do not believe the temperance question should be one of the policies this year. The argument advanced is that there are so many importance matters, such as equal taxation and limited franchises, that must be settled at the present session, that everything that might interfere with such a settlement should be set one side or postponed for a year.

For that reason many hope a vote on the subject can be avoided. This hope is echoed by a score of members who do not want to be placed in an embarrassing position at home, whichever way they might vote. There are a good many of them who would feel that they must support a bill providing for the submission of local option or high license to a popular vote and yet recognize that their political future is likely to be imperilled by so doing. The only way to escape such a vote is by having the measures kept in committee. That is the current prayer of a lot of the Solons, but it is not likely to be answered.

The members of the committee do not purpose to be used as scapegoats. They would be the target of attack by the entire temperance element of the State if they declined to make any report. They do not care to stand in any such light. They perceive the way of safety for them individually is along the line of unloading the burden on the Legislature as a body. Then each man will have to stand or fall according to his conduct when the roll is called. It is an interesting situation, to say the least, and will be watched closely by everybody.

On Tuesday there will be a hearing on the automobile measure introduced by Senator Frelinghuysen, of Somerse, that promises to bring down the largest crowd so far of the session. The Senator will have the support of the farming element, the State Grange and other agricultural associations. He is expected to have a host of people at Trenton to back him up. On the other hand, the automobile associations and those who are enthusiasts on the machine will gather as they did when the Scovel bill was under consideration. At that time the Assembly Chamber could hardly contain the crowd, and a repetition of the former scenes is likely tomorrow. While Mr. Frelinghuysen is aware of the hard task ahead of him, he seems to be sanguine of success in the end. It is the general opinion, however, that before the measure can pass it will have several amendments tacked to it.

TO MAKE A FISH PRESERVE.

Jersey City Men Want An Artificial Lake Seven Miles Long.

A company of Jersey City men contemplate the making of an artificial lake near the village of Chester, which they will stock with game fish.

To this end they are negotiating for the purchase of lands along Black River. If they succeed, by building a dam 50 feet high across the valley, half a mile below the stone mill at Milldale, they estimate they would be able to make a lake seven miles long with an average width of about half a mile.

Carnegie Gift for Swarthmore.

Swarthmore, Penn., Feb. 5.—President Swain, of Swarthmore College, announced last night that Andrew Carnegie has offered $50,000 for a new library building on condition that the college shall raise $50,000 for the maintenance of the building.

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THEATRICAL NOTES.

"Under Southern Skies," which is to be presented in this city a week from Friday night, was written by Mrs. Lottie Blair Parker for Miss Grace George and was used by her as a starring vehicle for two years.

The olio of the Elks' minstrel show is to consist of three big vaudeville numbers, one of them being Robert Whittaker's act in which he uses his beautiful white horse, "Dahl," known to theatre and circus patrons all over the country.

"The Clansman," Rev. Thomas Dixon's play of Southern life in which the negro is pictured in an unenviable light, will be at the New Plainfield February 19. It is at present holding the boards at the Liberty theatre, New York, where it has been drawing crowded houses for the past month.

Manager Counihan is already booking attractions for next season. Among the big shows secured for late in 1906 are "Forty-five Minutes from Broadway," "The Prince of Pilsen," "The College Widow," Sam Bernard in "The Rollicking Girl," John Drew, Maude Adams, "The Heir to the Hoorah" and "Little Johnny Jones."

Richard Carle, the author and star of "The Mayor of Tokio," was making little more than his weekly board bill five years ago. His profits in one week recently were $3,055.57 from the following sources of revenue: Royalties from the libretto of "The Mayor of Tokio," $220.75; royalties from the libretto of "The Maid and the Mummy," $170.25; royalties from the libretto of "The Tenderfoot," $151.10; royalties from musical publishers who handle Mr. Carle's songs in the form of sheet music, $225.12; salary as star of "The Mayor of Tokio," $500; managerial dividends as part owner of the Richard Carle Amusement Company, $1,467.

BANDIT MICE CRACK A CRACKER-BOX SAFE.

Mrs. Wolfe Finds in Her Home-Made Safe Deposit Only a Few Remains of Former Contents.

Mrs. Joseph Wolfe, of Orange, has asked the Orange Common Council to cancel sewer assessments on her property, Nos. 219 and 230 Washington street, alleging that she has paid the assessments, but cannot produce the receipts because they have been eaten up.

Mrs. Wolfe owns considerable property and is known for her thrift. She has never patronized safe-deposit boxes in banks, but has relied on a safe-deposit box of her own—an old cracker-box. Recently Mrs. Wolfe went to her safe to look up papers relating to her property, and, to her dismay, found nothing but a few pieces of badly macerated paper, the remains of a banquet of mice, which in some way had squeezed under the cover and devoured everything in the box.

Red Men to Meet at Trenton.

Trenton, Feb. 5.—The annual convention of the Great Council, I. O. R. M., of New Jersey, will take place in the Y. M. C. A. Hall February 22 and 23. The candidates for representatives to the Great Council of the United States are: Dr. Walter Witmore, Oceanic, past great sachem; Joseph Nowrey, past great sachem, and David Peterson, past great sachem, both of Camden; Herbert Stetser, great sachem, Gloucester. One of the important matters to come before the meeting, and one which is expected to cause a lengthy discussion, is to have the law repealed making it eligible for both great and past sachems to become candidates for representatives to the Great Council of the United States.

Prisoner Didn't Appear.

Thomas Smith was arrested for drunkenness and disorder on Somerset street Saturday night by Patrolman Saffron. Judge Runyon released him yesterday morning on his own recognizance, to appear for a hearing this morning. He failed to put in an appearance and will be rearrested on sight.

—Herbert C. McVoy has sold his home on Sandford avenue, and with his family will move to Westfield, where he is engaged in business.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. M. A. Carman and her daughters, the Misses Julia and Margaret, of Franklin place, left for Miami, Fla., today.

Yardley T. Brown, of Wilmington, Del., formerly a local newspaperman, has been spending the past few days in town. He is now engaged in exploiting a western mining concern, covering eastern territory.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Eoff, of Crescent avenue, received a cablegram at 8 o'clock this morning informing them of the safe arrival of their daughter, Mrs. Bostwick, and her husband, Dr. Frank Brown Bostwick, at Gibraltar, Spain, yesterday afternoon. They will remain there for a time, after which they will go to their future home at Algerciras.

Eloper Gets One Year in Prison.

Belvidere, Feb. 5.—Judge Shipman, in the Warren County Courts Saturday, passed sentence on Vincent Stires, a printer, of Easton, Pa., who eloped with a young women, Miss Olive Ayers, deserting his wife, to whom he had been married but a short time. They lived in New York, but returned to Warren county a few days ago, when Stires was arrested and committed to jail. Thursday he pleaded guilty and the court gave him the full penalty of the crime, one year in State prison and the costs of prosecution.

Tried to Kidnap His Own Child.

Scranton, Pa., Feb. 5.—Dennis Dougherty, formerly of Scranton, now of Jersey City, was arrested here Thursday in the act of abducting his daughter, aged three and one-half years. Dougherty, it is said, deserted his wife a year ago and fled to Jersey City. He returned on Wednesday, and went to the house of his wife, threatening her. She had a warrant issued for him Thursday. When the officers reached the house they were met at the door by Dougherty, who had the child clasped in his arms and was on his way to the railway station. He was committed.

Award of $15,000 to Boy.

Middletown, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Damages of $15,000 against the International Paper Company of Niagara Falls have been awarded to Joseph Foster, who lost a leg while working in the factory of the paper company. This is the third trial. The first trial was held in Orange county, and Foster was awarded $9,000. This judgment was reversed by the Appellate Division. The second trial was held in Niagara county, and Foster got an award of $11,000. This was appealed successfully and the case was sent back to this county for trial.

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NOTICE.
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Dividend, No. 58.
The Board of Directors of the City National Bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent., out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Tuesday, February 6.
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DIED.

JOHNSTON—At his home, Park avenue, Scotch Plains, on Sunday, February 4, 1906, Edward M. Johnston, in his 82d year.
Funeral private. 2 5 2

RANDOLPH—In this city, Saturday, February 3, 1906, Herbert A. Randolph, aged 37 years, 7 months.
Funeral services Tuesday, Feb. 6, from Calvary Baptist church at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at South Plainfield cemetery.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 132 Park Ave. 2 5 3

BOY wanted. Union News stand, North avenue Station.

LAUNDRESS wanted for two days each week. 240 East Ninth St. 5 3

WANTED—White woman to wash Monday mornings. Address E. X., care Press. 2 5 3

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen N. J. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—A young girl for light general housework. 183 Martine avenue. 2 3 6

Miscellaneous.

U NEED IT—Nash's $5.00 Pea Coal. 1 30 10

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FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 5 4 tf

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BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. 4 6 tf

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THE highest cash price paid for house hold goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second St. Phone 1722.4 25 tf

For Rent.

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

TO LET—Six-room house; also part of house, with all improvements; furnished or unfurnished. Apply 243 Somerset street. 2 5 6

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross. 2 5 tf

TO LET—Four rooms and bath. Enquire 148 East Fifth street. 2 5 6

STORE, 187 North avenue, for rent from April 1. Apply room 2, 102 North Avenue. 1 8 tf m w s

FLATS to let, $9, $12, $16 per month; improvements. Inquire Adam Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 1 10

TO RENT—Ten-room house; all improvements; in perfect order; to family of aduits. Inquire 402 Park avenue. 2 1 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Nursing; experienced nurse; will give physician's reference. 115 Church St. 2 3 tf

SMALL farm wanted; 3 miles from Plainfield depot. Address R. A., Press. 2 5 3

WOMAN wants days work. 205 Liberty street.

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Open-face gold watch with chatelain; monogram A. S. Suitable reward at this office. 2 2 3

LOST—$25 reward; gentleman's diamond ring while driving Sunday over trolley road from White & Goodacres' and over turnpike to Cook & Sons'. Return to either above parties. 1 30 7

Situations Wanted.

COLORED girl wants situation chambermaid; no washing. Call two days, 521 East Sixth St. 2 5 3

DRESSMAKER would like position as seamstress and chambermaid by the day. Address S. F., care Press. 2 5 3

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THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. 10 3 tf

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COWS, COWS, COWS—Will receive Tuesday, February 6, a carload of choice fresh cows and springers, which are for sale or exchange at the lowest market prices at Gus Lewis' stables, 445 18th Ave., Newark, N. J. 2 5 2

HOUSE for sale or to let, 19 Craig place. Inquire 25 Craig place. 2 2 3

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FOR SALE—Small restaurant. Call 17 Grandview Ave. 1 30 6

BLOCK wood for sale; $6 per cord, delivered. Inquire 211 New street. 1 30 6

FOR SALE—Top soil; delivered. W. S. Jimerson, Leland Ave. 1 6 1mo

FOR SALE—An offer of $6,000 and very liberal terms might buy a handsome house worth $9,000; grand location; if you want a fine home, cheaper than renting, here is the opportunity. Ira L. LaRue, 109 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

FOR SALE—A sixty-egg incubator in good condition. Address "Broilers," care Press.

POULTRY FOR SALE—White Leghorns, Barred Rocks, and some others; settings of eggs. John Jones, 669 West Seventh St. 2 5 3

FOR SALE—Beautiful tract of five acres, on Woodland avenue, between the properties of Messrs. Arens and Duflon. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 6 tf

FURNITURE for sale at 340 East Third street. 1 31 6

JERSEY cow for sale; coming in the 8th; yields 20 quarts. Apply Alex. Kane. 1 31 tf

FOR SALE—Winton Dos-a-dos phaeton, with top; $350. Apply Charles Gulick, 416 Sycamore St. 10 25 tf eod

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THEY WOULD BETTER NEW JERSEY'S COAST

RESOLUTION IN LEGISLATURE SEEKS CONGRESS' ASSENT FOR IMPROVEMENT.

Trenton, Feb. 5.—Assemblyman Henry D. Thompson, of Mercer, in his joint resolution No. 3, pending in the Legislature, has a measure of the utmost importance to the entire coast section of New Jersey. The resolution provides that a joint committee of two Senators and three Assemblymen shall be appointed to memorialize Congress to permit this State to improve the inlets of the coast to protect the shellfish industry and provide more harbors.

Dr. Henry B. Kummel, State geologist, and his department, will operate in the movement involved in the resolution.

The resolution was called forth by a peculiar condition of affairs which is set forth in the annual report of Dr. Kummel, now in the hands of Governor Stokes. Dr. Kummel says:

"The coast of New Jersey from Sandy Hook to Cape May is of great importance in many respects. It forms the southern approach to New York Harbor, and the large tonnage between New York and all West Indian gulf, South and Central American ports passes close at hand. Although from Sandy Hook to Delaware breakwater is only 134 miles, records of the United States life-saving service show more disasters on this coast than on any other of equal extent in the United States. During the past decade 332 strandings occurred, more than one-half of them within range of the Absecon Light at Atlantic City. During a single year (1903-4) nearly two millions of property ($1,999,745) were placed in jeopardy by accident along the coast, although, owing to the efficiency of the life-saving service, the actual loss was less than $75,000, or only 3.75 per cent. These figures warrant the statement that the New Jersey coast in its present condition is a menace to commerce, notwithstanding the lighthouses and life guards which guard it.

"Owing to the enormous demands made upon the national treasury for river and harbor improvement, demands which cannot be fully met for years to come, there is small chance of obtaining national aid for improvement along our coast, since the tonnage is restricted by bars. To a certain extent Congress has established the policy of permitting local interests to undertake improvements of local character. There is need for further legislation by Congress giving more power to State and municipal governments to initiate and carry forward improvements in navigable waters.

"Such has been the case with remedial measures at Absecon Inlet and others on the New Jersey coast. Under these circumstances there is much justice in the demand that Congress confer upon localities the right to carry forward improvements in navigable waters, which have been denied national aid, according to local plans and without regard to the approval or disapproval of the War Department.

"The policy which refuses government aid, and forbids local endeavor, except under conditions which are prohibitory, when applied to New Jersey, has abandoned the inlets and bays of our coast to the vagaries of the waves and currents, and will make their improvements under existing condition forever possible. All persons to whom the fullest development of the States' beaches, bays and inlets is a matter of importance should unite in urging their Senators and Representatives to secure from Congress legislation permitting localities to make such improvements, if desired, at their own expense according to their own plans, and to charge tolls thereon. Such a policy would accord with that under which the enormous railroad systems and most of the waterways were originally built by private capital as commercial enterprises."

The resolution of Assemblyman Thompson is designed to provide a remedy for the condition referred to. A special effort will be made to secure its passage, in order that the State, or private corporations, may take up the work of improving the Jersey coast.

Miss Kuntz to Wed Cuban.

Bound Brook, Feb. 5.—Invitations have been issued for the wedding on February 10 of Miss Emma Kuntz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kuntz, of East street, and Juan Almiel, a wealthy Cuban, whom Miss Kuntz met and fell in love with while a bookkeeper at the American Engine Company's office in New York some time ago while he was transacting some business with the firm. The couple will be married in New York, and as the bridegroom is a Catholic the bride has changed her faith from that of Episcopalian to Catholic to oblige him. After the wedding they will enjoy a trip through the South and West, after which they will sail for Cuba, where they will live.

Arranging Smith Dinner.

The invitations to the dinner to be held in honor of Fred B. Smith, international secretary for religious work, by the Y. M. C. A., February 9, have been sent out. Mr. Smith will speak on his recent trip to England, India and Australia. He has been greeted by great audiences in the large cities.

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Addison, J. de W.—Art of the National gallery; a critical survey of the schools and painters represented.

Arber, Edward, ed.—English garner: selections from English literature. v. 1-3, 6-8.

Asakawa, K.—Early institutional life of Japan.

Bacon, E. M.—Hudson river: historical, legendary, picturesque.

Bashore, H. B.—Sanitation of a country house.

Belding, A. G.—Commercial correspondence.

Ble, Oscar.—History of the pianoforte and pianoforte players.

Carpenter, F. G.—Africa.

Coman, Katharine. — Industrial history of the United States.

Commons, J. R.—Trade unionism and labor problems.

Continental Congress.—Journals, 1774-1789. v. 1-3.

Coulter, J. M.—Analytical key to some of the common, wild and cultivated species of flowering plants.

Coulter, J. M.—Plant studies: an elementary botany.

De Vinne, T. L.—Modern methods of book composition.

Dow, J. W.—American renaissance: a review of domestic architecture.

Elson, Arthur.—Orchestral instruments and their use.

Greenwood, Edgar, — Classified guide to technical and commercial books.

Hart, A. B.—Actual government as applied under American conditions.

James, G. W.—In and out of the old missions of California.

James, Henry.—English hours.

Johnson, C. W., ed.—Songs of the nation.

Jordan, D. S., & Kellogg, V. L.—Animal life: a first book of zoology.

Keeler, H. L.—Our northern shrubs and how to identify them.

Leonard, W. S.—Machine-shop tools and methods.

Long, W. J.—Northern trails: animal stories.

Lounsbermy, Alice. — Southern wild flowers and trees.

Macleod, Fiona.—Isle of dreams: poems.

Mahan, A. T.—Sea power in its relations to the war of 1812.

Mead, G. W.—Modern methods in Sunday-school work.

Montalembert, C. F. R. de.—Life of St. Elizabeth of Hungary.

Murray, W. D.—Message of the twelve prophets.

Murray, W. D.—Life and works of Jesus, according to St. Mark.

New York, City, Metropolitan museum.—Handbooks of the individual collections.

O'Reilly, Rev. Bernard.—Life of Leo XIII. 2v.

Plattner, C. F.—Qualitative and quantitative analysis.

Pollard, A. W., ed.—Miracle plays, moralities and interludes.

Poore, H. R.—Pictorial composition and the critical judgment of pictures.

Ringwalt, R. C.—Briefs on public questions.

Roosevelt, Theodore.—Wilderness hunter.

Sage, E., & Cooley, A. M.—Occupations for little fingers: a manual for grade teachers, mothers and settlement workers.

St. John, T. M.—How two boys made their own electrical apparatus.

Spooner, S.—Biographical and critical dictionary of painters, engravers and sculptors.

Thompson, E. S.—Monarch, the big bear of Tallac.

Tillson, G. W.—Street pavements and paving materials.

Van Bergen, R.—Story of China.

Van Bergen, R.—Story of Japan.

Veblen, T.—Theory of business enterprise.

Waddington, M. A. K., Mme.—Italian letters of a diplomat's wife.

Wells, Carolyn.—Satire anthology: a collection.

Westgard, A. L.—Atlas of the State of New Jersey.

White, E. O.—An only child.

Wilson, H.—Silverwork and jewelry.

Irishman's Joke.

Over in Clay County, Mo., there was a funny Irishman, says the Wellington News. It was years ago when Philander Lucas was judge of the Circuit Court. The Irishman had a suit before Lucas, and when it was called, has attorney asked that it be passed as his client wanted to employ additional counsel. When the judge was going to dinner, the Irishman accosted him. "Your honor," he began. "Oi'm thinkin' iv imployin' another lawyer f'r me case. An' Oi think Oi wud rather pay yeez t' ripraysint me than anny wan else. Because, judge, Oi think yeez have a very good knowledge iv th' law, an' thin, bein' on the bench, yeez wud have a very good notion iv how th' thing is goin'."

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Nancy had dropped my arm and was gliding, kitty-corner fashion, across the floor. Presently she and the stunning girl had saluted each other after the impulsive fashion of American girls, and were playing cat-in-the-cradle, to the amusment of those foreigners nearest. A nod, and I was threading my way to Nancy's side.

"Isn't it glorious?" she began. "This is Miss Annesley, Charlie; Betty, Mr. Henderson." Miss Annesley looked mildly curious at Nan, who suddenly flushed. "We are to be married in the spring," she exclaimed shyly; and I dare say that there was a diffident expression on my own face.

Miss Annesley gave me her hand, smiling. "You are a fortunate man, Mr. Henderson."

"Not the shadow of a doubt!" Miss Annesley, I frankly admitted on the spot, was, next to Nancy, the handsomest girl I ever saw; and as I thought of Mr. Robert in his den at home, I sincerely pitied him. I was willing to advance the statement that had he known, a pair of crutches would not have kept him away from No. 1300 Connecticut avenue.

I found three chairs, and we sat down. There was, for me, very little opportunity to talk. Women always have so much to say to each other, even when they haven't seen each other within 24 hours. From time to time Miss Annesley glanced at me, and I am positive that Nancy was extolling my charms. It was rather embarrassing, and I was balling my gloves up in a most dreadful fashion. As they seldom addressed a word to me, I soon became absorbed in the passing scene. I was presently aroused, however.

"Mr. Henderson, Count Karloff," Miss Annesley was saying. (Karloff is a name of my own choosing. I haven't the remotest idea if it means anything in the Russian language. I hope not.)

"Charmed!" The count's r's were very pleasantly rolled. I could see by the way his gaze roved from Miss Annesley to Nancy that he was puzzled to decide which came the nearer to his idea of womanhood.

I found him a most engaging fellow, surprisingly well-informed on American topics. I credit myself with being a fairly good reader of faces, and, reading his as he bent it in Miss Annesley's direction, I began to worry about Mr. Robert's course of true love. Here was a man who possessed a title, was handsome, rich, and of assured social position; it would take an extraordinary American girl to look coldly upon his attentions. By and by the two left us, Miss Annesley promising to call on Nancy.

"And where are you staying, Betty?"

"Father and I have taken Senator Blank's house in Chevy Chase for the winter. My horses are already in the stables. Do you ride?"

"I do."

"Then we shall have some great times together."

"Be sure to call. I want you to meet my brother."

"I believe I have," replied Miss Annesley.

"I mean my younger brother, a lieutenant in the army."

"Oh, then you have two brothers?"

"Yes," said Nancy.

"The dance is dying, Mademoiselle," said the count in French.

"Your arm, Monsieur. Au revoir, Nancy."

"Poor Bobby!" Nancy folded her hands and sighed mournfully. "It appears to me that his love affair is not going to run very smooth. But isn't she just beautiful, Charlie? What color, what style!"

"She's a stunner, I'm forced to admit. Pob'll never stand a ghost of a show against that Russian. He's a great social catch, and is backed by many kones's."

"How unfortunate we did not know that she would be here! Bobby would have met her at his best, and his best is more to my liking than the count's. He has a way about him that the women like. He's no laggard. But money ought not to count with Betty. She is worth at least $250,000. Her mother left all her property to her, and her father acts only as trustee. Senator Blank's house rents for $8,000 the season. It's ready furnished, you know, and one of the handsomest homes in Washington. Besides, I do not trust those foreigners,"—taking a remarkably abrupt curve, as it were.

"There's two B's in your bonnet, Nancy," I laughed.

"Never mind the B's; let us have the last of this waltz."

This is not my own true story; so I shall bow off and permit my hero to follow the course of true love, which is about as rough-going a thoroughfare as the many roads of life have to offer.

CHAPTER VI.

THE MAN ON THE BOX.

At 11:30 he locked up his book and took to his room the mysterious bundle which he had purloined from the stables. It contained the complete livery of a groom. The clothes fitted rather snugly, especially across the shoulders. He stood before the pier-glass, and a complacent (not to say roguish) smile flitted across his face. The black half-boots, the white doeskin breeches, the brown brass-buttoned frock, and the white hat with the brown cockade. . . . Well, my word for it, he was the handsomest jehu Washington ever turned out. With a grin he touched his hat to the reflection in the glass, and burst out laughing. His face was as smooth as a baby's for he had generously sacrificed his beard.

I can hear him saying to himself: "Lord, but this is a lark! I'll have to take another Scotch to screw up the edge of my nerve. Won't the boys laugh when they hear how I stirred the girls' frizzes! We'll have a little party here when they all get home. It's a good joke."

Mr. Robert did not prove much of a prophet. Many days were to pass ere he reentered his brother's house.

He stole quietly from the place. He hadn't proceeded more than a block when he became aware of the fact that he hadn't a penny in his clothes. This discovery disquieted him, and he half turned about to go back. He couldn't go back. He had no key.

"Pshaw! I won't need any money;"—and he started off toward Connecticut avenue. He dared not hail a car, and he would not have dared had he possessed the fare. Some one might recognize him. He walked briskly for ten minutes. The humor of the escapade appealed to him greatly, and he had all he could do to smother the frequent bursts of laughter which surged to his lips. He reached absently for his cigar-case. No money, no cigars.

"That's bad. Without a cigar I'm likely to get nervous. Scraping off that beard made me forgetful. Jove! with these fleshings, I feel as self-conscious as an untried chorus girl. These togs can't be very warm in winter. Ha! that must be the embassy where all those lights are; carriages. Allons!"

To make positive, he stopped a pedestrian.

"Pardon me, sir," he said, touching his hat, "but will you be so kind as to inform me if yonder is the British embassy?"

"It is, my man," replied the gentleman.

"Thank you, sir."

And each passed on to his affairs.

"Now for William; we must find William, or the joke will be on Robert."

He maneuvered his way through the congested thoroughfare, searching the faces of the grooms and footmen. He dodged hither and thither and was once brought to a halt by the mounted police.

"Here you! What d'ye mean by running around like this. Lost your carriage, hey? I've a mind to run ye in. Y' know the rules relatin' th' leavin' of yer box in times like these. Been takin' a sly nip, probably, an' they've sent yer hack down a peg. Get a gait on y', now."

Warburton laughed silently as he made for the sidewalk. The first man he plumped into was William—a very much worried William, too. Robert could have fallen on his neck for joy. All was plain sailing now.

"I'm very glad to see you, sir," said William. "I was afraid you could not get my clothes on, sir. I was getting a trifle worried, too. Here's the carriage number."

Warburton glanced hastily at it and stuffed it into a convenient pocket.

"It's 16 carriages up, sir; a bay and a gray. You can't miss them. The bay, being a saddle-horse, is a bit restive in the harness; but all you have to do is to touch him with the whip. And don't try to push ahead of your turn, or you will get into trouble with the police. They are very strict. And don't let them confuse you, sir. The numbers won't be in rotation. You'll hear 115, and the next moment 35, like as not. It's all according as to how the guests are leaving. Good luck to you, sir, and don't forget to explain it all thoroughly to Mr. Warburton, sir."

"Don't worry, William; we'll come out of this with colors flying."

"Very well, sir. I shall hang around till you are safely off,"—and William disappeared.

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For Newark—5.35, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.48, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.34, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.33, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 3.17, 3.36, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 2.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.33, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.32, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Flemington—7.12, 11.00 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.19 p. m. Sundays—8.42 a. m., 5.37 p. m.

For Phillipsburg and Easton—5.25, 8.21, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.41 p. m. Sunday—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

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For Trenton—5.17, 7.44, 8.50, 9.46, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.46, 3.42, 6.45, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.71 night. Sunday—5.17, 9.53, 10.39, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 3.42, 4.55, 6.45, 9.46, 11.25 p. m., 1.17 night.

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DURLACHS TO BE HEARD BY HEALTH AUTHORITIES.

Owner of Dilapidated Buildings to Appear Before Board Tomorrow.

On the complaint made by Health Officer Leon R. Thurlow, the Board of Health will grant a hearing tomorrow afternoon to Henry I. Durlach, executor for Hannah Durlach, deceased, and Milton I. Durlach, owners of property at Watchung avenue and East Front street, reported to be in an unfit and unsanitary condition. Since the papers were served in accordance with the complaint, Mr. Durlach, the executor, has been in Plainfield, but has not signified whether it is his intention to make a defense.

John P. Emmons, agent for the Durlachs, has also been notified of the proposed action, and he may appear at the hearing. It is the purpose of the Board of Health to abolish the present nuisance if possible. The complaint made by Mr. Thurlow is very strong and is sufficient to authorize the board to take such action as will make the place sanitary.

Several times the owners of this property have proposed improvements, but they have never materialized. The corner was once talked of as a good site for Plainfield's city hall, but this proposition also fell through.

JERSEY CITY TEAM MAY TRAIN HERE.

Manager Murray Looking for Suitable Grounds.

"Owing to the delay of completing the new baseball park in Jersey City, Manager Murray is obliged to look about for suitable grounds on which his team can train," says the Hoboken Inquirer. "He had a consultation with Manager Daab last week and it is possible that he will take his men to Plainfield to get their limbs and muscles thawed out.

"Manager Murray," the report says, "will have his players report early in March and will probably devote the entire month of March in practice work. After getting in form the team will play a series of exhibition games.

"The Jersey City manager is out after the pennant this season. He is not in the least crestfallen over losing the flag last year in the closest race ever seen in the Eastern League. He claims to have a few stars in sight whose acquisition will bolster up the weak parts of the team."

Mrs. M. E. Firstbrook, of Grant avenue, is slowly recovering from the effects of a severe attack of grip.

George Smith, tenor soloist of the choir of the First Baptist church, who has been in the south for his health, is much improved. During his absence, Dr. Whitford has been taking his place.

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SPORTS HERE AND THERE

DIAMOND DUST.

Henry Mathewson, brother of "Christy" Mathewson, the premier twirler, has affixed his signature to a New York National contract and will be given an opportunity to show his ability this season.

Monmouth county baseball fans are planning a six team league for this season, taking in Matawan, Red Bank, Atlantic Highlands, Asbury Park, Long Branch and Freehold. If he remains in the vicinity, Jimmie Beisel will probably play with one of the teams in this organization.

While no one has a disposition to carry a hammer when meeting former Manager Charles Denman, of Westfield, the fans cannot help but smile at his proposition to establish baseball at Recreation Park for the whole of Union county. Great scheme to furnish good baseball for Westfield and let the county pay for it. Most any town or city in the country would jump at such a chance. Mr. Denman has discovered that the pace set last season was too fast for his "burg" and earlier he announced that amateur ball would be played. This does not strike the fans as being swift enough after the article served in Westfield heretofore, and now the foxy magnate comes forward with a plan whereby the town can see the best semi-professional ball and invite the fans of the county to pay for it. Mr. Denman was always known to want the earth, but this is considered the limit. There is every reason to believe that Plainfield can afford to have a first-class team playing here and it hopes to see Manager Daab and his fast aggregation here again.

BASKET BALL.

One of the best games of basketball of the season will be played at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday night, February 10, when the fast Newark team will be here.

"WILLIE" DEEGAN BECOMES PROPRIETOR OF A HOTEL.

Will Conduct the Scotch Plains Inn Owned by His Bride of Three Weeks.

"Willie" Deegan, who, as the star twirler of the Plainfield ball team last season, pitched himself into the hearts of local fandom, became a genuine Boniface Saturday night by assuming proprietorship of the old Scotch Plains Inn, which is owned by his bride of three weeks. The inn has been conducted for the past year by Mrs. Deegan's father, William S. Rapp.

It has been rumored for several weeks past that the popular twirler would settle at Scotch Plains and take up the hotel business, but it was not until last week that he finally decided to become a Boniface in reality. Mr. Rapp and family will continue to live at the hotel and will manage the place during Mr. Deegan's absence, as "Willie" will not desert the diamond and will be found wearing a uniform as usual when the season opens in May.

Service for Children.

The children's service held at the Holy Cross church, yesterday morning, the first of similar ones to be held once a month, was largely attended by children from two years of age up. The full vested choir sang familiar anthems and hymns and the rector, Rev. Charles A. Warner, said a shortened form of morning prayer, after which fifteen minutes was devoted to catchising the children. The service was distinctly one for the littles ones and the large number present was gratifying to the rector.

Prompt Settlement Accident Claim.

George Alexander, of the borough, who was recently injured while riding on a trolley car, has received through Harry G. Adams, agent for True Blue, the Fraternities Accident Order, a remittance of $81.66, which was the amount due him for total disability double indemnity for the trolley accident. Mr. Alexander says that the settlement is in accordance with the circulars of the order which won his applicaton as a member of "True Blue."

"The Calls of God."

Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, began last night a special series of sermons on "The Calls of God." His subject last night was "The Call to Matthew." The preacher showed how the disciple was called by God to work for Him, and how he responded so willingly. Mr. Herring then told of the labors of St. Matthew.

SOMERVILLE TO USE RAILROAD SIGNAL, A RED LIGHT, TO GUARD ITS RESIDENTS

Somerville, Feb. 5.—The board of town commissioners here has adopted a rather unique police signal system, which is in the form of a red light that is to be located in front of the telephone office on Main street. At present whenever a resident of the fashionable Altimont section of the town fears his house is being entered in the night he calls up the local telephone office, where a young woman is on duty all night, and tells her there are burglars trying to break into his home, and upon the receipt of such information the telephone operator hurries out of her office on to the street and blows a whistle until a policeman responds by blowing his whistle. Sometimes the policemen are hard to locate, and blowing the police signal has become a very disagreeable duty for the young woman to perform. It not only takes her from her post of duty at all hours of the night, but leaves her liable to an attack by the confederates of those who might be perpetrating a crime and have knowledge of the girl's duty to leave her office and give the alarm when a patron of the company calls up and asks her to do so. At the last meeting of the board of town commissioners it was decided to place a red light on the street, in front of the central office, which can be operated by means of a switch from the inside. A watchman seeing the red light flashed from the telephone office will report there at once and learn the cause for which it was displayed. There are three policemen on duty here at night. They are supposed to be located in different sections of the town. Chief of Police Durling does not think well of the red-light system, but is perfectly willing that it be put into operation as soon as possible, and whenever that may be, the policemen will be instructed to look out for the red light at all times. It has several times been reported that no policemen could be found on the streets. Chief Durling thinks the red-light system will at least serve as a means of keeping them more on the alert than heretofore. The chief is a railroad man. A red light on the railroad means danger, and the man who fails to see one when it is displayed get into trouble and loses his position. Chief Durling has warned the policemen that the red light flashed from the telephone office is a signal that some one's home is in danger, or that trouble exists, and the man who fails to see the signal and be governed by it will be shaken down.

BUSINESS MEN WIN FROM BOAT CLUB FIVE

WANAMASSA QUINTETT HAD A COSTLY LOT OF FOULS CALLED.

The Business Men took a sharply contested game from the Wanamassa Boat Club five at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday night. The score was 19 to 11.

The game was lively, because each team lacked just about as much finish as the other. The opposing quintets displayed no particular skill in passing or team-work, but they both worked hard and the activity displayed made the game highly interesting for the spectators. The Business Men really won on fouls. Nine chances at the basket came to them in that way in the first half alone, and five points were scored through them. No fouls were called on the Business Men, and the Boat Club five said plaintive and suspicious things of the umpire.

The line-up:

Business Men.	Wanamassa.
Spicer	Aalholm
Haynes	Phillips
forwards.	
Browning	Collier, Hoagland
centre.	
Letson	Martin
Miner	Whitney
guards.	

Morse, referee; Heicker, umpire.

Company K Inspection Postponed.

Owing to a mistake in orders, the expected inspection of Company K did not take place Saturday night. The postponement was a great disappointment to the militiamen as every member was in attendance and two left a sick bed in order to help the company secure 100 per cent. The regular drill was held and the inspection date will be announced later.

Vale Scotch Plains Gazette.

The Scotch Plains Gazette, a weekly started in that illage six weeks ago, suspended publication Saturday. Editor J. Byron Dixon couldn't get support enough to warrant the continuation of the paper. Only three annual subscriptions, it is said, were paid, and advertisers were wary. None of them would contract for more than a month at a time.

Winners in Athletic Contest.

Among the winners in the first of a series of athletic meets held Friday at the Pingry School, Elizabeth, was Sidney Rockwell, of East Front street. Rockwell came out second in the running high jump after a hard contest with West, the winner of the meet. Rockwell was a student at the P. H. S., class of '07, until this year.

Mrs. Singer in the Toils.

Annie Singer, of this city, looked on wine while it was red over in the borough Saturday night and was unable to get home. Chief Weiss took her in charge and yesterday she gave bail for appearance before Mayor Smalley tonight.

Miss Frances Neidig, of Brooklyn, has returned home after a visit with her brother, Frank Neidig, of Manning avenue.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH COMPLETES FIRST YEAR

SPECIAL SERVICES HELD IN HONOR OF ANNIVERSARY.

Members of the Christian church observed the first anniversary of its organization at the Grove Street Mission yesterday. Three services were held, one in the morning at 10:30, another at 2:30, and the last at 7:30 in the evening, all being well attended. Rev. Phil. A. Parsons, the pastor, had arranged the programmes and was in charge on each occasion. Music was provided by an orchestra and a chorus of mixed voices.

Among those who spoke at the meetings were Evangelist William Carney, of Newark; John B. Oakley, and Howard B. Scheckler, of Elizabeth; John Simonson, of New York; Rev. H. N. Jordan, of New Market, and Rev. J. B. Cleaver, of Bound Brook. Special anniversary remarks were made by Pastor Parsons.

The Christian church started with a small membership, but has been increasing rapidly and gives promise of becoming one of the city's important religious institutions. Mr. Parsons has always had charge and much of its success is due to his efforts.

BLOCK OF STORES BURNED AT SHORE.

One Hotel Destroyed Also at Asbury Park Today—Other Hotels Threatened.

Asbury Park, Feb. 5.—Fire in Cookman avenue near the beach early today, destroyed a block of stores and the Hotel Astoria and at one time threatened the West End, Ocean and Plaza hotels and the Cooper Building, four of the most important structures in the city.

The blaze started in the Doll building and a portion of which was still incomplete. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a lighted brazier's can in one of the lower rooms of the Doll building.

It spread rapidly to the Hotel Astoria, D. A. Gates' Old English Chop House, the Brumaker building and the Japanese arcade. The entire fire department of Asbury Park and its vicinity was called out.

Mr. Gates and family, who lived in the chop house, were obliged to flee in their night clothes.

Mayor Ten Broeck's West End Hotel caught three times, but was saved by a bucket brigade stationed on the roof. The Ocean Hotel was once ablaze and heroic efforts were required to save the Japanese Arcade, Schnitzler's merry-go-round and the Plaza Hotel.

The sky was lighted for miles on the coast and hundreds of people hurried from their home to the scene.

"Nightie" Parade.

In celebration of their victory over Oklahoma University, in the football game, the Washburn (Kan.) students gave a nightgown parade through the principal streets of Topeka the other night. The parade was delayed somewhat because the students had some trouble borrowing night shirts.

CORPORATIONS UNEASY

Blow to the Standard Oil Company Causes Alarm to the Trusts.

MAY BRING RESULTS

Something About the History of the Monopoly in New Jersey Since Charter Date in 1882.

The reform spirit in th air and the fact that other States have taken steps to discipline the Standard Oil Company, have caused the resolution introduced in the Senate last Tuesday by Senator Minturn, of Hudson county, calling for the annulment of the charters of the Standard Oil Company in this State, to create a great deal of uneasiness among the corporation men.

Similar measures have been introduced in the Senate and House in the last ten years, but they were treated as strike movements and received little serious consideration. But recent developments in Ohio, Kansas and Missouri and New York, relative to the Standard Oil Company, and the charge that New Jersey is largely responsible for the existence of that company as a trust, have set the leaders of the Republican party to thinking. It would not be surprising, therefore, if the Minturn resolution stirred up a lively discussion before the end of the session.

The Standard Oil Company was first chartered in this State in August, 1882, under the name of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. Its capital stock was $3,000,000. The fee it paid to the State for filing its charter was $600. Ten years later it increased its capital stock to $10,000,000 and paid the State a filing fee of $2,000. At this time the company changed its corporate name to the Standard Oil Company, and as such has done business up to the present time.

January 16, 1899, the corporation increased its capital stock to $110,000,000, and from that date it has been viewed as a trust. The fee that it paid the State at the time of this increase was $20,000.

The State charges a corporation tax on capital stock issued of one-tenth of 1 per cent. on the first $3,000,000, one-half of 1 per cent. on the next $2,000,000, and on all over $5,000,000 a rate of $50 a million.

Up to 1900 the State received no income in the form of a corporation tax from the Standard Oil Company, which escaped State taxation under the law which provides that a corporation which employs 50 per cent. of its capital stock within the State is not subject to a corporation tax.

When the capitalization of the Standard Oil Company was $3,000,000, and later when it was $10,000,000, it asserted that it had more than 50 per cent. of its capital invested in New Jersey industries. It is a fact, however, that until its capitalization was increased to $110,000,000, the assessed valuation of its property, real and personal, never reached more than $2,800,000.

In 1900 the company paid the State $8,494.58; in 1901, $8,511.83; in 1902, $8,508.42; in 1903, $8,505.27; in 1904, $8,479.44, and in 1905, $8,373.51.

According to the report of the State Board of Assessors last year, the assessed valuation of the real and personal property of the Standard Oil Company in the State was $5,867,930. This beinb more than 50 per cent. of the amount of stock issued—which was $98,338,300—it was exempted from paying a corporation tax.

Last year the assessment of the property of the company for local taxation was nearly doubled over that of previous years. This was a result of the agitation of the equal taxation issue.

In the twenty-three years that the Standard Oil Company has been operating under the laws of New Jersey it has paid into the State treasury $70,873.05, or a little more than $3,000 a year. These figures show that the financial benefits received by the State from the corporation are not great enough to warrant any especial effort on the part of the Legislature to protect it against reasonable criticism or to deny an annulment of its charter if sufficient grounds are given for such a procedure.

FRANKLIN MURPHY HONORED.

President Roosevelt Appoints Him Visitor to Naval Academy.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The President has appointed the following board of visitors to the Naval Academy for 1906: Alfred M. Scales, Greensboro, N. C.; ex-Governor Franklin Murphy, Newark, N. J.; Hon. Charles F. Brooker, Ansonia, Conn.; Brig. General C. A. Woodruff, San Francisco, Cal.; George P. Blow, La Selle, Ill.; Strathearn Hendrie, Detroit, Mich.; Frank J. Sprague, New York City.

Also the following board of visitors to the Military Academy: General Horace Porter, New York City; Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, Ohio; Arthur W. Foster, California; Prof. A. A. Persons, Alabama; Col. Benjamin S. Johnson, Arkansas; ex-Governor Urban A. Woodbury, Vermont; Col. Charles F. Holly, New York.

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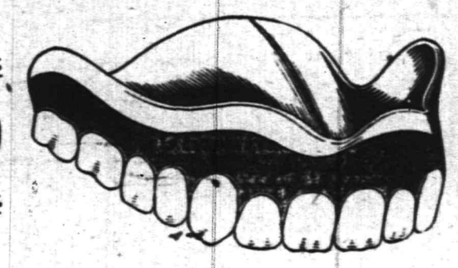

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Mr. Thomas Upton, of 26 Adams St., Rochester, a constable of that city, also had the same experience, and is pleased to report painless work.

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

M. C. VanArsdale took the tenor's place in the singing of the church quartette at the Endeavor anniversary at the Congregational church last night.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Peter's Lutheran church will hold its monthly meeting at Mrs. Vordermeier's home, 72 Fairview avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Beautiful souvenir bookmarks were distributed among the officers, teachers and pupils of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school yesterday by the superintendent, George E. Hall. They are made of celluloid and on one side is printed the names of the officers of the school and the time for the weekly session. On the other side there appears the aims of the school.

LEAVE SOMETHING OUT.

Elimination is the catchword of the hour. To know what to leave out—that is the important thing, in writing, in talking, in eating, in reading, in dressing, in our amusements, and in the furnishing of our homes.

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Rooms that are merely for show will always obtain in some houses; but the room that is at the same time artistic and comfortable is coming to bemore and more desired.

Boom at Lincoln.

Silar Dewey Drake, the real estate dealer and former Mayor of Lincoln, said yesterday that a New York syndicate had purchased 250 acres of Lincoln land for which they had paid $20,000, and that this was merely the precursor of a big boom for the town of Lincoln. Just what kind of industries will come to Lincoln it is not yet known, but work upon the construction of some of the buildings will be begun in the early spring.

Plainfielder on Brown Chess Team.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 5.—P. V. Van Arsdale, '07, of Plainfield, N. J., and Homer N. Sweet, '07, of Providence, have been selected to represent Brown University in the coming contest in chess between the American Intercollegiate Triangular League (University of Pennsylvania, Cornell and Brown) and Oxford and Cambridge. A cable match will be played on March 24.

Off For Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Hooley, of Rockview avenue, accompanied by their daughters, Misses Helen and Mabel, and Miss Brooks, also of Rockview avenue, sailed Saturday on the Campania of the Cunard line for a trip to Italy.

David Krymer, of Liberty street, who has been seriously ill for some time, is now in a critical condition.

Almond Schmeyer, formerly of this city, but now of New York, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Schmeyer, of Prospect place.

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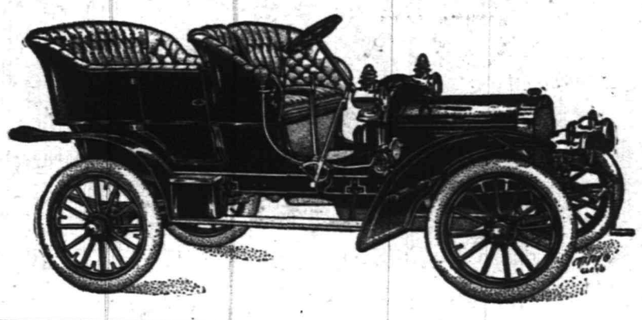

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GOFF WANTS A LICENSE

Though Fined For Running a Speak-easy He Files Petition With Common Council.

SCHANZ APPLIES ANEW

Shay the Last of Trio to Make Another Attempt—Twelve Ask for Renewals.

There were three new applicants for liquor licenses at the February meeting of the Common Council, making fifteen in all. The new ones were Charles Schanz, formerly of Park avenue, who asks for a license at 208A Watchung avenue, in a building owned by Charles H. Hand; John Shay, who applies for a license on West Third street, between Liberty street and Plainfield avenue, and John J. Goff, who again seeks a license for George Seeber's hotel on West Front street near Clinton avenue.

Goff pleaded non-vult to selling liquor without a license just a short time ago and was fined $50 in the county court. Today he was arraigned for running a disorderly house.

The other regular applicants are as follows: Henry Haurand, Michael Watson, Jerome W. Leary, Henry Windham, Jacob Blimm, J. A. Staats, Frank Clark, John Rafferty, Alex. D. Findlay, Chris. Gloeckler, Frank Linke and the Eastern Bottling Association. The last two named are for wholesale licenses.

The applications were referred to the license committee, of which Francis L. Motgomery is the chairman. They will be advertised in the usual manner and will come up at the adjourned meeting Friday night, February 23, for action.

While no opinions were expressed on the part of the councilmen, there is a feeling that the number of licensed places will not be increased this year. There would be strong objection to a licensed place on Watchung avenue, near the trolley stand, where so many persons congregate.

It is said that the word has been passed to John J. Goff that it would be useless for him to attempt to secure a license. John Shay has applied for a license on West Third street before and been refused, and it is unlikely that he will be successful this time, especially as the city ordinance prevents the granting of a license to anyone outside of the prescribed district. This would also affect Mr. Goff.

The license committee will consider the various applications before the time for action arrives, and it is thought that they will not recommend the granting of any new applications.

THIRD WARD WANTS MORE ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

And Councilman Leslie M. Daniel Sees That It Gets Them.

Councilmen Daniel and Hibbard sparred for points in settling a question concerning electric lights at the February meeting of the Common Council last night, and the former won out. Mr. Hibbard is chairman of the light committee and recommended in response to a request that one light be located at Darrow avenue and Essex street. He explained that he had visited the street and decided that a single lamp would suffice.

Mr. Daniel thought differently. He said that the Third ward had always been modest in its requests for favors, but that in this case he thought the street in question should be well lighted, for the reason that it leads from the West End fire house to Seventh and Eighth streets and in case of fire it would be a great help to have that thoroughfare well illuminated.

Mr. Hibbard still insisted that one lamp would do, especially as the street is not even macadamized and is a short avenue, leading from Fourth to Seventh streets.

Mr. Daniel finally offered a motion that three lights be placed there, one at Darrow avenue and Essex street, and two between Essex and Fourth streets, and he said that he hoped his colleagues would support him. On the vote Councilmen Buxton, Ginna, Montgomery, Frank Randolph, Tyler, Tolles and Daniel decided in the affirmative, while Councilmen Hibbard and C. C. Randolph cast their votes in the negative.

Buiding a Home.

H. C. McVoy, of Sandford avenue, is building a house in Westfield, where he does business as a plumber. He will move his family to the new dwelling as soon as it is ready for occupancy.

Quarantine Raised.

Quarantine has been raised from the house of J. A. Conroy, Stone street, where two children were ill with scarlet fever.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

AGAINST AUTO MEASURE

Wm. Jeffery Tells the Governor Why Frelinghuysen's Bill Should Not be Passed.

AUTOS COME TO STAY

Provisions Opposed to Best Interests of the Real Estate Men—Interview at Trenton This Morning.

On his invitation, William Jeffery, of North Plainfield, met Governor Stokes at Trenton this morning to recite in person his objections to the Frelinghuysen automobile measure, which is being given a hearing this afternoon before the Senate judiciary committee.

Mr. Jeffery's objections were in part as follows:

"Real estate agents especially ought to see that the Frelinghuysen bill is against their interests, whether or not they themselves own autos. The bill does not add to the protection of the public but simply discourages the ownership of autos. Residents of the State ought to be encouraged to buy and use autos if only to make them interested in having good reads, which add to the value of real estate. Instead of discouraging the use of autos the State ought to exempt them from taxation as personal property when owned by a resident who had paid a registration fee, as is proposed in a bill now before the New York Legislature; and should make it easy for a non-resident to travel in the State whenever he felt like it—the oftener the better. This bill puts a premium on scorching through the State when if any favor is to be shown it should be given to the leisurely tourist and summer visitor.

"Non-residents who are wealthy enough to own autos ought to be encouraged by all possible means to travel throughout the State. Not only will they spend money and increase business, though this is an important matter to the summer resorts, but they will see the natural beauties and other advantages of the State, and some of them will locate here, buying property and adding to our population and wealth. A liberal policy towards autos would add to the land values of the State and increase revenue far more than absurd attempts to punish anyone with enterprise enough to invest hundreds of dollars in a modern improvement.

"The license feature of the bill is objectionable for several reasons: It discriminates unfairly against the man of family by compelling him to pay extra to get permission for his family to use the machine for their pleasure. It is a handicap to business men who may wish to have several employes use the machine as they would a horse.

"Licensing does not insure safety. Bad accidents do not happen to inexperienced drivers but to skilled ones who take chances. Owners of machines seldom have accidents when driving. Nearly all bad accidents are the result of chauffeurs doing stunts to delight strenuous employers in order to hold their jobs. Neither examinations nor the fear of losing licenses have prevented steamboat captains from violating the law for years in order to hold their jobs—instance the General Slocum disaster. Most auto accidents are the result of excessive speed, which should be prohibited by severe penalties enforceable against not only the chauffeur but the owner as well if he is in the vehicle.

"But this bill imposes the same penalty for running sixty miles an hour or showing false numbers, as for leaving a license home or having the numbers on the lamps an eighth of an inch too short.

"It is impossible to legislate brains into people's heads and the only effective way to diminish accidents is to let incompetent and reckless people know that they will be held to strict accountability for the damage they do and they had better not try to show off in a machine.

"Among the minor objections to the bill are the arbitrary power given to the commissioner, enabling him to revoke a license without appeal and for the most trivial violation, leaving it entirely to his discretion to refuse licenses. To permit any magistrate to revoke a license is absurd, but to provide that an acquittal by a higher court of an offence charged shall not restore a revoked license is outrageous.

"Notice of appeal served on a magistrate and filing of bond should be sufficient to stay imprisonment; by section 31 the defendant goes to jail forthwith until appeal is perfected. Warrants for alleged offences need not issued for three months. This opens the door for unjust prosecution and for the most of the violations, a summons would be sufficient.

"Section 4 says no machine shall

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ASKS PLAINFIELD'S HELP

Dunellen Board of Education Wants to Send High School Pupils to This City.

HAS NO UPPER GRADES

Matter Discussed at Last Night's Meetings of Local Board—Arrangements Complete for New School Dedication.

At the regular meeting of the city Board of Education last night the plan to allow Dunellen pupils who have completed the grammar grades in their district to enter the local High School at special tuition rates was broached to the members by a formal letter from the Dunellen board. The communication was as follows:

"Board of Education, Plainfield.

"Dear Sirs—The State school department is making a move to give an opportunity for a full High School education to every child in the State, and has informed us that Dunellen must either provide a ful four years' High School course in its own school or pay tuition in some other High School for our pupils who wish a full course.

"Our building is already full and we cannot meet this requirement without enlarging our building. We realize, too, that even then it would not be possible for us to furnish equipment and teachers that would give our pupils anywhere near the opportunities an dadvantages of a school like that in Plainfield. We, therefore, request your board to consider the question whether you will admit to your High School Dunellen pupils who meet the requirements set by your superintendent and what tuition you would charge, the same to be paid by our board, in accordance with the advice of the State Board of Education.

"If it is possible for you to admit our pupils on terms that we can meet, you would not only aid us in meeting the problem that confronts us, but would open to our young people a much broader educational outlook than we can ever give them. We feel too that by such an arrangement both boards would be carrying out the policy of the State Board of Education.

"Respectfully yours,
"W. S. FREDERICK,
"President Dunellen Bd. of Ed."

The matter was discussed in an informal manner by the board, and the opinion prevailed that something could be done by Plainfield without incurring any expense to the taxpayers. No positive action was taken, but Superintendent Maxson was authorized to confer with the Dunellen authorities and reach some decision in regard to terms. They can afterward be submitted to the local board for ratification.

Mr. Abbott reported to the board that the new High School will be in readiness for the dedication on Washington's birthday and that the programme had been arranged. The speaker has not yet been secured, but Superintendent Maxson announced that he was in correspondence with several men and would probably have this matter taken care of within the next few days.

Bids for furnishing the new school building with shades and rollers were submitted by local dealers and the contract was awarded to J. A. Green. He asked $238.75 for 178 shades and rollers complete.

DAVID KRYMER SUCCUMBS TO PULMONARY TROUBLE.

Son of Mrs. J. H. Krymer Passes Away After Six Weeks' Illness.

David J. Krymer, son of Mrs. John H. Krymer, died this morning at 6:20 o'clock at his home, 610 Liberty street, following an illness of six weeks. He was first attacked with pneumonia and this developed into pulmonary troubles.

Mr. Krymer was born at Lebanon, Hunterdon county, and was thirty-five years old. He came to this city when a boy and later learned the trade of machinist at the Walter Scott Printing Machine Works, where he was employed until illness compelled him to give up. He was a member of Trinity Reformed church and a regular attendant at the services. He was also a member of Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. A wife and two children, one two years old and the other two months old, and a mother and two sisters, Mrs. William F. Oliver and Mrs. Theodore Mantz, survive him.

The funeral services will be held from the late home Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and interment will be in the Plainfield Avenue cemetery. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, will have charge of the services.

—Get right with God.

—Miss Effie Baily, of this city, has taken a position as bookkeeper at the local telephone exchange.

CABBIES MAKE DEMANDS

They Ask For All Sorts of Concessions From the Common Council.

A PETITION IS FILED

Radical Changes in the Present Ordinance Requested— Their Demands in Detail.

The licensed cab drivers of the city petitioned the Common Council last night for an adjustment of several matters which they believe will tend to benefit their business. The first request was that within the limits they be permitted to charge twenty-five cents for the first passenger and fifty cents for two or three passengers to the same address. The present additional charge is forty cents for two passengers or fifty-five cents for three.

Another request is that they be allowed to remove the license numbers from the lamps on their cabs, and that instead of being compelled to display a large badge on their coat, they be allowed to wear a white button in the lapel of the coat, about an inch in diameter, showing their number. The cab drivers also ask that instead of displaying a large card bearing the section of the ordinance which regulates their business, that a small folder be used and placed in the pocket of the cab. The petition is signed by John C. Lynch and others.

As to the display of large numbers on the lamps of the cab and on the coat of the driver, there is considerable objection. The cabmen claim that many of their patrons are opposed to engaging a cab distinguished in this way. They would much prefer, the cabmen say, that there be no distinction made from a private carriage.

The petition was referred to the license committee of which Mr. Montgomery is the chairman, and he will no doubt arrange a meeting with the cab drivers to discuss the matter further.

BAND CONCERT BENEFIT

The Second Annual Fair Formally Opens in Saengerbund Hall.

A LARGE ATTENDANCE

Professional Vocalists on the Programme—Special Attractions Arranged for Tonight.

With an attendance of over 300, Ben LaVere's annual fair for the benefit of summer band concerts started in Saengerbund Hall last night. The hustling "music master" has provided more attractions than ever this year and from present indications all records will be broken in the way of receipts.

Dancing is the chief form of amusement and the floor was filled all evening. Music was provided by an orchestra of four pieces from New York, and at 9:30 one of the popular "shadow" dances was given, the lantern slides being operated by A. E. Willard. This is a novelty that will be introduced each night.

Professional vocalists from the metropolitan publishing houses will be in attendance all week and render the latest song successes. The singer last night was Jack Elliott, the well known tenor, who gave "We'll Be Together When the Clouds Roll By" and "Nothing from Nothing Leaves You," at his first appearance, and later in the evening "Watch Where the Crowd Goes."

The customary booths are arranged about the hall and are very prettily decorated. They are in charge of Mrs. Edward P. T. Smith, Miss May Smith, Miss Margaret Shepherd and Mrs. Andrew Stiglitz. The floor committee is composed of William Pope, Walter Krietling, Richard Higgins and William E. Runyon, while Charles Steiner and John Doud have charge of the box office. The door is presided over by Edward Terry.

Tonight has been set aside as Saengerbund night, and members of the organization will attend, including the Singing Section. Nick Parker, will known to those who attended last season's concerts, will be the vocalist, and tomorrow night Jack Elliott will render songs from "Forty Five Minutes from Broadway." Thursday night the popular "Billy" Redmond will be present, Friday night Nick Parker, and Saturday night "Billy" Murray. The fair is to be continued over until next Monday night, when three singers will furnish the entertainment.

MR. COSE NOT CONFIRMED

Mayor's Appointment of 2d Assistant Chief of Fire Department Tabled.

JENNINGS MOVED UP

Vote for New First Assistant Chief Unanimous—His Salary Raised —Tyler Leads Opposition to Cose.

John H. Cose, aspirant for the position of second assistant chief of the fire department, as a result of the resignation of First Assistant Chief John W. Murray, Jr., failed to get the place at the meeting of the Common Council last night. He was appointed by Mayor Buckle, but by a vote of five to four, Councilmen Mellick and Gloak being absent, the nomination was placed on the table, where it will remain for a time at least. Councilmen Daniel, Ginna, Hibbard, C. C. Randolph and Tyler voted to table the appointment, while Councilmen Buxton, Montgomery, Frank Randolph and Tolles voted in the negative.

William Townley, senior captain of the fire department, is a candidate for promotion and it is understood that Chairman Mellick favors him.

After the resignation of Mr. Murray was received and acted upon, the appointment of Second Assistant Chief Andrew D. Jennings to Mr. Murray's position was announced by the clerk, and Councilman Frank Randolph moved that it be confirmed.

Mr. Hibbard arose to ask about the salary question and this led to a lengthy discussion. Mr. Randolph said that the matter had been considered by the fire committee and the salaries would remain the same, that is, Mr. Jennings would continue to receive $900, while the second assistant would get $100, unless a change was made by the Common Council.

Mr. Daniel, while not opposed to the proposed action, thought there might be possible complications over the salary question and desired to have it well understood. He then quoted the ordinance on the subject. Mr. Randolph urged his motion to confirm, which was adopted, after which there was favorable action on his motion fixing Mr. Jennings' salary at $900 and that of the second assistant, whoever he might be, at $100.

The above action was followed by the appointment by the Mayor of John H. Cose to the position of second assistant. Mr. Tyler wanted to know right away what Mr. Mellick, chairman of the fire committee, thought about the appointment and regretted that he was not present to speak on the subject. He urged that it be laid on the table until Mr. Mellick could be heard.

Mr. Tolles believed the appointment should be confirmed, and Mr. Buxton sought to explain that the action was supported by four members of the fire committee, who had learned that the call men preferred Mr. Cose and the members had decided upon him.

Mr. Hibbard wanted to defer action, but Councilman Frank Randolph attempted to enlighten his colleagues so as to secure favorable action. He said that it was with no desire to hinder any deserving promotion that Mr. Cose was appointed, but simply because the call men, who have been represented in the board of engineers by Mr. Murray, believed that they should still continue to be represented and the committee decided that way.

Councilman C. C. Randolph wanted to know if the call men had urged the appointment of Mr. Cose, and President Tolles informed him that they had.

Mr. Montgomery stated that Chief Doane had informed him that there are twenty-four call men, each receiving $50 a year, and that 85 per cent. of this force always responded to fire alarms. In view of this, he thought the call men entitled to recognition. If a senior captain is promoted, that would leave Chief Doane short-handed and another regular man would have to be appointed at a salary of at least $600 a year. This would mean an increase in fire department expenses. On these grounds he said that he would favor Mr. Cose and vote for his appointment.

Mr. Tyler wanted to know the names of the four members of the fire committee who favored Mr. Cose, whereupon Mr. Buxton informed him that they were Councilmen Gloak, Montgomery, Frank Randolph and himself, and in reply to a question said that Mr. Mellick favored Captain Townley.

This led Mr. Tyler to remark that while he was not a member of the fire committe, or several other committees, this year, he did not think there was urgent need for action and that there was no good reason why the appointment should not be laid on the table for the present. He said that he had heard considerable talk about the matter and he would pre-

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EDUCATION HELPS WOMEN

Smith College Instructor Lectures on Higher Culture at the Monday Club.

DOESN'T SPOIL COOKING

College Girls Are Pleasant Table Companions, and Education Does Not Make Them Dissatisfied with Their Homes.

Higher education of women, as it affects their attitude toward life and the capabilities in whatever sphere they moved, was the theme of a highly interesting lecture delivered before the Monday Afternoon Club yesterday by Miss Mary Jordan, of the department of literature, Smith College. The audience was large. The subject, which naturally appealed to them, was treated in a way that was most entertaining.

Miss Jordan's lecture embraced a consideration of the relative intellectuality of men and women, so far as the subject had been settled by the trend of thought for many centuries. She held that woman's intellectual fitness for higher culture had been recognized very early in the history of education and made it plain that she did not claim any essential newness for the so-called "new" status of woman in the world of thought. She cited Plato, who held that both women and men should be educated. Quenn Elizabeth was advanced as a type of intellectual womanhood of pre-modern times. The lecturer said Elizabeth was essentially a modern woman—"expressed in Tudor terms." She said the women of the renaissance period were on an intellectual level with women of today, but not so conscientious. They were heedless of the future and builded neither in themselves nor their associates for the future.

The present form of education is not better than that of the past, Miss Jordan said, but it is more extensive and offers greater opportunities. The character of the privilege is higher.

"I am often asked by anxious fathers and mothers," said Miss Jordan, "if higher education will make a girl dissatisfied with her home." My answer to that is, if the girl inherits a sweet and magnanimous disposition, her attitude toward the home will not be altered. If she inherits a petty, mean spirit, four years among any set of young people in any environment will not change her temperament.

"'Will higher culture prevent a girl from being a homemaker—a good cook?' is another question I am asked. Well, if anybody inspects the cooking equipment gathered at every colony of girl students, the conclusion will be inevitable that man is a cooking animal. 'Does higher education make a girl a good table companion?' is sometimes asked. I think that the conversation at every restaurant where one may meet the educated girl will demonstrate that conversationally she has not been harmed."

The lecturer's general conclusion as to the effect of higher education was that it did not unfit or tend to unfit a girl for any sphere in which the average girl of the middle classes might move. It certainly did not unfit her, Miss Jordan said positively, for earning a living.

RETIRED FARMER DEAD.

Alexander Bayles Succumbs to Stroke of Paralysis.

Alexander Bayles, one of the best known residents in Middlesex county, died early this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Gildersleeve, of East Sixth street. He was stricken with paralysis a month ago and sank steadily.

Mr. Bayles was eighty years old and was born at Kingston, where he was engaged in farming until ten years ago. He was always identified with the county's affairs and held various offices, being elected on the Republic ticket. He is survived by a widow and eight children.

The funeral will be held from the residence of N. D. Stryker, Monmouth Junction, Friday afternoon and interment will be at Kingston.

—Before making vegetable selections for dinner, see the display at Neuman Brothers'. They are sure to have the things you want, strictly resh each day.

CONFERENCE ON CHARITES

Mrs. Glenney, Dr. Murray and Mr. Fox to Take Active Part at Annual Session.

NEWARK, NEXT WEEK

Mr. Fox to Preside at Opening Session of Fifth Annual Meeting —Governor Stokes to Make Address.

Mrs. W. L. C. Glenney, one of the officers of the City Union, King's Daughters, will take part in a discussion of the subject, "Visiting Nursing," which will be the opening feature of the session of the New Jersey State Conference of Charities and Correction, to be held in the Public Library, Newark, February 5-17. Dr. W. H. Murray, of this city, is one of two physicians who will present the subject of "Civic Sanitation and Hygiene as Affecting the Welfare of the Poor." Hugh F. Fox, also of this city, as chairman of the medical charities, will preside at the opening session. The session will be the fifth annual meeting.

Prominent speakers from all parts of the State, as well as elsewhere, have been invited and wil either present papers on timely topics or take part in the discussion of matters relative to charities and corrections.

The first session will be held Thursday afternoon, February 15, at 2:30 o'clock, and a good part of the afternoon will be devoted to a consideration of local treatment of consumptives by leading physcians.

Governor Stokes, Hon. George B. Wight, commissioner of charities and correction, and others will speak on Thursday night. On Friday morning there will be a discussion of the new parole system, advantages of the indeterminate sentence, the need of a women's reformatory and causes of juvenile delinquency.

On Friday afternoon the conference will consider enforcement of the truancy and child labor laws, management and care of almshouses, and in the evening there will be addresses on the federation of charities, sane charity, the friendly visitor, sanitation and hygiene, followed by a general discussion.

The closing session of the conference will be held Saturday morning and will be devoted to a consideration of the need and provision for rational recreation, parents' associations in pubic schools, social settlement in New Jersey, "The Minister as a Social Factor," followed by discussion.

Miss Emma L. Adams, librarian at the Public Library, is one of the assistant secretaries of the conference and will attend the sessions.

CHURCH CLUB MUSICALE.

With Pianola Recital As Programme's Main Feature.

The Men's Club of the Congregational church held a musicale last night, at which the women of the church were entertained.

The feature of the programme was a recital on a mechanical piano-player by W. E. MacClymont. Mr. MacClymont, who is an organist and pianist of more than ordinary skill, demonstrated that the musical sense and perception may be as certainly indicated and illustrated on a piano-player as in direct playing. His numbers were very much enjoyed. B. F. Tallamy and Miss Etta Raybert, members of the church choir, sang.

Refreshments followed the musicale. The committee included D. F. Updyke, George W. Dean, and George Fisher.

William DeCamp Surprised.

A birthday surprise party was tendered to William DeCamp at his home in Jackson avenue, last night, the affair being arranged by George Watts. Mr. DeCamp was sent on an errand and when he returned found his home occupied by a host of relatives and friends. Dancing, music and games were enjoyed during the evening and at midnight refreshments were served.

—Daily Press want ads. pay

—Co. K will hold its monthly meet at the armory on Saturday night to make final arrangements for the approaching fair and banquet of the company.

GOFF IS AGAIN HAULED BEFORE THE COUNTY COURT

John J. Goff, who was indicted recently on a charge of illegal selling of liquor at his hotel on West Front street, and who, after pleading non-vult, was fined $50, was arraigned in the Union County Court this morning to plead to an indictment on a charge of keeping a disorderly house at his hotel.

Mr. Goff was represented by William R. Wilson, who entered a plea of not guilty for his client. The trial was set down for Tuesday, February 13, and Mr. Goff was released in $500 bail, which was furnished by J. Logan Fay, of Elizabeth.

Mr. Goff was among those who made application to the Common Council last night for a license to sell liquor at his West Front street hotel.

This action on his part occasioned some surprise in the light of previous events.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

The full plans of the committee appointed by the Citizens' meeting at New Market to oppose the granting of a borough charter to South Plainfield are a matter of speculation. "We are not telling all we intend to do," says Chairman Drake. The committee will undoubtedly speak up strong to the legislators, and may wait on Gov. Stokes himself. South Plainfield's rejoinder to the citizens' action is awaited with interest.

William G. Holton Council will be largely represented at the American banquet of the Plainfield Juniors. Aside from their fraternal interest in the affair, the members are delighted with the opportunity to hear Everett Colby.

Plans for rearranging the Sunday-school class rooms are being considered by the Presbyterian church, in order to afford more room, badly needed, to the classes. The school has been growing steadily.

The monthly business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will be held next Friday night. A sociable will follow the meeting.

Theodore Apgar's new house on North avenue is being pushed rapidly. He expects to have it completed before early spring.

The social committee of the Presbyterian C. E. Society met at the home of Miss Emma D. Hillier, last night.

When Prof. Yeagher's dancing class is started lessons will be given every Friday night at Apgar's Hall.

The infant daughter of William Craig is being cared for by Mr. and Mrs. George Craig.

Miss Edna Baldwin, who was ill for a number of days, has returned to work.

A new series will be started by the building and loan association in April.

The school board of the borough will meet tonight.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Private funeral services of the late Edward M. Johnston will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house. Rev. T. Moore-Smith will have charge of the services.

The six issues of The Gazette can be treasured as souvenirs by the subscribers, as it will likely be years before Scotch Plains will have a local paper of its own again.

Andrew Riley, who has been visiting his brother, James Riley, of Washington Valley, has returned to his home in New York.

Skating is good on the several lakes through the valley and the lovers of the sport are taking advantage of it while it lasts.

Miss Kate Munroe, of East Sixth street, Plainfield, has been visiting relatives and friends in town over Sunday.

The Suburban A. C. holds another of the club's series of winter dances Thursday night in the club hall, Fanwood.

Mrs. Charles M. Mooney has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. William Dean, of Summit.

The annual township report will soon be ready for distribution among the taxpayers.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Mrs. Steele and daughters, the Misses Steele, of Worcester, Mass., recently moved to this city.

—Amos Ryno, of Dunellen, who several weeks ago received a severe injury to his foot at the Potter Press Works, is still at the hospital, but convalescing rapidly.

—V. W. Nash, Jr., Esq., is counsel for Brank Brown, the colored youth, who is charged with stealing a watch, and whose trial is set down for Wednesday, February 21, at Elizabeth.

—George Macintyre has received from his partner, F. L. C. Martin, who is in Florida, a unique cocoanut representing one of the "natives." It is on exhibition at the Park avenue store.

—Those in charge of the details for the second annual carnival to be held this summer for the benefit of the hospital are gradually getting things in shape. There will be a meetings of all the committees soon when reports will be presented.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Erskine M. Rodman, of East Seventh street, is sojourning at Lakewood.

William Tobin has returned to work after a sharp attack of pneumonia.

Julius Williams, of East Front street, has returned home from a western business trip.

Mrs. John Auten is detained at her home in the New Madison with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Louis Alpaugh, of West Fifth street, has returned home from the hospital after a severe illness.

Mrs. George Whitley, of West Fifth street, left for Cedartown, Ga., yesterday, for the benefit of her health.

Mrs. Myron A. Carman and daughters, of Franklin place, have gone to Florida. They will be away two months.

Gone to Pacific Coast.

James Slorah, of Monroe avenue, has gone to the Pacific coast in the interests of a Jersey City motor company. He will be gone a year.

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A notable engagement is announced as a special attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Friday night in that of True S. James, the gifted and eminent actor, who comes with a strong company and a new play, "In a Woman's Power," which is his latest success. In this play Mr. James has found one of the greatest character roles ever seen upon the stage, and under the unique name of "Fiddlestrings" is always roaming about the world accompanied by his old violin, upon which he plays to amuse the people wherever he goes. He is a stray, a Bohemian, a great philosopher, a man of the highest honor and noble thought, at times amusing, and again calling forth tears. The many thrilling adventures he experiences through his watching over the woman of his heart, in whose power his great love and guardianship has placed him, forms a dramatic story that is intensely interesting from beginning to end.

William Collier is the Charles Frohman attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday night. This clever, funny and essentially American comedian will appear in the role of Robert Ridgway, a charactor written for him by Augustus Thomas, the title of the comedy being "On the Quiet." It is said to be richer in strategic resources, situations and witticisms than when originally produced, Mr. Collier and Mr. Thomas both giving it a rewriting for its late London production, where it attained even greater success than Mr. Collier's opening bill, "The Dictator." After the success of the London engagement Mr. Frohman decided it was the best bill to give in New York City, although revivals are seldom welcome there.

What is said to be a most elaborately produced musical comedy is promised for next Monday afternoon and night at the New Plainfield theatre, when the famous success entitled "The School Girl," by Leslie Stuart, author of "Florodora," and Henry Hamilton, author of "The Duchess of Dantzig," will be presented in this city for the first time. "The School Girl" is an English production, with a record of four hundred nights at the Prince of Wales theatre, and was then brought to New York City, where it played 150 nights at Daly's theatre. From a scenic standpoint "The School Girl" is a triumph. The scenery is by Joseph Harker, one of England's most famous scenic artists, and the opening scene in the first act, descriptive of the "Convent and Lawn," is picturesque in the extreme, while the second scene in the same act—the "Open Stock Exchange in Paris," is also very realistic.

"Under Southern Skies," a beautiful dramatic story of the Southland of a generation ago, is underlined for production in this city at the New Plainfield theatre Friday night, February 16. This play has met with remarkable success in the East and bids fair to outrival in longevity "Way Down East," which play made Lottie Blair Parker, the authoress of "Under Southern Skies," famous and wealthy.

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Mr. Dooley's picturesque description of hotel life, in our last issue, treated a theme of serious and increasing moment in American existence. In "The House of Mirth" Mrs. Wharton includes a biting picture of a large hotel and the homeless class who form its population. Mr. Dooley rollicked among the thoughts that a great hostelry brought to his riotous imagination, but amid the fun with which he was filled by the follies of social distinction, there lay visible always a genuine feeling for homes, as contrasted with caravansaries which, in the now classic jest, are built to furnish exclusiveness to the masses. The simple "Home, Sweet Home" and "God Bless Our Home" legends on the walls of honest citizens have done much to induce in more sophisticated brains witticisms against domestic life. Now, among the thoughtful, less stress is laid upon satirical possibilities than upon the very real dangers which may lurk in loosening the family unit. Whatever makes the individual citizens stable in their sympathies is strengthening to the people. Whatever substitutes hectic amusement for stable responsibility has in it a possibility of sapping energy. We believe, however, that while the hotel tendency increases in some of the most congested spots, the hotel and boarding-house habits over the whole country are relatively on the decrease, and among the class especially referred to by Mr. Dooley and Mrs. Wharton the establishment of country homes is doing much to create a healthier tone.—Collier's for February 3, 1906.

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Among its contents are a brief history of New Jersey, lists of all the principal State officers and members of the Legislature since Colonial days, together with the years of their service, official election returns, the Governor's message, the appropriation law and biographical sketches of the present members of the Legislature and State officials, besides information of value concerning the government of counties and population and financial condition of the various municipalities. In short, there very seldom arises a question on these subjects which cannot be settled, and correctly, by a reference to The Manual.

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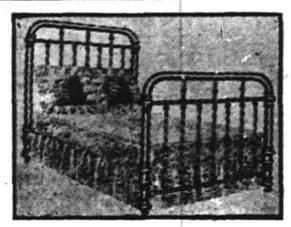

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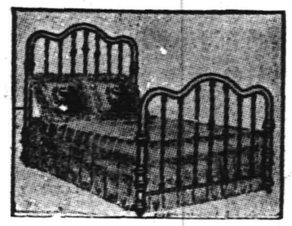

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JOURNALISTIC OPINIONS

Tired and Sick of Dictation.

The chief reason for the spread of the Colby movement is the fact that people everywhere and in all parties are tired and sick of dictation and are glad of any excuse that will give them a chance, under trustworthy leadership, to throw off the yoke and act and think and vote for themselves. The question of limited franchises is important, but while it might account for the Colby movement in Essex and Hudson counties, where limited franchises have become absolutely necessary, it could not, of itself, awaken any interest for Mr. Colby and his associates in counties like Morris and Warren, where the franchise question has never been a political issue.

Equal taxation has been a matter of discussion for a quarter of a century, particularly in Hudson county. But it was Mayor Fagan who succeeded in bringing it to an acute stage, and it became a State issue in 1904, before Mr Colby was known as an independent thinker and leader. Besides this, the phase of equal taxation now before this State is not equal taxation in its broadest significance, but rather the adequate taxation of railroad property. All four of the equal taxation bills introduced in the Legislature, and upon which hearings are to be given this week, are railroad taxation measures. The Constitution contains the only equal taxation demand, which is that "property shall be assessed for taxes under general laws and by uniform rules, according to its true value." But this is not done, and is not likely to be done for some time to come.

The Colby movement is distinctly a movement to abolish dictation and to thrust dictators out of power, and this is why the people have accepted it and why they are flocking to the Colby standard. Notice this fact, that wherever the strongest political boss has his headquarters, wherever bossism is most rampant and wherever the results of dictation or interference with the popular will has been most disastrous to public interests, there the Colby movement is strongest; there the people are most determined to have their own way and to suffer dictation no longer. This is why Senator Colby is hailed with delight in Camden and in places where his personal influence has never before been felt.

That the Colby movement is spreading, growing, strengthening and taking hold of the people throughout the State is shown by the welcome he receives wherever he goes and by the organizations that are being formed in the different counties. But it is proved even more conclusively by the attitude of the State papers. Those that have opinions of their own are either openly favorable or not unfavorable to the movement, but the hide-bound "regulars" find it something to fight. They cannot ignore it, for it is already too formidable to be treated with contempt. They dare not oppose it, as they would a strictly Democratic issue, for it is unquestionably a Republican reform movement. But they fight it as irregular, as an insurgent rebellion against the State leaders, and they fight it so earnestly, so vigorously and with such unwarranted weapons that they show their fear of it.

The Colby movement stands at the present time for equal taxation and limited franchises, because the bosses and the machines and the corporations by which they are controlled have fastened perpetual franchises and iniquitous taxation on the people, as well as destroyed political independence and dictated who shall and who shall not hold the offices. But the Colby movement is, in its broader sense, a fight for the restoration of popular government. It will extend to every part of the State, for it is as wide as this country, and is, under other leaders, manifesting itself in every State in the Union. It is one of the greatest and best movements of the era, the movement of the people against bosses and bossism, and it is destined to succeed because the people are tired and sick of dictation.—Newark News.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Miss Florence Wohlfert will lead the Young People's Society meeting at the First Baptist church on Friday night.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Monroe Avenue church will hold a valentine supper in Epworth House on Tuesday night, February 13.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

For the benefit of needed improvements in the kitchen of the church the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church will hold a birthday party Thursday night in Vincent chapel.

James R. Joy will give an illustrated lecture on the "Yellowstone Trail" at Warren chapel Thursday night, under the auspices of the Brotherhood. A silver offering will be received.

B. Carter Millikin, the youngest secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, will speak at the Young People's Society meeting in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday night. Henry B. Cochran will be the leader.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 6, 1906.

There appears to be no sound reason why the Common Council should waste any time in disposing of the three new applications for retail liquor licenses. One of the petitions, that of John J. Goff, we believe, is an affront to the city fathers. Only recently this man pleaded non-vult to an indictment for selling liquor without a license in the building, alleged to be owned by George Seeber, of Elizabeth, for which he now asks a permit to run a saloon. Only today he pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with running a disorderly house. Even were it disposed to do so, and we do not care to think for a moment that it would, the Council would be prevented from granting the application by the provisions of the saloon zone ordinance, which also would estop it from giving a license to John Shay. As for the petition of Charles Schanz for a permit at No. 208 Watchung avenue, it is not to be doubted that the application will meet with a similar fate. There is absolutely no need for a saloon in the locality mentioned, and moreover its close proximity to the trolley station would make it particularly undesirable. Ten retail places are enough for the city's needs and every member of the Council knows it.

It is a pretty good rule generally to "leave well enough alone," and the maxim is particularly applicable to the cab ordinance of this city. A feeble petition was sent into the Council last night asking for radical changes in the regulations. It is hardly worthy of any consideration. For instance, the cabbies want to be allowed to remove the rate card from the interior of their vehicles and substitute little folders. The reason is so apparent, and the excuse for the innovation so shallow, that it should be refused without any hesitation. As for the request to remove the large numbers on the cab lights and the badges on the drivers' coats, the reason is just as easy to see through. As for the request to raise the fares, what just ground is there? The charges are high enough as they are and the number of men engaged in the business shows that it is a profitable employment. Common Council should lose no time in turning down the petition.

Why is it that every progressive city in New Jersey, excepting Plainfield, is actively interested in the hearings before the Senate judiciary committee on the Hillery law repealer? The Board of Trade thought the maximum tax law of sufficient importance to have its author explain the various provisions at the annual banquet. Why is that body, and, for that matter, the Common Council, too, is not represented at these hearings?

One would suspect that Councilman Hibbard had been a press agent at some time in his career judging by the way he worked the Globe on his manganese steel puff.

Say what you please about Councilman Tyler, he keeps them all guessing.

Church Members to Celebrate.

The members of the German Reformed church are making arrangements to celebrate the eighteenth anniversary of its organization next Monday night. As many of the former pastors as can be secured will be invited and local clergymen will also be in attendance. The Singing Section of the Gesang and Turn Verein has promised to be present and furnish vocal selections.

Returned from West Indies.

After a three weeks' cruise among the islands of the Carribean Sea, L. T. Koons and Mrs. F. B. Koons, of Sandford avenue, were among the passengers on the Prinzessen Victoria Louise that arrived in New York on Sunday.

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MYSTERY OF BOTTLED MESSAGE EXPLAINED

FISH DEALER PLACED IT IN SMELT AS AN "ADVERTISEMENT."

When Fred Ivamy, the West Second street seafood man, found a bottled message in a bloater smelt of few days ago, The Daily Press related the circumstance and forwarded a copy of the paper to the signer of the note, Fred Durant, of Hargate, Prince Edward Island, Canada. A letter was received from Mr. Durant today, in which he explained how the message that puzzled the Plainfielder came to be sent. It read as follows:

"Daily Press, Plainfield:

"Dear Sirs—I received your paper today with insertion concerning the note found in a smelt. I have not heard from Mr. Ivamy yet, so would like, through your paper, to explain to him how the note came to be in the smelt. I fish smelts in winter, and thinking them of a superior quality to any smelts sent to market, I wrote the note and put in in the bottle to keep it dry and clean and placed it in one of a consignment. My reason for doing so was to find out its destination, to see if the consumers were satisfied and as an advertisement of our fish. We are through fishing now for this season, but would like to correspond with Mr. Ivamy. I must cordially thank you for the part you have taken and for sending me the copy of your paper, and will be glad to receive one containing the explanation.

"Yours truly,

"HARRY DURANT."

The finding of the message puzzled more than Mr. Ivamy, and the impression prevailed that the message had been thrown into the water and swallowed by the smelt. Mr. Durant's letter clears the mystery, but leads to the opinion that as a press agent he would be a howling success.

SUPPER NETTED $224.44 FOR A TRINITY SOCIETY.

Ladies' Christian Work Society Will Donate $150 For a Carpet Fund.

The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church met yesterday and received reports from the annual turkey supper held on Thursday and Friday nights of last week. The net profits from the affair were $224.44. The total receipts were $396.43, while the expenses footed up to $172.01. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor, who was present, suggested that a portion of this amount be laid aside as a nucleus for a carpet fund, as the auditorium of the church would soon need a new one. Accordingly, a resolution was offered and adopted that $150 be used to start the carpet fund. The remainedr of the profit will be used as the society elects.

Dr. Schenck complimented the society highly on its successful labors. He said that if at any time a noted New York restaurant syndicate wanted some one to conduct one of its restaurants he would recommend the society.

Mr. Tyler Turns the Joke.

After the transaction of the evening's business at the Common Council last night President Tolles called for the report of the auditing committee, of which Mr. Tyler is the chairman. The former leader of the Common Council had been paying strict attention to various matters during the evening and had not audited any bills. He asked for a fifteen-minute recess to do this work, and with the assistance of Mr. Hibbard went over the bills. Instead of fifteen minutes, it required thirty, and Mr. Tyler rather had the laugh on his colleagues, for they were obliged to wait upon his motion. There was not a little discomfiture over the delay.

Street Improvement Completed.

Mr. Daniel reported at the Common Council meeting last night that the work of macadamizing Monroe avenue, Spooner avenue, Lee place, Carlton avenue, Kensington avenue, Randolph road, Norwood avenue, New street, Berkeley avenue, and Denmark road is completed and he moved that the Court of Common Pleas be asked to appoint commissioners on Wednesday, February 28, to assess benefits and damages on the property owners. The motion was adopted.

P. F. D. Pension Officers.

In accordance with the advice of Corporation Counsel Marsh, the Common Council at its regular session last night received the communication from the Plainfield Fire Department Pension Fund Association and adopted its recommendations in the selection of trustees. The officers are as follows: Chief T. O. Doane, member ex-officio; trustees, Edward McCann, one year; Charles Graves, two years; James Daly, three years; A. D. Jennings, four years.

Child's Birthday Party.

Mrs. Frank Williams, of East Second street, entertained a number of young girls yesterday afternoon in observance of her daughter Mary's tenth birthday. Games and refreshments were the features.

Roy Radford, of Park avenue, is spending several days at Atlantic City.

Miss Frances Larsen, of West Sixth street, has gone to Morristown to live.

YOUR LAST CHANCE!

With this week will end one of the biggest **Semi-Annual Furniture Sales** we've ever held. We never had such immense stocks and we never quoted such low prices; with our great improvements under way, we either had to shift the stock several times or sell it at prices to move it quickly and we choose the latter. This week will be **"your last chance"** to buy new up-to-date furniture for what it costs to make. Will you embrace the opportunity? "It's up to you."

Sale of Sample Beds.

These beds are from one of the largest and best factories in the country and are about 25 per cent under price. Every bed is fully guaranteed against breaking.

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MR. COSE NOT CONFIRMED

(Continued From Page 1.)

fer to wait until Mr. Mellick could explain his position.

Mr. Montgomery, in speaking again, said that he understood that Mr. Mellick favored Captain Townley for the position because of his years of service, which he thought should be rewarded.

In concluding the argument, Mr. Buxton said that he could see no good reason why the appointment should not be confirmed, while Mr. Tyler again urged that it be laid on the table. The vote was then called, with the result that it was laid on the table.

PERSONAL.

J. F. Thompson, of New York, visited friends in the West End over Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Milliken, of Central avenue, is stopping for a time at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cose, of Spooner avenue, have been entertaining relatives from Easton.

Charles H. Lyman left today for Ivoton, Crittenden county, Arkansas, to visit his mother, Mrs. G. Miller Wolfe.

Miss Marion Porter, of New York, has returned to the city after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Porter.

Miss Emily Anderson, of Madison avenue, has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Schenectady, N. Y.

New Gas Mains.

New gas mains are to be laid by the P. S. C. on East Second street, from Berckman street to Jackson avenue, running into all the side streets; on West Third street, between Muhlenberg place and Plainfield avenue; East Third street, from Richmond street to Berckman street; Prescott place, from West Third to West Fourth streets; West Third street, from Liberty street to Plainfiel davenue. Although the company will not positively announce this work until business enough to warrant it is actually contracted for, it is practically certain to be done.

Speer and the Arcanum.

Passaic, Feb. 6.—William Henry Speer, secretary of the People's Building and Loan Association in Passaic, whose accounts have been found short, has resigned as collector of Passaic Council, No. 1,002, Royal Arcanum, to which office he was elteed recently. He did so at the request of the regent of the local council.

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Entries for Boys' Meet.

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Men's Arctics, sizes 6 to 11	1.00
Boys' Arctics, sizes 3 to 6	85c
Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	75c
Child's Arctics, sizes 6 to 10½	59c
Men's Rubbers sizes 8 to 11	55c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers	40c
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Rev. J. A. Cubberley attended the annual meeting and dinner of the Colgate Alumni Association at New York last night.

The skating on the lake was enjoyed by a number of young people from Plainfield yesterday afternoon.

The children of John Geary are confined at home with symptoms of diphtharetic sore throat.

Elias Baily removed from the Delafield farm to his own farm today.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Roland Edwards, son of Maze Edwards, is managing a vaudeville company through the New England States. He has all star acts and has been meeting with continued success.

Thomas Shaeffer, of this city, has resigned from Hi Henry's minstrel organization and left yesterday to join a company at Jacksonville, Fla. He will feature his moving picture machine.

William Rock, who is playing the part of "Rusty," the song book boy, with Richard Carle in "The Mayor of Tokio," has been a member of the latter player's supporting company for four years. He appeared last season as the funny Chinaman in "The Tenderfoot."

The New Brunswick Opera House, which has been little more than a hall, has been taken over by the new company that recently purchased it and will be entirely remodelled. When it opens next season it will have a seating capacity of between 1,200 and 1,400.

There is to be no matinee at the New Plainfield Saturday, Mr. Collier making it a rule to play none on the road, but there will be three afternoon performances next week; "The School Girl" Monday, on account of the holiday; "The Holy City" Thursday and the usual Saturday matinee.

James K. Hackett, who comes to the New Plainfield theatre one week from tomorrow night, was last seen in this city about eight years ago at Music Hall. He presented an elaborate production of "Rupert of Hentzau" before a crowded house. Miss Charlotte Walker was then his leading woman as his co-starring tour with his wife, Mary Mannering, began at the opening of the present season.

—Miss Frances B. Ayres, a graduate of the Plainfield Business and Technical Institute, has secured a position as stenographer with the Public Service Corporation.

COUNCILMANIC ROUTINE

Better Police Protection in East and West Ends is Promised Now.

REPORTS FOR MONTH

Board of School Estimate Appointed —Plainfield to Keep Informed of Legislature's Doings.

When the petition of East End residents for additional police protection was presented at the February meeting of the Common Council last night, Frank Randolph, chairman of the police committee, announced that the petition had been before the committee and that in response an extra policeman would be stationed in that part of the city and another officer located in the West End.

Frank Stillwell, who has been a special patrolman doing regular duty since November last, having been appointed by the former police commission, communicated with the Common Council that his probation period was up and he wanted to know what action they proposed to take. He said that he was willing to continue as a regular, if desired, and on advice tendered his resignation as a special. It was accepted, and Mayor Buckle's appoinement making him a regular was confirmed.

Chairman Randolph, of the police committee, explained this procedure, stating that a question was raised as to whether the act of the former police commission would stand. Corporation Counsel Marsh advised the committee in the matter. In answer to a query from Mr. Tyler, Mr. Randolp informed him that Stillwell had been regularly examined, mentally and physically. Mr. Tyler voted against confirmation.

William H. Rogers asked for permission to erect a one-story building of cement block in the east end of the city and it was granted on the recommendation of the fire and buildings committee.

The Board of Education informed the Common Council that Leander N. Lovell and C. F. Abbott were appointed as members of the School Board of Estimate, and according to custom and upon the motion of Mr. Daniel, Councilmen Tyler and Hibbard were chosen to represent the the city, who, with the Mayor, comprises the board.

P. F. Duffy asked for an adjustment of a tax assessed in error. This matter was referred to the proper committee, as was also a petition received from the Central Union Realty Company asking that sanitary sewers be established in Park, Kensington, Prospect, Evergreen, Martine, Thornton and Edgewood avenues.

S. B. Opdyke, Jr., who has the contract for building the Richmond street storm sewer, asked for an extension of time to May 15 next, and it was granted. He stated that he understood a $2,000 limit placed on the contract had been waived, and that he had purchased material with a view to completing the job.

H. K. Miller, agent for the Board of Fire Underwriters of New York, asked the Common Council concerning a model building code furnished that body, his purpose being to know what disposition the Common Council proposed to make of it. The matter was referred to the fire and buildings committee.

The certificate of the sale of property for 1904 taxes was received from former Tax Collector R. L. Lee and filed.

Building Inspector Doane reported the granting of fifteen permits during the past month. Mr. Daniel moved that the rules of the Common Council adopted January 1 of this year, be made the by-laws, and it was adopted.

In accordance with a resolution offered by Mr. Daniel, $2,000 was transferred from the general to the poor fund. The same member presented a certificate from Tax Collector J. W. Murray, Jr., regarding the redemption of property by W. A. Coddington for his clients. Mr. Daniel took this action so that the lien of the city might be discharged, and he moved that the city clerk and Mayor be authorized to execute the papers. The motion was adopted.

On Mr. Daniel's motion the city clerk was instructed to have H. G. Walter, bill clerk of the Senate, send a copy of each bill presented in either House to Corporation Counsel Marsh, at an expense not to exceed $25. The member explained that this was according to custom, the only difference being that heretofore Plainfield's representative in the Legislature had attended to the matter. The motion was adopted.

Another resolution by Mr. Daniel provided for the borrowing of $8,000 for sewer improvements, the same to be secured by notes. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Daniel reported unfavorably on the request of Mrs. Eugene A. Gross, in which she asked that the city provide proper surface drainage near her property on West Fourth street. He instructed the city clerk to inform her that the city has no authority in the matter, as it would necessitate going on private property. Mr. Daniel added that Mrs. Gross could remedy the trouble by filling in on her property.

On a motion offered by Frank Randolph, the fire and buildings committee was authorized to have fire department headquarters re-wired at an expense not to exceed $400. This figure represents that of the lowest bidder and is done by order of the Board of Underwriters.

Mrs. Jennie W. Kenyon was given a permit to erect a dwelling on Wilever street, on a motion offered by Frank Randolph, acting for the chairman of the fire and buildings committee, who was absent. In the same capacity he offered a resolution, which was adopted, authorizing the expenditure of $350 to put rubber tires on the Hayes truck, $150 to scrape and paint the truck, $70 to paint two hose wagons, and $40 to touch up the chemical engine.

Mr. Randolph also reported that 1,000 feet of new hose had been purchased in 100-foot lengths at an expense of ninety cents a foot. This was in accordance with a previous action of the Common Council authorizing the purchase.

Mr. Daniel called up on third reading the ordinance to change the name of Lane avenue to Laing avenue, and it was adopted. He also moved the payment of $2,335.56 to Corporation Counsel Marsh, being the total awards for damages in the matter of widening Park avenue and Sycamore street and opening of Stebbins place. Mr. Marsh will offer the affected property owners the various amounts allowed by the commissioners.

Mr. Daniel moved that when the session adjourned it be to meet on Friday night, February 23.

J. AUGUSTUS SMITH WEDS IN NEW YORK.

Marriage to Mrs. A. L. Schneck Takes Place in Holland House.

J. Augustus Smith, of Central avenue, and Mrs. Adelaide Louise Schneck, formerly of Brooklyn, but now of Bound Brook, were married at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Holland House, New York, by Rev. Theodore S. Henderson, of Stamford, Conn., former pastor of the bride. The couple was attended by a few intimate friends who witnessed the ceremony, after which a wedding supper was served.

The bride is well known in Brooklyn, where she is prominent socially. She is also a vocalist of considerable ability, being a soloist in a Methodist church in Brooklyn, of which Mr. Henderson was pastor for several years.

Mr. Smith is of the grocery firm of J. A. Smith & Brother, of this city, having been engaged in business here for many years. He is a director of the First National Bank and enjoys a large acquaintance. This morning Mr. and Mrs. Smith left over the Seaboard Air Line for Florida, where they will spend a month. On their return they will stop at various points of interest. They will reside at 315 Central avenue, the home of the groom.

Barnstorming Vagrants.

George Miller, James Smith and Benjamin Smith, charged with vagrancy, and George McEntee, charged with disorder, were arraigned before Judge Runyon in the city court this morning. The three first-named were arrested for sleeping in a barn on Clinton avenue. They told the officers that McEntee told them to sleep in the barn, and the cops took him along when they met him on the way to the station house. Sentence was suspended.

Mr. Blatz Counsel for Holland.

Frank Holland, colored, one of the men indicted by the Grand Jury on charges preferred by young girls of this city, stated in court yesterday that he did not have counsel neither could he afford to engage a lawyer. Judge Vail assigned the case to Francis J. Blatz, Esq., of this city.

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Friday, February 9.
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Prices—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

ONE NIGHT ONLY—No Matinee.
Saturday, February 10th,
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On The Quiet.
Prices—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

Monday, Feb. 12, Lincoln's Birthday
Matinee and Night,
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DIED.

BAYLES—In this city, February 6, 1906, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Gildersleeve, of East Sixth street, Alexander Bayles, aged 80 years and 1 month.

Funeral at the residence of N. D. Stryker, Monmouth Junction, Friday, February 9, at 2 p. m. Interment at Kingston.

JOHNSTON—At his home, Park avenue, Scotch Plains, on Sunday, February 4, 1906, Edward M. Johnston, in his 82d year.

Funeral private. 2 5 2

KRYMER—On Tuesday, February 6, 1906, David J., son of Jane H. and the late John H. Krymer, aged 35 years.

Services at his home, 610 Liberty street, on Friday, February 9, at 2:30 p. m. 2 6 2

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 132 Park Ave. 2 5 3

WANTED—White woman to wash Monday mornings. Address E. X., care Press. 2 5 3

LAUNDRESS wanted for two days each week. 240 East Ninth St. 5 3

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes and do dusting. 816 Carlton Ave. 2 6 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework; references required. Apply 725 Hobart Ave. 2 6 3

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen N. J. 1 29 tf

WANTED—A young girl for light general housework. 183 Martine avenue. 2 3 6

Miscellaneous.

U NEED IT—Nash's $5.00 Pea Coal. 1 30 10

BROWN, Plainfield's popular watchmaker, 202 Watchung avenue, trolley station. 2 6 3 eod

BROWN—Ladies bring your jewelry to be repaired and cleaned up as new. 2 6 3 eod

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LIQUID electricity cures all pains, sore throat, diphtheria, malaria and rheumatism; hundreds can prove for it. George Belcher, 402 East Fifth street. 2 6 6

WASHING and ironing done at home or by the day; reference. 545 South Second street. 2 5 6

FOR FLORIDA and the South, the Clyde Line is direct and offers superior service and accommodations. Tickets and full information at office, No. 197 North Avenue, William D. Thickstun, agent. 1 19 1mo

MASSAGE, general and facial, scalp treatment a specialty; manicuring. 1121 Putnam Ave. 1 22 1mo

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 5 4 tf

IT WILL give you satisfaction—Nash's $5.75 Coal. 1 30 10

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. 4 6 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

CALL telephone 357-W when you need coal. 1 30 10

THE highest cash price paid for house hold goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second St. Phone 1722. 4 25 tf

For Rent.

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

TO LET—Six-room house; also part of house, with all improvements; furnished or unfurnished. Apply 243 Somerset street. 2 5 6

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross. 2 5 tf

FOR RENT—East end; seven-room house; all improvements; H. and C. water; electric light; HOT WATER HEAT; $18 per MONTH. First deposit gets the house. Other houses up to $125 per month.
DOANE & DOANE,
221 PARK AVENUE.
TELEPHONE 49. 2 6 5

TO LET—Four rooms and bath. Enquire 148 East Fifth street. 2 5 6

FLATS to let, $9, $12, $16 per month; improvements. Inquire Adam Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 1 10

TO RENT—Ten-room house; all improvements; in perfect order; to family of adults. Inquire 402 Park avenue. 2 1 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Nursing; experienced nurse; will give physician's reference. 115 Church St. 2 3 tf

SMALL farm wanted; 3 miles from Plainfield depot. Address R. A., Press. 2 5 3

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Chicken brooders. Address C. W., care Press. 2 6 3 eod

FURNISHED house wanted by select family, in best locality, for months of March and April; will pay $75 to $100. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 2 6 2

Lost and Found.

LOST—Sunday evening, brown neck fur, Central, between Front and Second. Return to Press office.

LOST—$25 reward; gentleman's diamond ring while driving Sunday over trolley road from White & Goodacres' and over turnpike to Cook & Sons'. Return to either above parties. 1 30 7

Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield: telephone 44. 10 3 tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—At Netherwood, modern ten room house; all improvements; first class condition throughout; large lot; price, $7,000; terms to suit purchaser.

New house, Belvidere avenue, ten rooms and bath; steam heat; all improvements; price, $7,500; terms to suit.

South avenue, house, seven rooms, reception hall; all improvements; lot 50x100; price, $2,600; cash or installments.

Seven room house, East Sixth street, $1,850; also one on same street, $2,200.

If you are interested in the purchase of a house call and see me. I built before the rise in materials and workmanship, consequently can sell cheaper than those building later.
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2 1 6 Plainfield, N. J.

COWS, COWS, COWS—Will receive Tuesday, February 6, a carload of choice fresh cows and springers, which are for sale or exchange at the lowest market prices at Gus Lewis' stables, 445 18th Ave., Newark, N. J. 2 5 2

IF YOU CONTEMPLATE BUILDING a home for yourself, would like you to look at some building sites on Myrtle avenue. Without exception it is the finest piece of property in all Plainfield; high ground, sandy soil, well drained, fine residential and restricted neighborhood, convenient to station and trolley. Have several up-to-date dwellings for sale. Inquire of your real estate agent, or address George F. White, P. O. box 723, Plainfield, N. J. 2 2 1mo

FOR SALE—An offer of $6,000 and very liberal terms might buy a handsome house worth $9,000; grand location; if you want a fine home, cheaper than renting, here is the opportunity. Ira L. LaRue, 109 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

FOR SALE—Two bicycles, one lawn mower, one hall lamp. Address Lamp, care Press. 2 6 3

POULTRY FOR SALE—White Leghorns, Barred Rocks, and some others; settings of eggs. John Jones, 669 West Seventh St. 2 5 3

FOR SALE—Beautiful tract of five acres, on Woodland avenue, between the properties of Messrs. Arens and Dufion. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 6 tf

FURNITURE for sale at 340 East Third street. 1 31 6

JERSEY cow for sale; coming in the 8th; yields 20 quarts. Apply Alex. Kane. 1 31 tf

OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. 6 7 tf

FOR SALE at one half cost, 6-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. 4 3 tf

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GOOD board, warm room, for gentlemen; bath; telephone; $5 to $10 per week. 1103 Putnam avenue, corner Carlton. 2 6 1mo

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms; pleasant. Address R., care Press. 2 5 2

TO LET—Two connecting rooms; unfurnished; for light housekeeping. Meissner, 432 Watchung Ave. 2 5 3

TO LET—Pleasant rooms; private family; with or without board. Address K., Daily Press. 2 5 3

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room. 333 East Third St. 2 3 3

FURNISHED rooms to let. 403 East Fifth St 1 31 tf

FURNISHED rooms to let with board; also table board, at 219 East Fifth street. 1 22 tf

FURNISHED room to let; board near by. 303 East Fifth. 1 22 tf

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ROOMS with board at 312 East Seventh street. 1 11 1mo

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. 12 19 tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, 211 North avenue. 2 5 6

$4,000.00 to loan on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 5 31 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 3 31 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. 2 23 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney 209 North avenue. tf

Situations Wanted.

GIRL wants a place at light housework. Address M. R., care Press.

COLORED girl wants situation chambermaid; no washing. Call two days, 521 East Sixth St. 2 5 3

DRESSMAKER would like position as seamstress and chambermaid by the day. Address S. F., care Press. 2 5 3

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Buy a soft little eyebrow brush, made especially for this purpose, and night and morning brush the brows in the way they should go. If they aren't going the right way, then train them to.

Suppose they are too thin. Then keep handy a little sweet almond oil and before brushing put a few drops of this on the finger tips, and gently rub it into the eyebrow. If the lashes are short and scanty, do the same thing to them.

A very simple tonic for the eyebrows is composed of red vaseline and boric acid, five grains of the former to five of the latter. Make into a smooth paste and apply at night.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Linke has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 227 West Front Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Frank Linke.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Michael F. Watson has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 211 Grant Avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Michael F. Watson.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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J. T. MacMURRAY,
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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that The Eastern Bottling Company has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Southerly corner of West Second Street and Central Avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by John A. MacArthur, Its Treasurer.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John Rafferty has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 213 Park Avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by John Rafferty.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John and Frank Clark have applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 456 West Third Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Charles McCann,	Kalman Rottberg,
Marton Kane,	John Donnelly,
Edwin Vail,	Thomas Lyons,
Thomas Muldowney,	Thomas King,
Michael Walsh,	Louis Fay,
Joseph Galbraith,	Peter Nolan.

Citizens and Freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John J. Goff has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 1348 West Front Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

George Seeber,	George G. Buss,
Andrew McConnell,	John Nonesk1,
William H. Kitchen,	James MacConnell,
Lawrence Peterson,	Ira G. Hulbert,
Joseph Johnson,	Michael Regan,
Harry Baldwin,	John S. Haskard.

Citizens and Freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that James Shea has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 542-544 West Third Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Randolph Marsh,	Cormick Caufield,
Abram Kunzman,	James Deady,
Michael McCarthy,	Morris Farbman,
Edward Conners,	Martin Gegan,
Patrick Connely,	John Sloyan,
Michael Doyle,	Patrick Harrington,
Thomas Burke,	Patrick Kneeland,
Denis Killbride.	Wm. Fitzgerald,
Patrick Boyle.	

Citizens and Freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Findlay has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 123 East Second Street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Alexander D. Findlay.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Jerome W. Leary has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at corner Park Avenue and East Second Street, in the First ward, which applicaton is signed by Jerome W. Leary.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John A. Staats has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 107-109-111 North Avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by John A. Staats.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Blimm has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 37 Somerset Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Jacob Blimm.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that H. F. Windham has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 142-144 East Front Street, in the First ward, which application is signed by H. F. Windham.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Christian Gloekler has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 102-104 West Front Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Christian Gloekler.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Henry Haurand has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 115 East Front Street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Henry Haurand.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John and Charles Schank has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 208 A Watchung Avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by

Lorenzo Paoli,	Charles H. Hand,
Charles M. Meeker,	Nathan Myers,
Michael Wunderlich,	William Albert,
George Simon,	Peter Shubert,
James Caufield,	John Wolf,
E. B. Hedden,	Kaspar Sacher,
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Citizens and Freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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"The Man on the Box"

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Warburton could occasionally hear the faint strain of music. From time to time the carriage-caller bawled out a number, and the carriage would roll up under the porte-cochere. Warburton concluded that it would be a good plan to hunt up his rig. His search did not last long. The bay and the gray stood only a little way from the gate. The box was vacant, and he climbed up and gathered the reins. He sat there for some time, longing intensely for a cigar, a good cigar, such as gentlemen smoked.

"Seventeen!" came hoarsely along on the wings of the night. "Number 17, and lively there!"

Warburton's pulse doubled its beat. His number.

"Skt!" the bay and the gray started forward, took the half-circle and stopped under the porte-cochere. Warburton recollected that a fashionable groom never turned his head unless spoken to; so he leveled his gaze at his horses' ears and waited.

But from the very corner of his eye he caught a glimpse of two women, one of whom was enveloped in a crimson cloak. He thrilled with exultation. What a joke it was! He felt the carriage list as the women stepped in. The door slammed to and the rare good joke was on the way.

"Off with you!" cried the pompous footman, with an imperious wave of the hand. "Number 29!"

"Ninety-nine! Ninety-nine!" bawled the carriage man.

Our jehu turned into the avenue, holding a tolerable rein. He clucked and lightly touched the horses with the lash. This was true sport; this was humor, genuine, initiative, unforced. He could imagine the girls and their fright when he finally slowed down, opened the door, and kissed them both. Wouldn't they let out a yell, though? His plan was to drive furiously for half a dozen blocks, zigzag from one side of the street to the other, taking the corners sharply, and then make for Scott Circle.

Now, a lad of six can tell the difference between 17 and 71. But this astonishing jehu of mine had been conspicuous as the worst mathematician and the best soldier in his class at West Point. No more did he remember that he was not in the wild west, and that here in the east there were laws prohibiting reckless driving.

He drove decently till he struck Dupont Circle. From here he turned into New Hampshire, thinking it to be Rhode Island. Mistake number two. He had studied the city map, but he was conscious of not knowing it as well as he should have known it, but, true to his nature, he trusted to luck.

Aside from all this, he forgot that a woman might appreciate this joke only when she heard it recounted. To live through it was altogether a different matter. In an episode like this, a woman's imagination, given the darkness such as usually fills a carriage at night, becomes a round of terrors. Every moment is freighted with death or disfigurement. Her nerves are like the taut strings of a harp in a wintry wind, ready to snap at any moment; and then, hysteria. With man the play, and only the play, is the thing.

Snap-crack! The surprised horses, sensitive and quick-tempered as all highly organized beings are, nearly leaped out of the harness. Never before had their flanks received a more unwarranted stroke of the lash. They reared and plunged and broke into a mad gallop, which was exactly what the rascal on the box desired. An expert horseman, he gauged the strength of the animals the moment they bolted, and he knew that they were his. Once the rubber-tired vehicle slid sidewise on the wet asphalt, and he heard a stifled scream.

He laughed, and let forth a sounding "whoop," which, nowise allayed the fright of the women inside the carriage. He wheeled into S street, scraping the curb as he did so. Pedestrians stopped and stared at him. A policeman waved his club helplessly, even hopelessly. On, on: to Warburton's mind this ride was as wild as that which the Bishop of Vannes took from Belle-Isle to Paris in the useless effort to save Fouquet from the wrath of Louis XIV, and to anticipate the pregnant discoveries of one D'Artagnan. The screams were renewed. A hand beat against the forward window and a muffled but wrathful voice called forth a command to stop. This voice was immediately drowned by another's prolonged scream. Our jehu began to find all this very interesting, very exciting.

"I'll wager a dollar that Nan isn't doing that screaming. The Warburton's never cry out when they are frightened. Hang it!"—suddenly: "this street doesn't look familiar. I ought to have reached Scott Circle by this time. Ah, here's a broader street,"—going lickety-clip into Vermont.

A glass went jingling to the pavement.

"Oho! Nancy will be jumping out the next thing. This will never do." He began to draw in.

Hark! His trained trooper's ear heard other hoofs beating on the iron-like surface of the pavement. Wor-

away there flashed under one of the arc-lights, only to disappear in the shadow again, two mounted policemen.

"By George! it looks as if the girls were going to have their fun too!" He laughed, but there was a nervous catch in his voice. He hadn't counted on any policeman taking part in the comedy. "Where the devil is Scott Circle, anyhow?"—fretfully. He tugged at the reins. "Best draw up at the next corner. I'll be hanged if I know where I am."

He braced himself, sawed the reins, and presently the frightened and somewhat wearied horses slowed down to a trot. This he finally brought to a walk. One more pull, and they came to a stand. It would be hard to say which breathed the heaviest, the man or the horses. Warburton leaped

"GOOD LORD!"

from the box, opened the door and waited. He recognized the necessity of finishing the play before the mounted police arrived on the scene.

There was a commotion inside the carriage, then a woman in a crimson cloak stepped (no, jumped!) out. Mr. Robert threw his arms around her and kissed her cheek.

"You . . . vile . . . wretch!" Warburton sprang back, his hands applied to his stinging face.

"You drunken wretch, how dare you!"

"Nan, it's only I—" he stammered.

"Nan!" exclaimed the young woman, as her companion joined her. The light from the corner disclosed the speaker's wrathful features, disdainful lips, palpitating nostrils, eyes darting terrible glances. "Nan! Do you think, ruffian, that you are driving serving maids?"

"Good Lord!" Warburton stepped back speechless, benumber, terror-back still farther; stepped back speechless, benumbed, terror-struck. The woman he was gazing at was anybody in the world but his sister Nancy!

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For Newark—5.35, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.48, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.34, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.33, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 3.17, 3.36, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.33, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.32, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

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Captain James Parker Has an Exchange Receipt for Prisoners Including Gen. Wheeler.

Perth Amboy, Feb. 6.—Captain James Parker, of this city, has in his possession an official receipt given to him in exchange for six prisoners of war, which he prizes above many of his belongings. Its peculiar value lies in the fact that General Joseph Wheeler, who was laid at rest a week ago, was one of the prisoners.

In 1865 Captain Parker was a lieutenant commander in the navy and in command of the United States steamer Maumee. At Fortress Monroe he received six Confederate prisoners of war and with them he got orders to carry them to Fort Delaware, on the Delaware River. General Wheeler was one of the six. When they gave their promise not to try to escape, Captain Parker took them into his cabin and treated them as guests during the trip.

He says that it required some ingenuity to provide comfortable sleeping quarters. General Wheeler, because of his small stature, was put on a sofa and made very cozy.

At Fort Delaware General Schofield received the prisoners as a representative of the United States, to be held until paroled. It was then that the treasured receipt was given.

The acquaintance thus formed grew as the years passed along. Captain Parker was one of the honorary pall bearers at General Wheeler's funeral.

E. E. Prayer, of West Seventh street, has gone south.

Master's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a final decree issued out of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, in the cause wherein Charles H. Hand is complainant, and George J. Tobin, et als., are defendants, which decree bears date on the 26th day of December, 1905, I, Craig A. Marsh, Special Master in Chancery, as therein directed, will expose to sale at public vendue, on Wednesday, the fourteenth day of February, 1906, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, upon the premises hereinafter described, in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, and State of New Jersey, all the following described certain tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the said City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue in line of land now or formerly of Frederick M. Masker and others, said point being distant in a northeasterly direction a distance of two hundred and sixty-two and sixty-three one hundredths (262.63) feet from the intersection of the centre line of Woodland Avenue with the northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue; thence running along said Masker's line in a course of north thirty-two degrees and thirty-four minutes west, a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight and ninety-five one hundredths (178.95) feet to a point; thence running in a course of south fifty-seven degrees and twenty-six minutes west a distance of seventy (70) feet to a point in line of property now or formerly owned by Hermance; thence along line of said Hermance's line in a course of south thirty-two degrees and thirty-four minutes east, a distance of one hundred and seventy-nine (179) feet more or less to a point in the aforesaid northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue; thence running in a course of north fifty-seven degrees and twenty-two minutes east a distance of seventy (70) feet to the point or place of beginning.

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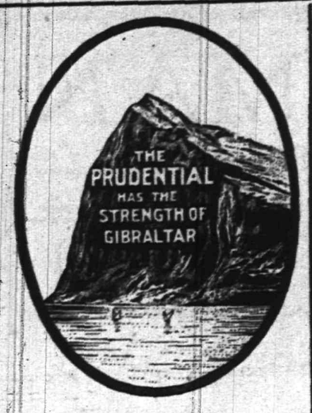

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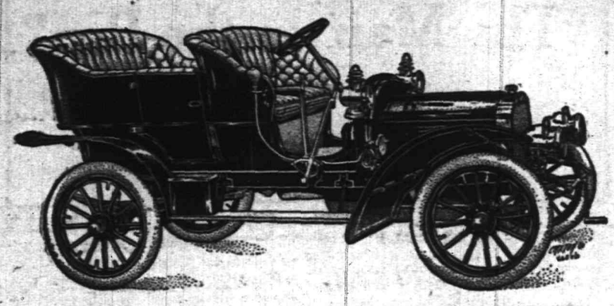

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Harry Thiele, who is well-known to many local fans, has signed to play again with the Xaviers, of New York. He has fully recovered from his accident last summer.

"Mike" Rochford, formerly of Westfield, has again signed to play first base for the Utica, New York State League team. He is one of the heaviest hitters in the business.

"Jack" Dunn will again manage the Providence Eastern League team this season. He has a strong collection of players and he says that he will duplicate last season's record.

The first game of baseball of note in Greater New York will be played Sunday afternoon, March 25, when the Murray Hills and Philadelphia Giants will meet at Washington Park.

The Lackawanna League will be composed of four clubs this season—Chatham, Summit, Dover and probably Washington. Morristown and Madison sent no representatives to the recent meeting. Championship games will be played on Saturdays only.

STEEPLECHASES FOR MAY 30 AND JUNE 2.

Watchung Hunt Club Preparing Plans for Its Annual Event.

The Watchung Hunt Club has fixed upon May 30, Decoration Day, and the following Saturday, June 2, as the time for holding its annual steeplechase events at the Plainfield Riding and Driving Park. The events will be held under and in accordance with the rules and sanction of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association, and it has been arranged for Belmont Purdy, the well known horseman, to manage the affair.

The Watchung Hunt Club proposes to make this one of the best exhibitions yet held and promises of a large entry list have been received. There will be a good showing of horses from all parts of New Jersey as well as from the metropolitan district.

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AGAINST AUTO MEASURE

(Continued From Page 1.)

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THE FORUM.

Dr. Ard on Mr. Bulkley.

Editor, The Daily Press:

In an editorial in your issue of February 3d, you say "Should the Westfield autoist who ran down a carriage on Somerset street the other day, be found guilty, an opportunity will be presented the City Judge to meet out a punishment that will serve as a warning to all automobilists."

It was unfortunate for Mr. Bulkley that the accident occurred here where he is unknown, but it seems to me he was entitled to fair play even if he was away from home. Your account of the accident and your editorial comments, impress me as unfair, and in addition, according to your report, Mr. Bulkley had to submit to a lecture from Mr. Martine. I have known Mr. Bulkley for years. He is an expert automobilist, a well known business man, and has the respect of those who know him. If he was at fault and it is so proven he will settle for it, but we have not yet heard Mr. Bulkley's side of the case.

Yours truly,
F. C. ARD.

Dr. Ard is evidently not acquainted with the facts in the case. Probably when he hears the evidence he will change his opinion—Editor.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Agriculturists Receive Practical Hints at New Market Conference.

There was a large attendance at the afternoon session of the Farmers' Institute at Dunellen yesterday. Franklin Dye, the president, was unable to be present on account of serious illness. Another disappointment was experienced by the conferees, in the absence of Rev. D. E. Clair, who was to have spoken on "The Riddle Answered." Great interest centered in a practical talk on dairy farming and the care of cows by Dr. C. D. Smead, a New York State veterinary surgeon of wide experience.

At the night session Prof. G. F. Warren, speaking on agricultural education, made an earnest plea for increased appropriations by the Legislature for agricultural colleges. New Jersey is far behind other States in training her farmers, he declared. Rev. Mr. Clair was to have delivered an illustrated lecture at night, and his part in the programme was filled by Judge Collins, of Westfield, who made an eloquent address on farming.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

Keyon Estate Action Against George Staats Halted by Error.

An appeal filed by the estate of J. H. Kenyon against a decision in favor of George Staats, in Justice Hand's court, was dismissed by Judge Vail in the Supreme Court at Elizabeth yesterday. The Kenyon estate sued Staats for rent about nine months ago. The amount involved was about $70. Staats, through his counsel, F. J. Blatz, filed an offset amounting to $1.25 more than the plaintiff's claim. The case was tried before a jury. Staats was awarded the $1.25 difference.

The estate promptly appealed. When the appeal came up before Judge Vail yesterday Counselor Blatz moved its dismissal on the ground that it was not properly noticed, and the court so ruled.

At a call for a $1,000 collection to meet current demands, given by Rev. W. T. Stuchell before his congregation Sunday in the Second Presbyterian church, Rahway, over $600 was raised and the other $400 is in sight.

A MIDNIGHT SCRAP IN NORTH PLAINFIELD

ZERO WEATHER NOT SUFFICIENT TO COOL OFF TRIO ON SOMERSET STREET.

Martin Duffy and Howard Sharp, two well known boroughites, got in a dispute at Somerset and Harmony streets at midnight last night and exchanged a few blows that sounded like pistol shots on the zero-laden breeze. Wilson Bellis, of this city, happened along at the time and wishing to warm up, swung his arms around like a windmill, thumping anything that happened to be in the way. All three were in a mix-up when Marshal Flack hove in sight and drew them apart.

They were placed in separate cells at headquarters, the most hot-headed of the trio getting the one furthest from the stove. This morning friends bailed Sharp and Bellis out and Duffy is still behind the bars. They will be given a hearing before Mayor Smalley tomorrow.

Hillery Tax Act's Fate.

The fate of the Hillery maximum tax rate act in the Legislature in still in doubt. Assessors in all parts of the State are going ahead in the work of adopting their assessments to suit this law, evidently believing that the repealer now before the Legislature will be defeated. It may be, however, that an amendment will be passed fixing the tax rate at $2 for the larger cities, instead of $1.70. This, it is held by some persons, would nollify much of the opposition and still in a measure preserve the object of the law.

Making the Best of Things.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Endeavor movement at its meeting last night. The anniversary feature was an address by Rev. W. B. Hamilton, of Hope Presbyterian church, Elizabeth, on "Making the Best of What You Have." The speaker dwelt on the value of working earnestly with the materials at hand, rather than seeking for better equipment or favorable conditions. Refreshments were served.

Boy Is Mysteriously Shot.

Elizabeth, Feb. 6.—Anthony Witzel, nine years old, whose home is at 461 Franklin street, was shot in the leg by some uidentified person Sunday afternoon as he was walking along the street. His father took him to the Alexian Hospital, where the bullet, evidently discharged from a rifle, was removed. The wound is not dangerous. The police are trying to find out who did the shooting.

A Still Alarm.

The borough fire department was called out at 6:45 this morning for a slight blaze in the double house at Steiner and Gavin places, owned by Mrs. Steiner, of Somerset street. It was on the second floor and was caused by a match head dropping among some inflammable material. One extinguisher sufficed to kill the flames.

Local Company Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation were filed at Elizabeth this morning by "Ye Olde Mountain Camp Company," capital $10,000. There have been issued 200 shares at $50 each. The incorporators are Samuel H. Craig, William Jeffery and Francis Bodin, all of this city. The objects of the company are to establish and conduct a summer camp at Berkeley Heights.

Annual Drunk, $3.

John Traynor was arrigned in the city court this morning, charged with drunkenness and disorder. He was arrested in a Second street lunch wagon. He pleaded that it was his first drunk in a year, but Judge Runyon fined him $3.

Thermometer at Zero.

The thermometer this morning hovered about zero. The official weather man said it was one above zero at 7 o'clock. A trifle warmer weather is promised for tomorrow.

In Mayor Smalley's Court.

Sentence was suspended on Mrs. Annie Singer when arraigned before Mayor Smalley last night. She was arrested by Chief Marshal Weiss for intoxication.

Miss Elsie T. Smith, of Westervelt avenue, accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. William H. Zabriskie, of Glen Cove, Long Island, left this morning for Pine Tree Inn, Lakehurst, where they will remain for two weeks.

An official board meeting will be held at the First M. E. church tomorrow night after the prayer meeting.

MERCHANT BECOMES PROBATION OFFICER.

Unofficial Position Given to J. J. Kenney by City Judge.

An unsought appointment as unofficial probation officer for the city came to J. J. Kenney, in the city court this morning. James O'Rourke, who took the pledge for three years before Judge Runyon, must report on his behavior to Mr. Kenney.

O'Rourke was arrested yesterday afternoon in the grip of a full-grown jag. When arraigned this morning he asked City Judge Runyon to consider the fact that he had not been drunk before in three years.

"If you let me off this time, judge, I won't drink again in another three years," he said.

The magistrate entered into the agreement.

"But we want to keep track of you," said the judge. His eye traveled over the little group of spectators in the court and lighted on Mr. Kenney. "You report every year to Mr. Kenney," he ordered.

"Yes, sir," said Traynor. And before the surprised Mr. Kenney had time to realize it, he was installed as probation officer. He announced after court that he accepted the appointment.

CARPENTERS' DEMANDS FOR $3.50 A DAY GRANTED.

Half Holiday Saturdays Also Conceded by the Bosses.

Local 155, Carpenters' and Joiners' Union, of this city, has just been granted an eight-hour day with a Saturday half holiday the year round at a wage of $3.50 a day, the same to go in effect April 1, 1906. This is considered one of the greatest demands yet conceded by the bosses, and the union is elated over the success of its efforts.

These officers have been chosen to serve for the ensuing year: President, George Whitlock; vice-president, William Baker; financial secretary, W. H. Lunger; recording secretary, David Bodine; trustee, A. C. Vail; conductor, Howard Manning; warden, Herman Oberland.

Change Time of Meeting.

In future the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital will hold its regular meeting on the second Monday of the month instead of the first. This change is made to allow the various bills to be prepared and presented in due time.

SEWER SYSTEM URGED FOR NORTH PLAINFIELD

ITS BOARD OF HEALTH ALSO WANTS BETTER GARBAGE COLLECTION.

At the regular meeting of the borough Board of Health yesterday, former Recorder Thomas Doud, one of the new members recently appointed, formally launched the subject of a sanitary sewer system and was seconded in all his remarks by Andrew Kenney, the other newcomer. The need of a system was fully discussed and in the end a resolution was adopted calling upon the mayor and Common Council to take the necessary steps as soon as possible. It will be presented to the authorities in time to be presented at the next meeting.

The present method of garbage and similar collections in North Plainfield came in for censure and several of the members asserted that the rickety, unsightly wagons used for the purpose must go. On a vote it was decided to issue a call to all men in the business to confer with the board at a special meeting on February 13 to devise some way to bring about a change. Complaints of wagons dropping part of their contents along the streets have been received by the board on numerous occasions and merely speaking to the owners has met with no response.

Although it was the first meeting of the new board, reorganization was left over until a later date. Joseph O. Osgood was temporary chairman and Francis J. Blatz was appointed attorney to the board to succeed S. S. Swackhamer. Frank Dencklau was re-appointed inspector for one year.

Death of Mrs. John Nielsen.

Mrs. Anna M. Nielsen, wife of John Nielsen, died last night at her home, 642 South Second street, following an attack of pneumonia. She is survived by a husband a two daughters. The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon from the late home and interment will be in the Methodist cemetery. Rev. L. R. Howard will be in charge.

The mid-week meetings of the Grove Street Rescue Mission will be held on Tuesday instead of Wednesday evening the remainder of this month.

Wear GOOD SHOES

OUR'S ARE GOOD in style, fit and quality—prices, too, are right. What more can you ask? Call and see them and try them on.

Shoes for men, women and children are here, and whether you pay one dollar or five you'll get your money's full value. Shapes, sizes and leathers to please all sorts of fancies.

VAN ARSDALE.

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UPRIGHT PIANOS.			
Krakauer, Ebonized, used		$250	$100
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James & Holstrom	7 1-3	350	25
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Nuns & Clark	6 3-4	350	25
Barmore	6 1-2	300	20
Seaburg & Peiffer	6	300	20
Marshall & Traver	6	300	10
ORGANS—Walnut—Used.	Stops		
Standard	8	50	10
Bridgeport	7	50	15
Smith American	11	75	25
Geo. Woods & Co	10	100	25
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CONDENSED STATEMENT, JAN. 29, 1906.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Investments	$1,362,635 62	Capital	$ 150,000 00
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation	150,000 00	Surplus and Undivided Profits, (earned)	195,757 02
Due from U. S. Treasurer	7,500 00	Circulation	144,600 00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	71,202 50	Deposits	1,354,898 15
Cash on hand and in Banks	253,917 05		
	$1,845,255 17		$1,845,255 17

3 PER CENT. INTEREST PAID ON SATISFACTORY CHECKING ACCOUNTS

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7:04 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:24 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:24 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; not so cold.
Maximum, 23; minimum, 7; 24 hours ending at noon today. Ther. at noon, 24.

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COUNTRY CLUB ANNUAL

George P. Mellick Continues at the Head of the Prosperous Organization.

REPORT OF PRESIDENT

Club Spent $12,235 and Received $13,441—Assets in Realty and Personalty Amount to $31,451.

The annual meeting of the Country Club was held at the Casino last night. It was a brief session, and nothing but business all the way through. There were no discussions, and aside from a tribute to the work of the retiring treasurer nothing marked the meeting but the reading of the minutes, the presentation of reports and the election of trustees.

Hardly more than enough members to make a quorum were present. In the absence of President G. P. Mellick, Vice-President E. R. Ackerman presided. E. T. Barrows acted as secretary, in place of Leighton Calkins, another absentee.

The trustees elected were L. G. Timpson, T. M. Day and J. M. Shellabarger, for three years. The nominating committee for 1907, chosen, like the trustees, by unanimous vote, is composed of Henry A. McGee, D. H. Rowland and C. Wesley Abbott.

Rising to a point of personal privilege, Elliott T. Barrows expressed the trustees' appreciation of the work done by Stuart H. Patterson, the retiring treasurer. Mr. Patterson did a great deal of valuable work for the club during his term, among other things simplifying the club bookkeeping. Mr. Patterson refused renomination on account of business pressure.

The treasurer's report showed assets of $31,451, represented practically by land, buildings and equipment, with liabilities that embrace $24,300 in outstanding first mortgage bonds, $700 in bills payable, $307 in accounts payable, $62. in locker key deposits and $6,081 reserve, in vested in property.

The club spent $12,235 on its regular expenses during the year. Its total regular income was $13,441. Improvements, embracing new locker rooms, dormitory and office, cost the club, in 1905, $5,462. Of this amount $2,016 was paid out of the regular income account. The heaviest regular item of expense was the maintenance of the golf course, which cost $3,962. The house committee spent $2,109 on general expenses.

President Mellick's report was as follows:

To the Members of the Plainfield Country Club:

Interest in golf during the past year has been very keen and our course patronized by as great a number of our members as in any year in the history of the organization.

Golf events, season of 1905, were:

Club championship cup, presented by George A. Chapman; won for 1905 by Dudley H. Barrows.

Runner up cup, presented by the club; won by W. Lester Glenney.

Second eight cup, presented by the club; won by H. C. Munger.

Third eight cup, presented by the club; won by E. E. Iremonger.

Golf committee cup, presented by the golf committee; won by E. B. Shoemaker.

Golf committee consolation cup, presented by T. R. Van Boskerck; won by H. D. Hibbard.

Golf Committee consolation cup, presented by the club; won by J. E. Erickson.

Golf rules cup, presented by Leighton Calkins; won by W. Lester Glenney.

Best ball foursome cups, presented by R. F. Murray and E. B. Shoemaker; won by G. T. Van Boskerck and A. L. Otterson.

Cross country golf cups, presented by E. T. Barrows; won by H. D. Hibbard and R. F. Murray.

Greatest improvement cup, presented by Marion Ackerman; won by C. B. Morgan.

Other cups for men's competition presented by the club were:

Opening day cups—Best gross cup, won by W. Lester Glenney; best net cup, won by J. E. Erickson.

Holiday cups—Decoration Day, won by Townsend Rushmore; Independence Day, won by P. C. Langdon; Labor Day, won by M. J. Dumont; Election Day, won by J. A. Lane; Thanksgiving Day, won by R. F. Murray.

Mixed foursome cups—June, won by Miss M. Van Boskerck and A. Henderson; October, won by Miss Cruikshank and H. R. Stockton; men's handicap cup (36 holes), won by E. E. Iremonger; approaching and putting cups, won by Miss May Holly and F. O. Reinhart.

Cups for boys—Oshkosh cup, presented by Henry L. Hall; won by William T. Glenney.

Cups for women—Mumford cup, presented by Thomas J. Mumford; won by Miss Maude Van Boskerck;

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RANDOLPH DENOUNCES STOCK TRANSFER TAX

EXCHANGE PRESIDENT TAKES REPUBLICANS TO TASK.

L. V. F. Randolph, of this city, president of the Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange, addressed, on Saturday, a committee appointed by the New York Republican county committee to consider the proposed repeal or modification of the stock transfer tax law. Mr. Randolph, speaking on behalf of the exchange, strongly denounced the stock tax.

Mr. Randolph said:

"If any Republican member of the Legislature were asked to show how it is compatible with free institutions, or with the spirit of Republicanism, to levy a tax so onerous as to become confiscatory and prohibitive upon any one branch of trade alone, he would find it impossible to answer such a question even to his own conscience, much less to any constituents who would be injured by such a tax.

"In effect this law is a scheme of double taxation. Consider, for example, the exchange member whose capital is taxed in the city of New York in the ordinary course of imposing tax on capital invested in business, and then note the fact that this same capital is, in the course of the discharge of its functions as capital, and in the course of the operations into which it enters in Stock Exchange business, taxed over and over again under the oppressive provisions of this stock tax law."

SKULL IS CHAMPION OF Y.M.C.A. ATHLETES

WINS TITLE IN THE CLOSING EVENTS OF ANNUAL MEET.

Harry Scull won the championship at the close of the Y. M. C. A. indoor athletic meet last night. He got two firsts and one second in the events run off, which, with the points won at the opening of the meet last week, gave him a total of twenty-six points out of a possible forty-five. Paul R. Collier was second, with twenty-one points, and Clyde Burgess third, with seventeen.

Scull broke another record, in the three standing broad jumps. He scored twenty-seven feet, ten inches, one foot, two inches better than the old mark. Burgess was second in this event, and Collier third.

The other events were as follows:

Running high kick: Collier, first, seven feet, nine inches; Martin B. Stutsman second; Stryker Hoagland, third.

Running high dive: Stutsman, first, five feet, four inches; Collier second, Arthur Aalholm, third.

Running high jump: Burgess, first, four feet, eleven inches; Scull second; Aalholm third.

The potato race ended in a tie between Scull and Hoagland, with Burgess second and Collier third. The tie will be run off next week.

The medal and ribbons will be presented to the winners at a sociable to be held in a week or two. Arrangements for the affair are being made by Acting Physical Director Robbie.

For State School Board.

Samuel St. John McCutchen, of North Plainfield, has been nominated by Governor Stokes as a member of the State Board of Education to represent the fourth district, his term having expired. The other nominations are as follows: Second district, James B. Woodward; sixth district, Francis Scott; eighth district, James L. Hays. The Senate has confirmed the nomination of Theodore Simonson as a member of the State Board of Equalization of Taxes.

Cricket Club Election.

The Bound Brook Cricket Club has elected these officers: A. S. Newbery, president; A. J. Gray, first vice-president; Alfred Urch, second vice-president; Stanley Hunt, treasurer; E. V. D. Rousseau, secretary. A. J. Gray has been elected captain of the team and George Bridge, of Plainfield, is the new vice-captain.

Looking for a Successor.

The congregation of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church has not yet extended an invitation to a minister to succeed Rev. George Mooney, who has received a call to the South Orange M. E. church. A committee from the church is engaged in looking for a successor and hopes to report soon.

A Twin Daughter Dies.

Frances, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Pilger, of East Front street, died this morning. The child was one of twins born eight days ago. The funeral will be private.

FISK AGAIN PRESIDENT

Former Mayor Re-elected Head of the Board of Health at Annual Meeting.

NAME COMMITTEEMEN

Monthly Reports Show Inspection of Fifty-two Dairies—Forty-nine Births, and Thirty Deaths.

Officers were elected, committees appointed and other business transacted at the annual meeting of the Plainfield Board of Health, yesterday afternoon. These officers were chosen:

President, Charles J. Fisk; secretary, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges; treasurer, F. W. Dunn. President Fisk then appointed these committees:

Finance and supplies, F. W. Dunn, Dr. T. S. Davis; nuisance, C. H. Dunham, F. W. Dunn; food and drink, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, C. H. Dunham; contagious disease, Dr. T. S. Davis, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges.

The city continues to be practically free from all contagious disease. This was shown by the various reports. During January but four cases of scarlet fever and no diphtheria were reported. On January 10, a case of glanders was reported. The horse was killed at once and the stable thoroughly disinfected. No other cases of the disease have been found.

Fifty-two dairies were inspected and forty-two samples of milk analyzed during the month. With one exception all were of good quality. As the water supply of a dairy is of very great importance, the Board is now collecting samples from wells on dairies supplying milk in Plainfield. Thus far twenty-four samples have been collected and analyzed. Four were found to be badly polluted and the wells were closed.

During January there were reported fourteen marriages, forty-nine births and thirty deaths. A milk permit was granted to John McCarthy and a plumber's bond of A. H. Conyne was received and filed.

HELD LIVELY MEETING.

Miantonomo Tribe Works Degree on Nine and Has Smoker.

Miantonomo Tribe, Improved O. R. M., had a lively meeting last night. For one thing, nine candidates were put through the warrior's degree. A smoker, with refreshments to add attractiveness, was enjoyed after the meeting.

The tribe instructed the representatives to the Great Council to vote against the proposed change in the constitution making the body wholly representative. The amendment will not be likely to go through, because the whole weight of the past sachems will be thrown against the effort to curtail their powers and privileges.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the "ladies' night," to be held about February 20, reported great progress. The event will be a most enjoyable one, with plenty of entertainment and refreshments.

Preparing for Fair.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church met at the parsonage, yesterday afternoon, to complete arrangements for the fair to be held in the church on Thursday and Friday nights, February 22-23. These chairmen of the various committees were selected, and they will chose their own assistants: Entertainment, Miss Alice Carroll; samples' booths, Mrs. H. K. Carroll; fancy booth, Mrs. Andrew Lutkins; cherry trees, Mrs. Isaac P. Runyon; cake table, Mrs. Edward Vermeule; candy table, Mrs. C. W. Parsons; ice cream, Mrs. Charles Lippencott.

New Officers Installed.

The newly-elected officers of Washington Camp, Patriotic Order Sons of America, have been installed as follows: President, Charles VanWinkle; vice president, Winfield S. Schomp; master at arms, John Ayers; recording secretary, Edward Tomlinson; assistant recording secretary, I. N. Wyckoff; financial secretary, W. D. Williams; treasurer, Theodore VanPelt; conductor, Samuel Ayers; inner guard, Edward GaNun; outer guard, Frank Bennett; representative to State Camp, I. N. Wyckoff.

Autoists to Meet.

The automobilists of this city are to hold a meeting, shortly, to arrange for the attendance of as big a delegation as can be brought together at the second hearing on the Frelinghuysen auto bill. The meeting was tentatively broached by one of a group of auto-owners last night, and interest enough in its was manifested immediately to start the project. "Details of the meeting will be made public just as soon as we arrange them," said one of the autoists to a reporter after the discussion.

—Get right with God.

AUTOISTS NOT OUT AT HEARING ON BILL

NO CLASH AT TRENTON YESTERDAY—ADJOURNED TO FEBRUARY 20.

The expected big fight on the automobile question at the State House yesterday dwindled down to a mild skirmish, chiefly because the automobilists had been unable to get their forces into battle line. The Senate judiciary committee, composed of Senators Hillery, Wakelee and Minturn, took up the hearing on the Frelinghuysen bill immediately after the morning session of the Upper House.

Senator Frelinghuysen sent a small company of infantry out on the firing line, but, like a good general, when he saw the enemy was standing off, he reserved his big guns for future use.

Clarence E. Case, of Somerville, presented a petition in favor of the bill signed by 150 of the citizens of his vicinity. John P. Murray, who said he was a citizen of New Jersey and a lover of automobiles, thought there should be reasonable rules and regulations. He claimed the Automobile Club of America was opposing legislation because New Jersey has the most liberal laws of any State, and the club is desirous of continuing them.

Colonel Edwards, of Newark, an officer of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, spoke on the speed features of the Frelinghuysen bill. It was the tremendous speed that has terrorized people and caused the great opposition to autos, he said.

Dr. Young, of Bordentown, said: "Automobilists seemed to think no one else has any rights. If the laws are not enforced, the next thing you hear will be that the farmers will shoot the automan."

The Associated Automobile Club of New Jersey appeared through Professor John Gill, fo ask for another hearing, as they were not ready to present their side of the case owing to the inability to have speakers present.

The hearing was then adjourned to February 20, when Senator Jackson's bill, which is backed by the State Board of Agriculture, the State Horticultural Society and the Highway Protectors' Association, will also be considered.

TREAT IS IN STORE AT PARK CLUB TONIGHT.

Moly Cross Entertainment Promises to Be of a Superior Order.

Prominent musicians will appear at the musicale to be given by Holy Cross church at the Park Club auditorium tonight, in conjunction with the "Stanley Dwarfs." Among the soloists who will take part are Mrs. W. L. Saunders, Miss Ethel Gregg and Willard Wadsworth. Fred Van Eps will render two banjo selections, "Chines Picnic" and "Down South." Harold Bradley, boy soloist, from Orange, will sing two ballads. H. E. Hayden, of New York, has been especially engaged for humorous selections. The accompanists are Ronald M. Grant, of Orange, Miss Howell and Mr. Loder.

The second part of the programme, devoted to the Stanley Dwarfs, has about it an air of mystery. Comment and conjecture have been rife in Plainfield and added to the curiosity. All that the management will vouchsafe by way of information is to the effect that "Big Chief," "Gold Dust," "Hunyadi," "Snowball," "Blancho," "Peruna," "Chief's Wife" and lesser lights of the dwarf family are in town and promise to create more than a mild sensation. In addition to their vocal ability, their skill at repartee, their queer antics, their diminutive size and fund of humor promise to interest the audience. The advance sale of tickets has been most promising, and the night being fair, the audience will undoubtedly fill the roomy auditorium of the Park Club.

Exposition Commissioner.

Among the Jamestown exposition commissioners for New Jersey named by Governor Stokes is James T. MacMurray, of this city. The other commissioners are Alfred Cooper, of Cape May; Harry Leeds, Atlantic City; D. Harry Chandler, Vineland; Clarence E. Breckenridge, Maywood; James Harper Smith, Somerville; Dr. E. L. Stevenson, New Brunswick; Richard Herbert, Wickatuck; A. B. Leach, South Orange; Wallace M. Scudder, Newark, and Dr. Thomas K. Reed, Atlantic City.

Library Directors Meet.

At a meeting of the library board of directors last night Dr. Leonard Waldo, Alexander Gilbert and L. V. F. Randolph were appointed as forming the library welfare committee. The thanks of the board were extended Samuel Huntington for his valuable gift of a set of books to the library.

—The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the home of Mrs. Leroy Gates, 826 First place.

RACING CIRCUIT FORMED

Plainfield in Newly-Organized New Jersey Road Drivers Association.

PLAN WEEKLY MEET

Track Day Here Will Be July 4—Adam Blair Represents Plainfield at Association's Meeting.

Adam C. Blair, with a number of others in this city, are members of the New Jersey Road Drivers' Association, which was formed at Trenton on Monday. At the meeting a State racing circuit was formed to include Plainfield, Trenton, Bordentown, Freehold, New Brunswick, Flemington and Hightstown. The association has a membership of 800, and fully 100 of that number attended.

Meets will be conducted weekly, beginning Memorial Day. William Allerton, of Trenton, was chosen president and Harry Baldwin, of Pennington, secretary.

On Decoration day there will be meets at New Brunswick and Freehold. Hightstown will have the next meet on June 9. Bordentown will have a meet on June 16, Trenton on June 23, Pennington on June 30, Plainfield on July 4 and New Brunswick on July 11. Then the meets will be the same as on the first round.

With such an association formed Plainfield will be assured of good trotting exhibitions. It will bring the best stock from the central part of the State here and give lovers of such sport an opportunity to witness the best racing. As soon as possible the work of putting the Plainfield Driving Park in first-class shape for the summer meets will be started. If possible better arrangements will be made to take the people to and from the park and everything will be done to provide for the comfort and amusement of those who are fond of the sport.

MRS. M. B. FRENCH DEAD.

Was Mother of Mrs. John Corey, of West Front Street.

Mrs. Margaret B. French, widow of David A. French, died at her home in Union Village, Monday night. She was in her ninety-first year and was widely known in this vicinity., where she leaves numerous relatives. There are surviving two daughters, Mrs. John Corey, of West Front street, and Miss R. A. French, who resided at home; and two sons, Barzilla French, of Union Village, and Theodore French, of Newark.

The funeral will be held at her late home tomorrow morning at 10:30 and interment will be made in Hillside cemetery, this city.

Getting Posted on Compressed Air.

Borough Electrician A. V. Searing has been in conference with several authorities on compressed air and has been gleaning information for the possible substitution of a gong for the present bell attached to the fire alarm system. There is but little doubt but what the Council will order the change as the bell is badly cracked and the iron tower is in a rickety condition. Compressed air could be used, it is said, to operate a whistle cheaper than maintaining batteries for the bell.

Over 200 Will Attend Smoker.

Over 200 acceptances have been received for the college smoker to be held at the Casino on Friday night, and the committee now feels that it cannot comfortably provide for more than twelve or fifteen more people, on account of the lack of room. Before the list is closed those planning to attend are urged to notify Owen H. Fleming as soon as possible. The banquet is fixed for 9 o'clock and all patrons are asked to be prompt in attendance.

Death of Mrs. Walpole.

Following a long illness from a lingering complaint, Mrs. Johanna Walpole, wife of Lynus Walpole, the well known hotel proprietor, died at her home in Scotch Plains at 10 o'clock last night. She was the daughter of the late William Reardon and lived in the vicinity of Scotch Plains all her life. She leaves five children. The funeral arrangements have not been completed but it will be held from her late home Friday.

Fireman Lohsen Recovering.

Benjamin Lohsen, the fireman, who was injured in the recent wreck near Berckman street on the New Jersey Central, when a wild-cat engine ran into a drill train, is improving at the hospital and expects to be discharged in a few days.

"Larry" to Be Sentenced Feb. 21.

"Larry" Wallace, charged with breaking and entering Rapp's Hotel at Scotch Plains, pleaded guilty in the County Court this morning, and he will be sentenced on Wednesday, February 21.

DURLACH AGREES TO CLEAN ROOKERIES

IF NOT MADE TENANTABLE, THE DILAPIDATED ROW WILL BE TORN DOWN.

The hearing set by the Board of Health for yesterday afternoon to consider the complaint of Health Officer Leon R. Thurlow against the row of houses on Watchung avenue, near Front street, owned by the Estate of Hannah Durlach, was postponed to Tuesday afternoon, February 20, at the request of Henry I. Durlach, executor of the estate.

Mr. Durlach has assured the Board that he will either make the row tenantable or clear the property of the rookeries. He said that he was desirous of seeing his brother first before deciding upon any plans.

The board gave Mr. Durlach to understand that steps must be taken at the earliest possible time to abate the nuisance complained of by Mr. Thurlow, and he showed a disposition to co-operate with the health authorities in the matter.

The property complained of has long been unfit for human habitation by reason of the number of tenants, want of cleanliness and is considered dangerous to health and life. The Board of Health is taking this action in accordance with the sanitary code which gives it the right to abolish such nuisances. The Board also proposes to get after other similar rookeries in the West End of the city and will not rest until these places are removed and made fit for habitation.

NICK PARKER PLEASES BIG CROWD AT FAIR

GAVE THREE SONG SUCCESSES ALL FINELY ILLUSTRATE.

Nick Parker, who is a great favorite with Plainfielders, made a big hit with his solos at the band concert fair in Saengerbund Hall, last night. He sang "When the Morning Glories Twine About the Door," "Wait Till the Sun Shines Nellie" and "What You Goin' to do When the Rent Comes 'Round." All were illustrated, the slides being among the best that have ever been seen in the city. A. E. Willard operated the lantern.

All the attractions about the hall were again liberally patronized and the fair promises to be a record-breaker. Ben LaVere and his corps of assistants are always present and are doing everything possible to help along the cause. This is one reason why the attendances have been so large. The Singing Section of the Gesang and Turn Verein was present last night and rendered several selections in a manner that won hearty applause.

Jack Elliott will sing tonight, using selections from "Forty-five Minutes From Broadway." For tomorrow night a big bill has been arranged, headed by "Billy" Redmond, the sweet-voiced tenor. Eddie Weston will also sing and cornet solos will be contributed by Louis Anderson, who appeared at several of the summer concerts. For the remainder of the week Mr. LaVere has several other interesting features.

Will Organize Girls' Society.

The girls of Grace M. E. church are invited to attending a meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Stevens, 65 Grandview avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a Girls' Home Missionary Circle. Miss Ham and Miss Weeks, secretaries for the home mission societies of the church, will assist in the organization.

Sentence Suspended on Servants.

Louis Rehak and Lizzie Bednerik, the two servants charged with larceny while employed by Samuel Huntington, of Franklin place, who pleaded guilty in the Union County Court on Monday, were before Judge Vail this morning. He suspended sentence and put the women in charge of Mrs. Emily Williamson, the county probation officer.

Cold Caused Class to Suspend.

Owing to the extreme cold one of the classes in the Watchung School, North Plainfield, was dismissed yesterday. The trouble was due to the lack of weather strips on the windows, which allowed a strong draught to enter. The trouble was remedied in time to allow the room to be used today.

Overbaugh Recovering.

Patrolman Herbert Overbaugh, who has been confined to the house for more than a week with rheumatism, is slowly recovering. He is able to sit up part of the day.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Republican City Committee, which was to have been held last night, was postponed to Friday night.

HORSE SHOW JUNE 7-8-9

Riding and Driving Club is Making Arrangements For Third Annual Exhibition.

ON ITS NEW GROUNDS

C. W. McCutchen Again Chosen President—List of Directors—Ring to Be 325 Feet Long and 170 Feet Wide.

Assured that its new show grounds will be complete in every detail by that time, the Riding and Driving Club decided on the dates for its third annual horse show, last night, at the annual meeting. The show will run from June 7 to 9, inclusive, one day more than last year.

Details of the show have not yet been considered. They will be arranged by the club executive committee, at the head of which is L. E. Waring.

Reports on the progress of the work of transforming the twenty-three-acre property at Randolph road and Woodland avenue into a highly attractive and modern show ground were of the most encouraging character. The track is practically completed, with perfect under-draining, the stables are well under way, and the grandstand will shortly begin to take form. There is no doubt that the grounds will be ready for the show.

The ensemble buildings, track and grounds will be striking in its attractiveness. The stables and stands will be done in Spanish mission style, with red tile roofs and shingling of some sharply contrasting tint, to stand out boldly against the background of woodland in which the grounds set. There will be three stables, with accommodations for 150 horses, and a grandstand that will seat over 800. The stand proper will seat 600, and there will be thirty-six boxes. The ring is 325 feet long and 170 feet wide, which is larger than that at Philadelphia, Long Branch, Atlantic City and other well-known places. It will be one of the most spacious in use.

The main entrance to the grounds will be at the junction of Randolph road and Woodland avenue. On the other side of the property there will be a trolley entrance, right on the Arlington avenue line. It is not unlikely that the trolley company will run a spur loop into the grounds for specials on show days.

Directors were elected by the club as follows: H. G. Runkle, O. T. Waring, L. E. Waring, G. P. Mellick, E. H. Ladd, G. H. Beaton, R. A. Fairbairn, W. J. Buttfield, D. F. Ginna, Paul Taylor Brown, Charles J. Fisk and Charles W. McCutchen. In organizing, the directors elected Mr. McCutchen president; L. E. Waring, vice president; L. G. Timpson, secretary, and J. Herbert Case, treasurer.

JESSE FRYSINGER DEAD.

Baseball Manager, Well Known Here, Succumbs to Operation.

Jesse M. Frysinger, who managed the champion Holyokes, of the Connecticut league, when the team played here last summer, died in Wilmington, Del., Monday, as the result of an operation for appendicitis. Frysinger was to have managed the Lancaster team in the Tri-State league, this year. He was the manager of the Harrisburg club at one time.

During the winter Frysinger was a newspaper man, working for his father, in Chester, Pa., where his home was located.

Warrie McLaughlin know Frysinger well. The dead manager had a great admiration for Mac's pitching, and said, when he was here last summer, that he would be glad to sign the Plainfield twirler for any team he managed.

Newark Five Coming.

The Y. M. C. A. basketball team will meet the Newark five, on the local gymnasium, Saturday night. The Plainfielders are on pins and needles to get at the Newarkers, because the latter are the only combination that defeated the locals on their own floor this season. They did it by 15 to 12, fouls figuring largely in the victory. The Plainfield line-up will be Thompson, Smith, forwards; Scull, centre; Letson, Leary, guards.

Mr. Besler in Jamaica.

W. G. Besler, vice president and general manager of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, has been visiting the island of Jamaica and is reported to be enthusiastic about the scenic beauties of the island. He sailed for home on Monday, in the Royal Mail Company's steamer, La Plata.

Change Fair Date.

Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., has decided to put off its fair from the week of February 10-17 to the week following. The change is made in order to make a bigger interval between Company K's fair and the Junior enterprise.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

George Leland, of Plainfield, stumbled over the big stone that projects above the level of the roadway at the southeast corner of Washington and North avenues, Monday night, and fell headlong. He cut his face and bruised himself painfully. It was said by one of his borough friends yesterday that he would file a claim for damages against the municipality.

H. S. Garretson was locked up with a jury in a criminal case in the county court at New Brunswick over night. The jury retired at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and were discharged at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning. They failed to agree. Mr. Garretson has been ordered to report for jury duty again next Wednesday.

Bartley Kelly, who was dangerously injured by being caught in the Newark Bay bridge, was still living yesterday afternoon, and reported to be recovering. His family was summoned to his bedside in the Newark hospital Monday night, but he rallied yesterday morning.

Two hundred feet of new hose is to be purchased by the borough for the fire department. Samples of it were submitted to the Council Monday night. It is guaranteed to withstand three hundred and fifty pounds' pressure to the square inch.

The office of street commissioner, held up to January 1 by P. C. Staats, is still unfilled. It is understood that Mayor Wyckoff is undecided as to his appointee. Mr. Staats is said to be willing to consider another term.

Mayor Wyckoff has reappointed Mr. Moynihan president of the Council. The appointment is received with general satisfaction.

William Dealaman was given the contract for groceries to be used at the physical culture retreat by Mrs. Robert Fitzsimmons last week.

Rev. Frank Fletcher is still receiving letters on the fake Fitzsimmons' sermon. He got one from Los Angeles the other day.

The sociable to be held by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church Friday night will be a valentine affair.

A. F. Samson is having his house extensively improved. Rimmer, Apgar & Cuzen are doing the work.

J. N. Apgar and Theodore Apgar will go to Virginia very shortly for a two weeks' stay.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

One week of the present cold weather will start the local harvesting of ice, as those who are in the habit of laying in the summer's supply have been worrying over this year's ice crop and will begin to cut as soon as the ice is four or five inches thick. The "back pond" has been posted and skaters are forbidden the pleasure of gliding over the best skating pond in this vicinity. The large ice house near the dam has been ready for the storing of the annual crop for several weeks past.

Some of the trolley conductors, when off duty, evidently live in barns as they seem to forget that the doors on the cars are intended to help keep the cold out of the cars as well as being a place where passengers are supposed to go in and out of the car. The comfort of the public should be considered by the P. S. Corporation.

The trial of Larry Wallace, charged with breaking and entering Rapp's hotel two weeks ago, is being held at Elizabeth today. Several witnesses from here are in attendance.

Yesterday morning was the coldest morning of the winter, the mercury being close to the zero mark during the early morning hours, in some places registering but one above.

Rev. Mr. Bury, who has been visiting Rev. T. Moore-Smith, has returned to New York city, where he is working in the interests of the Irish Home Missions.

Mrs. John Alberts is improving from an illness of a week and will soon be able to be around again.

Fanwood Bucket and Engine Co. holds its monthly meeting tonight in the company rooms.

Harvey Goodman has taken a position with F. A. Dunham, of Plainfield.

—Mr. and Mrs. Norman K. Barnes have taken possession of their new home on Mountain avenue.

Passaic Wants to Sue Bondsman.

Passaic, Feb. 7.—On the advice of City Counsel Adrian D. Sullivan, a resolution was introduced at last night's meeting of the City Council, instructing him to start suit against the bondsmen of former Police Justice John K. Bowker, of that city, to recover fines which, it is alleged, Bowker failed to turn into the city treasury. The counsel is at a loss to know for just how much to sue the several bondsmen. Bowker was police justice several terms and it is not known during which terms the alleged shortages occurred.

Stanley Dwarfs at Park Club.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. O. T. Waring, of Park avenue, is much improved from a recent illness.

Mrs. Theodore Mantz, of Richmond street, is detained at home with a severe cold.

Walter M. McGee, of North Plainfield, has deferred his proposed European trip for the present.

George Smith, of Brook avenue, has returned from a southern trip much improved in health.

Arthur Tyler, of Washington, who recently underwent an operation at Muhlenberg Hospital, continues to improve every day.

Councilman W. L. Gloak, of East Second street, who is detained at home by illness, is convalescing and hopes to be out soon.

Councilman Herbert Buxton, of West Front street, left yesterday for a business trip to Cleveland. He will return home on Sunday.

Councilman R. I. Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, is much improved from a severe attack of rheumatism and is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. White, formerly of West Front street, but now of Brooklyn, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanName, of Madison avenue.

Mrs. W. S. Angleman, of West Front street, continues to improve slowly from a long and tedious illness which has detained her at home for a number of weeks.

Mrs. Roberts, formerly Miss Rickert, of North Plainfield, but now of Elizabeth, has been quite ill with an affection of the eyes. She is reported to be improving slowly.

Charles J. Fisk, of West Seventh street, who has been spending some days in New York, was in town yesterday attending the meeting of the Board of Health, of which he is the president.

Upon the return of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dreier from their southern pleasure trip, Mr. and Mrs. David Dreier, of West Front street, will take up their residence in New York. Mr. Dreier will engage in business there.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Primary and Junior Sunday-school Teachers' Union will meet on Tuesday of next week owing to Monday being a holiday.

Every officer, teacher or pupil of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school bringing in three new pupils will receive a gold enameled pin.

Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Finn will hold their annual church reception at the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow night. There will be pleasing features, including an informal programme of music.

Under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society and the Brotherhood of Warren chapel, James R. Joy will give his illustrated lecture in the chapel tomorrow night "On the Yellowstone Trail."

The twenty-second concert by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra will be held at the association building Monday night, February 19, at 8 o'clock. Edson C. Martin will be the soloist of the evening. A silver offering will be received.

There will be a business meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of Grace M. E. church at the parsonage tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Miss Ham, district secretary, and Miss Weeks, corresponding secretary, will be present and speak.

Under the auspices of the Women's Home Missionary Society a social will be held at the home of Mrs. Edward Vermeule, 28 Jackson avenue, tomorrow night. There will be a short programme and Miss Ham and Miss Weeks, secretaries for the societies, will speak.

A sewing and social meeting of the Women's Association of the Congregational church was held yesterday afternoon, when reports were presented from the Jersey City conference, together with responses from the missionary box. An informal programme of music was also rendered.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Nelson Runyon, of East Ninth street, yesterday afternoon and listened to an interesting talk by Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen on the condition of the women of Africa. A social time followed the talk.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—A Rogers-Grilley recital will be given in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course on Thursday evening, February 22. Charles T. Grilley, humorist, and Van Veachton Rogers, harpist, will entertain.

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Announcement of a performance of "The Holy City" interests theatregoers to an uncommon degree. The great Biblical drama and the sumptuous production given it, the strength of the acting company, the music and grand spectacle with which the play abounds, furnishes dramatic satisfaction and scenic pleasure so complete and grateful that Managers Gordon & Bennett's enterprise is a leading feature in all columns containing theatrical news. Seldom has a play been so immediately noted, because seldom has any one play so many points of value. The theatregoers who appreciate entertainment in the proportion given for following thought, will, in the thrillingly told story of the Apostle John find reflection, dramatic study and future enjoyment rarely combined. The theatregoer who is more pleased with brilliant spectacle and wonderful stage effects has his wish gratified by lavish preparation and almost unprecedented execution. The play will be at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow for two performances, matinee and night.

"In a Woman's Power," which will be at the New Plainfield theatre Friday night, is a melodrama of the highest order, full of striking situations, startling episodes, which carry the audience entirely into realism and cause their hearts to beat anxiously for the success of the hero and heroine. True S. James will appear as "Fiddlestrings," the hero, and it is understood that Mr. James is an actor who possesses the very rare ability of being also a violinist, and in the character of "Fiddlestrings" he will render several melodies which are supposed to form a part of the action of the play.

William Collier is announced by Charles Frohman in "On the Quiet," the Augustus Thomas comedy written especially for him, in which he lately scored the success of his life in London, following it by a record breaking engagement in New York City, where he crowded the Criterion theatre for weeks, as the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday night. The role of Robert Ridgway is known to be a perfect Collier part, and in it he was acknowledged to be the most original American comedian yet seen on the London boards. The London press gave him unstinted praise for that quaintly natural home like style of humor which is his and his alone.

The weeks of expectancy on the part of the local theatregoers is to be realized next Monday night, when "The School Girl" comes to the New Plainfield theatre. Notwithstanding the fact that this will be the first appearance here of the famous musical success which delighted London playgoers for over four hundred nights at the Prince of Wales theatre, and which pleased New Yorkers for half a year at Daly's theatre, the reputation of the production has preceded it to such an extent that a most enthusiastic reception awaits "The School Girl" in this city. As is well known, the music is from the pen of Leslie Stuart, the famous composer of "Florodora," and the book is by Henry Hamilton, author of "The Duchess of Dantzig."

Charming Mary Mannering will present her new play, "The Walls of Jericho," at the New Plainfield theatre next Wednesday night. "The Walls of Jericho" is by an Englishman, Alfred Sutro, and it has been hailed as the best play in years. It is now in its second year in London. In America it has a record which covers a period of over six months' wonderful success in New York, where it was given at the Savoy theatre. An excellent company in support is promised, containing as it does such well known names as Misses Harriett Otis Dellenbaugh, Sylvia Lyndon, May Blayney, Blanche Ellice, Ruth Chester, Messrs. W. J. Ferguson, David Glassford, Percy Lyndall, F. Owen Baxter and Frank Patton.

The remarkable financial and artistic success of Lottie Blair Parker's two plays, "Under Southern Skies," which will be here one week from Friday night, and "Way Down East," has created great demand from producing managers for plays from her pen. She has now several new plays outlined, chief among which is a dramatization of the Rev. Charles Frederic Goss' famous story, "The Redemption of David Corson," which will be produced during the current season.

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AN ANGRY FATHER SUES THE MINISTER

WHO MARRIED SON TO UNWELCOME GIRL WIHOUT PARENTS' CONSENT.

A monetary penalty, because his son, Archibald Saunders, went off and married Miss Julia Marshall without his consent, is demanded by Thomas G. Saunders, of Newark, in a suit brought yesterday morning in the Second District Court against Rev. Carl J. Girtanner, pastor of the West Newark German Lutheran church, who performed the marriage ceremony. The older Saunders brings the action alleging a violation by Mr. Girtanner of the act concerning marriages, approved in 1902, and the State is named as a second plaintiff. Should the $300 penalty provided for in the act for violations be recovered from the minister, half will go to the State and half to the father.

The plaintiff alleges that Mr. Girtanner married his son, who was a minor, June 3 of last year, and he claims that the minister did not get from the eloping bridegroom the certificate of consent to the marriage from one of the latter's parents, as required by the law. The father and mother of the boy did not favor the alliance, and they claim that their son could not have secured any written consent from them if he had announced his intention of marrying before the time set for the ceremony.

As it was, when the happy groom announced a week later that he had become a benedict and that his wife was formerly Miss Julia Marshall, there was not any desire manifested on the part of the father and mother of the groom to give the usual blessing. Instead, Saunders, Sr., looked around for a legal method to get back at Pastor Girtanner. He found it in the act mentioned.

The plaintiff also claims in the state of demand filed that Rev. Mr. Girtanner did not take any oath or affirmation from young Archibald as to the latter's age and residence, and, it is alleged, that because of the pastor's failure to do so another clause of the act has been violated.

SCORES WOMEN WHO PUT DOGS ABOVE BABIES.

Newark Pastor Pays His Respects to Orange Women in Very Sharp Words.

The Rev. Dr. James I. Vance, a Newark clergyman, paid his respects to Orange women who think more of pet dogs than they do of children, in an address made Sunday to some of the boys of the Orange Y. M. C. A. In speaking to the boys on "Home" he said:

"It takes people to make a home, but we are living in a day in which children are discredited and dogs accredited. We know that there are women living in the Oranges who are proud of being seen out carriage riding with their dogs, but who would not be seen in public with their babies. It is a disgrace to see the dog riding with the woman on the front seat of the carriage, while the child sits with the nurse on the rear seat. The only thing that is the matter with such women is that they are crazy.

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GROWTH OF THE CHURCH

H. K. Carroll's Statistics Reveal Smaller Growth Than In Several Years.

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Denominational Families Have Changed Little in Relative Size Since Census of 1890.

Dr. H. K. Carroll, of this city, secretary of the Methodist Episcopal church General Missionary Society, has issued his annual statement of statistics concerning the churches in America, and it shows that the net gains for the year 1905 were smaller than those reported for several years past. His figures differ from those compiled by denominational agencies in that they are for the United States only, while denominational statistics usually include the members in foreign mission lands. The gains of all religious bodies in this country during the past year are given by Dr. Carroll as 1,815 ministers, 1,636 churches and 519,155 communicants. All three items show less gain than was made in 1904, the figures for that year having been, respectively, 3,136, 2,624 and 898,857.

The largest gain in any one body was in the Roman Catholic Church, which reports 10,785,496 communicants, a gain of 192,122 over the previous year. Dr. Carroll points out that the Roman figures are prepared on a different basis from those of the Protestant bodies, so that it is hardly proper to compare them; but the Catholic figures are official and it is proper to include them in this connection. The Methodist Episcopal Church, of all Protestant communions, shows largest gains for the year. Its communicants number 2,910,779, and its increase was 62,847. All Methodist bodies taken together gained 102,000; all Baptists gained 72,667; all Presbyterians, 26,174; all Lutherans, 51,580. The aggregate figures quoted by Dr. Carroll for all religious bodies in the United States show that there are 154,390 ministers, 201,608 churches and 31,148,445 communicants.

Individual denominations which made notable gains in the year just closed, include the Seventh-Day Adventists which added 3,019 communicants; Southern Baptists, 30,091; Colorede Baptists, 32,747; Congregationalists, 13,321; the German Evangelical Synod, 9,539; the Lutheran Synodical Conference, 21,637; the Lutheran General Council, 7,711; Methodist Episcopal South, 25,163; Presbyterians North 18,803; Protestant Episcopal, 19,203, and United Brethren, 5,403. In this connection it should be noted that the Disciples of Christ, which have been rapidly growing in numbers in recent years, and which last year showed a gain of over 26,000 communicants, in 1905 added only 1,428. Christian Scientists gained 7,441.

According to Dr. Carroll's figures the denominational families have changed little in relative size since the government census of churches was taken under his direction in 1890. While the fifteen years have seen some of the religious bodies grow more rapidly than others, the important denominational groups into which practically all may be classified show only two changes in relative size. Lutheran bodies have passed Presbyterian and the Latter Day Saints (Mormon) have passed the United Brethren. The order in which these denominational families now stand, with the communicant membership of each, is as follows:

Catholic, 10,915,251; Methodist, 6,429,815; Baptist, 4,974,047; Lutheran, 1,841,346; Presbyterian, 1,723,871; Episcopal, 827,127; Reformed, 405,022; Latter Day Saints, 344,247; United Brethren, 274,012; Evangelical Bodies, 166,978; Jewish, 143,000; Friends, 120,415; Dunkards, 116,311; Adventists, 95,437; Mennonites, 61,048.

The benevolent gifts of 1905, counting those that amounted to $5,000 or more, reached the total of $66,000,000. It is probable that the actual amount was larger than the sum named, as many large gifts are not publicly announced, and there is no way of including them in an annual estimate. Based upon the same information sources that led to the above total, the estimate for 1904 was $62,000,000, while that for 1903 was $95,000,000.

Fully one-third of the $66,000,000 given away last year was given anonymously. The gifts of Andrew Carnegie to various objects represent $14,000,000 of the total, and the donations of John D. Rockefeller added $12,000,000. More than half of the total sum was devoted to educational purposes. Hospitals received about $5,000,000, museums and galleries $7,000,000, and miscellaneous charities $5,000,000. To special forms of church work was given $4,000,000, besides $2,000,000 especially designated for foreign missions.

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Alex. Munn, president of the Reform Club, has arranged an attractive programme for tomorrow night. There will be stereopticon views of the Civil War and illustrated songs. A silver offering will be received. All veterans are especially invited to attend.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

Negro Lad is Drowned.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—Frederick Williamson, sixteen years old, colored, of Ewing township, was drowned Sunday afternoon while skating with a number of other boys on the Purity Milk pond, in Hopewell township. His two companions, Edward Hough and Walter Firman, all colored, also had a narrow escape.

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COUNTRY CLUB ANNUAL

(Continued From Page 1.)

Gaston cup, presented by Walter Gaston; won by Mrs. N. Pendleton Rogers; Rae handicap cup, presented by Mrs. Marvin D. Rae; won by Mrs. Walter Gaston.

Clock golf cups—Rushmore cup, presented by Townsend Rushmore; won by Miss M. Uhler; Maxwell cup, presented by Mrs. T. W. T. Maxwell; won by Miss A. Taylor; women's clock golf cup, presented by the club; won by Miss A. G. Ball; Labor Day clock golf cup, presented by the club; won by Mrs. N. P. Rogers; mixed foursome cups, subscription by women; won by Miss M. Van Boskerck and W. Lester Glenney; women's handicap cup, subscription by women; won by Mrs. N. P. Rogers.

Team matches—Men's team, W. Lester Glenney, captain—Plainfield Country Club, 13; Columbia University, 6. Plainfield Country Club, 15; Princeton, 12. Plainfield Country Club, 0; Yale, 33. Women's team, Miss Margaret Goddard, captain—Plainfield Country Club defeated Baltusrol and Essex County Country Club by default. Plainfield Country Club, 2; Morris County C. C., 7.

From the foregoing it will be seen that many members of the club have added to the interest of the play by presentation of various cups, and such gifts have been much appreciated.

The increased appropriation (commensurate with other clubs), for maintenance of the course, has enabled the playing conditions to be so improved that the greens, etc., have been kept in a uniform condition during all days of the week. The change from dirt to grass tees is one that takes several seasons to accomplish, but with the increased area to be put into commission next spring, it is hoped and expected that these will be more satisfactory than during the past season. During the year the second hole has been lengthened, and the fair green widened and improved; the fourth green removed to what was formerly swamp, and during the coming season this hole will have the fair green widened and improved; the fourteenth hole has been lengthened and early in the spring the green will be reset at the junction of Woodland and Rahway road; the fifteenth has also been lengthened, and the tee across the road will be used during the coming season. These changes have added all the length that is possible with the ground at our disposal at the present time, and though shorter than a championship course, it is expected that when the bunkers and sand traps now under way and contemplated are finished, that we will rank with other metropolitan courses.

The new clock golf green and approaches to the automobile plaza has passed through a trying season, but it is expected that the former will be in a playable condition during the coming year. It is hoped that next season it will be possible to place clumps of shubbery at different points of the drives, and around the caddy house, thus adding to the pleasure of a large percentage of our membership, who only care for the club house and its attending features.

During the past year the interest in tennis has been greatly on the increase, and our six courts have not proved sufficient to accommodate the players of the club. This has been particularly the case when tournaments have been in progress. At such times the players not entered in competition have given way with commendable good nature, but it is not right to ask them to sacrifice altogether the best tennis days of the year, and these, naturally, are the ones selected for the tournaments. Sufficient space for three new courts remains unoccupied by the side of Woodland avenue, in a line with the two courts last built, and south of the driveway. It is hoped that the funds at the command of the club will warrant the construction of at least two of these courts during the coming spring. During the past season the surroundings of the courts have been much improved by the erection of the summer house, the construction of stairs and a bluestone walk, and general grading and surfacing. The courts themselves were never in better condition than last fall. To keep them in good order, however, considerable labor will be required.

The tennis season was opened on May 10 by an exhibition match between Holcombe Ward, the then champion of the United States, and Malcolm D. Whitman, a former champion, which was won by Mr. Whitman.

The mixed doubles tournament of the East Jersey Lawn Tennis Association, as in the preceding year, was played on our courts, beginning May 30th, and was won by Messrs. B. C. Edgar and L. Dunham, of the Ilderan Outing Club, Rahway. The singles championship of the association, played for at Jersey City in June, was won by H. J. Cochran for our club.

A system of team matches was inaugurated by two matches with the team of the Elizabeth Town and Country Club, one of which was won by our team, the other resulting in a tie.

The club championship in men's singles (played in September) was won by H. J. Cochran.

The club championship in women's singles (also played in September) was won by Miss Sarah E. Schuyler.

The winners of other club tournaments were as follows: Men's doubles, May 13, won by H. J. Cochran and T. M. Day, Jr.; women's handicap singles, June 15, won by Miss Elsie Burke; boys' singles (under fifteen years of age), June 27, won by Master James O. Fleming; girls' singles (under eighteen years of age), July 6, won by Miss Hope Ivins; junior mixed doubles (under eighteen years of age), September 5, won by Miss Edith Mellick and Master T. M. Day, 3d.

With this is enclosed an audited statement of the treasurer, which shows the affairs of the club to be in a prosperous condition, notwithstanding the large expenditures made necessary, not only by the creation of new additions to club house, but by reason of the advances in the cost of labor and material. This new work largely exceeded the original estimate and further new work, unforeseen at the time when improvements were contemplated were deemed wise to complete; such expenditure makes it necessary to carry over a small floating debt, but during the coming year there will be no difficulty in liquidating the same.

Improvements to the club house have met with much favor and the interest in our organization in all its departments is certainly apparent, and there is reason to believe that the coming year will prove the success of the club assured.

Membership at the present time—Active members, 382; non-resident members, 38; associate, 101; junior associate, 266; honorary members, 3.

(Signed) GEORGE P. MELLICK, President.

The trustees organized for the year immediately after the meeting. President Mellick, Vice-President Ackerman and Secretary Calkins were re-elected. J. M. Shellabarger was elected treasurer in Mr. Patterson's place. The committee chairmen were chosen as follows: Greens, E. T. Barrows; tennis, T. M. Day; golf, T. R. Van Boskerck; house, L. G. Timpson. The chairmen will announce the makeup of the committees some time next month.

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TWO WIVES TOO MANY.

War Veteran Faced Three in Court and Tried to Explain.

Camden, Feb. 7.—Charles A. Marshall, who says he is a veteran of the war in the Philippines, and who was near Gen. Lawton when he was killed, faced three women in the Criminal Court yesterday, each of whom claimed him as her husband. The names of the prisoner's three alleged spouses are Harriet Henzel, Jessie M. Evans and Gertrude Marshall.

Marshall pleaded non-vult. He explained that he thought his first wife had got a divorce when he married his second wife, and that he had a smilar impression in regard to No. 2 when he married No. 3. The women chatted together and compared notes in court, and are said to have made dire threats as to what they would do to Marshall if they should ever get hold of him.

Sentence will be pronounced next Friday.

To Serve Sixty-day Sentence.

Califon, Feb. 7.—Being a fugitive from justice thirty days, Halsey Apgar, about twenty-two years old, son of David W. Apgar, of this place, went to Flemington Friday and surrendered himself to Sheriff Opdyke. The sheriff, not having the proper papers, it is said, notified the constable having the commitment papers, and allowed him to go to his home here, on condition that he return to Flemington today and serve the sixty-day sentence imposed by Justice of the Peace J. Wesley Henderson, of this place.

Oppose High License for Autos.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—The State Horticultural Society and the Highway Protective Association, both composed of farmers, have written to Senator William Jackson, the father of a new automobile bill in the Legislature, opposing a high license for automobiles as likely to make the use of the machines too expensive in transferring milk to creameries and farm products to market. They ask, however, that reckless speeding of autos be stopped.

Leading Trenton Men Ill.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—Former Judge Robert S. Woodruff and Benjamin F. Lee, former clerk in the New Jersey Supreme Court, two old time Democratic leaders, are at death's door tonight. Mr. Lee has pneumonia. His son, Francis B. Lee, is a historian and author of note. Judge Woodruff is in Mercer Hospital, suffering from a dangerous stomach trouble.

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NEW YORK AUTO PARTY IS PUT UNDER ARREST.

The Machine Ran Down and Badly Injured a Young Woman in a Harrison Street.

Miss Annie McQuilkin, of Milburn, was struck by an auto as she was alighting from a trolley car yesterday in Harrison, at Davis and Harrison avenues, and was taken to St. James Hospital, Newark, badly cut and bruised.

Police Justice Branegan, who was on the car, had the occupants of the auto arrested, and held them in bail to await the result of Miss McQuilkin's injuries. The autoists were David H. Gaines, owner of the machine, who lives on West Seventy-second street, New York; J. A. Porter, and Miss Margaret Porter, of Asheville, N. C., and the chauffeur, Edward Sansen, of New York.

Ban on Theatrical Lithographs.

At the solicitation of the Hoboken Sunday-school Teachers' Union Senator Minturn is preparing a bill for the Legislature against the indiscriminate posting of theatrical lithographs and other objectionable posters in public places without the consent of the Mayor, chief of police and Board of Education of each municipality. The Senator expects to present the bill to the Legislature not later than tomorrow.

Miss Mabel Whitelock, of Liberty street, has gone to Nyack, N. Y., for a visit with friends.

—Daily Press want ads. pay

AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to change the name of Lane Avenue to Laing Avenue.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the street in said City of Plainfield now known and designated as Lane Avenue shall be hereafter known and designated by the name of Laing Avenue.

Adopted by the Common Council February 5, 1906; aprroved by the Acting Mayor February 5, 1906.

R. I. TOLLES, Acting Mayor.

Attest: J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Linke has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 227 West Front Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Frank Linke.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Findlay has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 123 East Second Street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Alexander D. Findlay.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Christian Gloekler has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 102-104 West Front Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Christian Gloekler.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

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CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many friends for their sympathy to me in my late bereavement and to assure them all of my deep appreciation of the same.

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Tel., call 2014. Westfield Trolley passes my office.

DIED.

KRYMER—On Tuesday, February 6, 1906, David J., son of Jane H. and the late John H. Krymer, aged 35 years.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at his home, 610 Liberty street, on Friday, February 9, at 2:30 p. m. 2 6 3

FRENCH—At Union Village, N. J., February 5, 1906, Margaret B., widow of the late David A. French, in her 90th year.

Funeral from her late residence Thursday morning, February 8, at 10:30. Interment Hillside cemetery.

PECK—On Wednesday, February 7, 1906, Edward Hobart Peck, in his 76th year.

Funeral services at his residence, 430 Orchard place, on Friday, February 9, at 1:15 p. m. Interment in Hillside.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

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DRESSMAKER would like position as seamstress and chambermaid by the day. Address S. F., care Press. 2 5 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 132 Park Ave. 2 5 3

WANTED — Assistant chambermaid and waitress. Apply evenings, 123 West Seventh St. 2 7 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; reference required. 824 Carlton Ave.

WANTED—White girl to do plain cooking, washing and ironing; also cleaning of first floor. Mrs. Lane, 732 Carlton Ave.

WANTED—Seamstress by the day to make children's clothing. Call 723 Central avenue.

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes and do dusting. 816 Carlton Ave. 2 6 3

WANTED—A maid for work in a school. Apply 107 West Seventh St., after 5 o'clock. 2 7 2

Help Wanted.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework; references required. Apply 725 Hobart Ave. 2 6 3

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Colored girl to do laundry work and assist with other work. Mrs. West, 120 Crescent Ave. 2 7 4

WANTED—At once, first-class lathe hand. Apply Rushmore Dynamo Works. 2 7 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; no washing. 15 Jackson Ave., North Plainfield. 2 7 2

WANTED—Competent white woman as cook and laundress. Apply 828 Arlington Ave. 2 7 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply evenings, 111 West Fifth street. 2 7 2

WANTED—A competent white waitress. Apply evenings, 511 West Seventh street. 2 7 3

WANTED—White woman to wash Monday mornings. Address E. X., care Press. 2 5 3

LAUNDRESS wanted for two days each week. 240 East Ninth St. 5 3

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STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

STORE, 187 North avenue, for rent from April 1. Apply room 2, 102 North Avenue. 1 8 tf m w s

TO LET—Four rooms and bath. Enquire 148 East Fifth street. 2 5 6

FLATS to let, $9, $12, $16 per month; improvements. Inquire Adam Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 1 10

TO RENT—Ten-room house; all improvements; in perfect order; to family of adults. Inquire 402 Park avenue. 2 1 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

FURNISHED house wanted by select family, in best locality, for months of March and April; will pay $75 to $100 per month. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 2 6 2

WANTED — Second-hand aquarium; state size and price. Room three, Marsh building.

WANTED—Pony, cart and harness. Address Pony, care Daily Press. 2 7 3

WANTED—Nursing; experienced nurse; will give physician's reference. 115 Church St. 2 3 tf

SMALL farm wanted; 3 miles from Plainfield depot. Address R. A., Press. 2 5 3

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. 10 3 tf

For Sale.

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FOR SALE—At Netherwood, modern ten room house; all improvements; first class condition throughout; large lot; price, $7,000; terms to suit purchaser.

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PLEASANT MEMORIES OF HIS SOUTHERN TRIP

SENATOR KEAN IS NOT INTERESTED IN THE CANNING INDUSTRY.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Pleasant memories of the trip to Trenton still linger with those who were the guests of Senator Dryden last Tuesday. The Senator was as democratic as the humblest secretary in the party. He chatted confidentially with his colleague, Senator Kean; he talked affably with the Congressmen, each in turn, without showing any partiality, and at times he sat and talked on general topics with the newspaper correspondents or some of the secretaries. Throughout the entire trip he was solicitous for the comfort of every person who accompanied him, and everything was done to give all as good a time as possible. In his efforts to take care of the comfort of his guests the Senator was ably seconded by his secretary, George W. Rouzer.

Senator Kean also threw aside Senatorial dignity for a time and entered into the spirit of the occasion with considerable zest. He, like his colleague, divided his time unselfishly among those in the party. He talked with Senator Dryden on matters of interest in the Senate; he probably touched upon the political situation in New Jersey, and lighter topics were talked about with different members of the party. At one time Senator Kean was chatting with three Congressional secretaries and a newspaper man about certain things that might be done with advantage in the State.

Like many others, Senator Kean objects to the misuse of the word "reform." It is used to designate nearly every political movement of late when often those who adopt the word are nothing more than disgruntled politicians, who are "kicking over" the party traces. As Senator Kean aptly put, it the word often means, "I want it," referring, of course, to the party or some gift at the disposal of the party in power.

Senator Kean, in a chat with Governor Stokes at Trenton, told the Governor that he had been characterized by some irresponsible literary hack as being the representative in the United States Senate of the "canning industry" of New Jersey, and, therefore, opposed to the enactment of the pure food bill. This is a statement which is not borne out by facts. In telling the Governor of the new characterization the Senator asked if the canning industry was not located near his home at Millville. He thought if it was there might yet be a chance for Mr. Stokes to become famous through the exploitation of some inaccurate writer.

COLORED COMMITTEE ENDORSES COSEY BILL.

Says Governor Will Sign It If the Measure Passes.

Lawyer A. B. Cosey was present Saturday evening at the meeting of the Colored Republican County Committee at Elizabeth and discussed the bill which he has drawn up and presented to the Legislature, and which is intended to make it a penal offense for any school boards in the State to segregate children of Afro-American parents. Mr. Cosey said that in the event of the bill passing the Legislature he had the assurance of the governor that he would sign it.

Chairman Hawkins, of the committee, said that he had been in communication with the Rev. W. H. Taylor, of the Shiloh Baptist church, who wanted a mass meeting of the colored citizens of the county called to discuss the bill, and offered the use of his church for the purpose. He said it was for the committee to say whether it should endorse the Cosey bill or wait to see what action would be taken by the mass meeting. Henry Wortman, of the Sixth ward, said that he thought immediate action should be taken, as the matter was one of great importance to the colored race, and upon his motion the committee endorsed the bill.

Primus Rice, the chairman of the committee to arrange for the Lincoln dinner, reported that a letter had been received from Eugene M. Gregory, of the office of the Court of Appeals of Trenton, in which he stated that he would accept the committee's invitation to speak on the principal toast at the dinner, "Abraham Lincoln." Mr. Gregory is a lawyer and a graduate of Harvard College.

Thief Choked Him.

Atlantic City, Feb. 7.—In an effort to save his new paddock overcoat, Saturday night, William Springer, a local beau, was badly beaten by a highwayman. Springer had just left the home of a Pleasantville girl, and was walking to a car when a footpad jumped from behind a schoolhouse, pointed a gun at him and demanded money. The young man handed to the highwayman, $4.90, his entire "pile." The two were about to part company, when the highwayman noticed Springer's new coat and demanded it. This was too much for Springer, and he attacked the thief. After the latter had almost choked Springer into insensibility, and failed to get the coat, he dropped his gun and fled.

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LITERARY NOTES.

Judge Tyler's great novel of Southern life, "The K. K. K.," is begun in the National Magazine for February. Strong pictures by M. L. Blumenthal illustrate the text. Charles Warren Stoddard's "A Misadventure in the Campagna," is a thrilling story in the life of this famous author and reveals delightful glimpses of old Rome, most romantic of living cities. "The World for Christ" is Mary Caroline Crawford's story of the growth of the Christian Endeavor Union during its first quarter century now closing. It is freely illustrated from photographs. "When Jill Goes to Boarding School," by W. F. Melton, illustrated by Mr. Blumenthal, recounts some of the amorous adventures that solace the heavy hours of youth seeking an education away from home. Innocent, of course, but highly diverting. "Washington and Lincoln," February's famous sons, are studied in the pithy, epigrammatic style of John McGovern, who considers Washington as "The Ancestor," Lincoln as "The Dictator"—papers in which the republic's founder and its saviour reappear among us in their true characters—our greatest heroes physically as well as intellectually.

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CHAPTER VII.

A POLICE AFFAIR.

"Officers, arrest this fellow!" commanded the young woman. Her gesture was Didoesque in its wrath.

"That we will, ma'am!" cried one of the policemen, flinging himself from his horse. "So it's you, me gay buck? Thirty days fer you an' me.be more. I didn't like yer looks from th' start. You're working some kind of a trick. What complaint, ma'am?"

"Drunkenness and abduction,"—rubbing the burning spot on her cheek.

"That'll be rather serious. Ye'll have to appear against him in th' mornin', ma'am."

"I certainly shall do so." She promptly gave her name, address and telephone number.

"Bill, you drive th' ladies home an' I'll see this bucko to th' station. Here, you!"—to Warburton, who was still dumb with astonishment at the extraordinary denouement to his innocent joke. "Git on that horse, an' lively, or, or I'll rap ye with th' club."

"It's all a mistake, officer—"

"Close yer face and git on that horse. Y' can tell th' judge all that in th' mornin'. I ain't got no time t' listen. Bill, report just as soon as ye see th' ladies home. Now, off with y'. Th' ladies'll be wanting somethin' t' quiet their nerves. Git on that horse, me frisky groom; hustle!" Warburton mechanically climbed into the saddle. It never occurred to him to parley, to say that he couldn't ride a horse. The inventive cells of his usually fertile brain lay passive. "Now," went on the officer, mounting his own nag, "will ye go quietly? If ye don't I'll plug ye in th' leg with a chunk o' lead. I won't stan' no nonsense."

"What are you going to do with me?" asked Warburton, with a desperate effort to collect his energies.

"Lock ye up; mebbe throw a pail of water on that overheated cocoanut of yours."

"But if you'll only let me explain to you! It's all a joke; I got the wrong carriage—"

'Marines, marines! D' ye think I was born yestiddy? Ye wanted th' ladies' sparklers, or I'm a doughhead." The police are the same all over the world; the original idea sticks to them, and truth in voice or presence is but a sign of deeper cunning and villainy. "Anyhow, ye can't turn around Washington like ye do in England, me cockney. Ye can't drive more'n a hundred miles an hour on these pavements."

"But, I tell you—" Warburton, realizing where his escapade was about to lead him, grew desperate. The ignominy of it! He would be the laughing-stock of the town on the morrow. The papers would teem with it. "You'll find that you are making a great mistake. If you will only take me to—Scott Circle—"

"Where ye have a pal with a gun, eh? Git ahead!" and the two made off toward the west.

Once or twice the officer found himself admiring the easy seat of his prisoner; and if the horse had been anything but a trained animal, he would have worried some regarding the ultimate arrival at the third precinct.

Half a dozen times Warburton was of a mind to make a bolt for it, but he did not dare trust the horse or his knowledge of the streets. He had already two counts against him, disorderly conduct and abduction, and he had no desire to add uselessly, a third, that of resisting an officer, which seems the greatest possible crime a man can commit and escape hanging. Oh, for a mettlesome nag! There would be no police-station for him, then. Police-station! Heavens, what should he do? His brother, his sister; their dismay, their shame; not counting that he himself would be laughed at from one end of the continent to the other. What an ass he had made of himself! He wondered how much money it would take to clear himself and at the same moment recollected that he hadn't a cent in his clothes. A sweat of terror moistened his brow.

"What are ye up to, anyway?" asked the policeman. "What kind of booze have ye been samplin'?"

"I've nothing to say."

"Ye speak clear enough. So much th' worse, if ye ain't drunk. Was ye crazy t' ride like that? Ye might have killed th' women an' had a bill of manslaughter brought against ye."

"I have nothing to say; it is all a mistake. I got the wrong number and the wrong carriage."

"Th' devil ye did! An' where was ye goin' to' drive th' other carriage at that thunderin' rate? It won't wash. His honor'll be stone-deaf when ye tell him that. You're drunk or have been."

"Not to-night."

"Well, I'd give me night off t' know what ye were up to. Don't ye know nothin' about ordinances an' laws? An' I wouldn't mind havin' ye tell me why ye threw yer arms around th' lady an' kissed her."—shrewdly.

Warburton started in his saddle. He had forgotten all about that part of the episode. His blood warmed suddenly and his cheeks burned. He had kissed her, kissed her soundly, too, the most radiantly beautiful woman in the world. Why, come to think of it, it was easily worth a night in jail. Yes, by George, he had kissed her, kissed that blooming cheek, and but for this policeman, would have forgotten! Whatever happened to him, she wouldn't forget in a hurry. He laughed. The policeman gazed at him in pained surprise.

"Well, ye seem t' take it good and hearty."

"If you could only see the humor in it, my friend, you'd laugh, too."

"Oh, I would, hey? All I got t' say is that yer nerve gits me. An' ye stand a pretty good show of bein' rounded up for more'n 30 days, too. Well, ye've had yer joke; mebbe ye have th' price t' pay th' fiddler. Turn here."

The rest of the ride was in silence, Warburton gazing callously ahead and the officer watching him with a wary eye to observe any suggestive movement. He couldn't make out this chap. There was something wrong, some deep-dyed villainy—of this he hadn't the slightest doubt. It was them high-toned swells that was the craftiest an' most daring. Handsome is that handsome does. A quarter of an hour later they arrived at the third precinct, where our John was registered for the night under the name of James Osborne. He was hustled into a small cell and left to himself.

He had kissed her! Glory of glories! He had pressed her to his very heart, besides. After all, they couldn't do anything serious to him. They could not prove the charge of abduction. He stretched himself on the cot, smiled, arranged his legs comfortably, wondered what she was thinking of at this moment, and fell asleep. It was a sign of a good constitution and a decently white conscience. And thus they found him in the morning. They touched his arm, and he awoke with a smile, the truest indication of a man's amiability. At first he was puzzled as he looked blinkingly from his jailers to his surroundings and then back at his jailers. Then it all returned to him, and he laughed. Now the law, as represented and upheld by petty officers, possesses a dignity that is instantly ruffled by the sound of laughter from a prisoner; and Mr. Robert was roughly told to shut up, and that he'd soon laugh on the other side of his mouth.

"All right officers, all right; only make allowances for a man who sees the funny side of things." Warburton stood up and shook himself, and picked up his white hat. They eyed him intelligently. In the morning light the young fellow didn't appear to be such a rascal. It was plainly evident that he had not been drunk the preceding night; for his eyes were not shot with red veins nor did his lips lack their usual healthy moisture. The officer who had taken him in charge, being a shrewd and trained observer, noted the white hands, soft and well-kept. He shook his head.

"Look here, me lad, you're no groom, not by several years. Now, what th' devil was ye up to, anyway?"

"I'm not saying a word, sir," smiled Warburton. "All I want to know is, am I to have any breakfast? I shouldn't mind some peaches and cream or grapes to start with, and a small steak and coffee."

"Ye wouldn't mind, hey?" mimicked the officer. "What d'ye think this place is, th' Metropolitan club? Ye'll have yer bacon an' coffee, an' be glad t' git it. They'll feed ye in the messroom. Come along."

Warburton took his time over the coffee and bacon. He wanted to think out a reasonable defense without unmasking himself. He was thinking how he could get word to me, too, The "duffer" might prove a friend in need.

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For Newark—5.35, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.48, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.34, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.33, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 2.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 3.17, 3.36, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 2.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.32, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.32, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Flemington—7.12, 11.00 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.19 p. m. Sundays—8.42 a. m., 5.37 p. m.

For Phillipsburg and Easton—5.25, 8.21, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.41 p. m. Sunday—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

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MME. HUMBERT IS OUT OF PARIS JAIL.

Famous Swindler Released on Condition that She Live with Brother.

Paris, Feb. 7—The notorious Mme. Therese Humbert has been released from prison on condition that she make her home with her brother, Romain d'Aurignac.

Mme. Humbert, with her husband, was sentenced on August 23, 1903, to five years' imprisonment for swindling creditors by representing themselves as heirs to fabulous wealth.

Mme. Humbert stated that at a date which was never give precisely, but which was said to be between 1878 and 1883, there died in a country, which the tribunals never discovered, an American by the name of Henry Robert Crawford, who left to Mlle. Therese d'Aurignac (Mme. Humbert), as the universal legatee, his fortune, estimated at $24,000,000.

This fortune was supposed to be contained in a safe in her house, and the fictitious millions served as security on which loans were raised. The woman is supposed to have got in this manner at least 100,000,000 francs.

Ticket Agent Had "Money to Burn."

Califon, Feb. 7.—As the result of placing his right hand in a bonfire for a shotbag containing money, Charles Cole, assistant Central Railroad station agent here, is suffering with an injured hand. Since the recent unsuccessful attempt to force an entrance to the station it has been the custom of the agent and his assistant to remove the change from the cash drawer and place it in some secluded place in the office. When they closed the office Friday night the bag containing $5 in bills and $12 in coin was placed among the papers in the waste basket. The assistant arrived before the agent at the office Saturday morning, and, thoughtless of the presence of the money, he carried out the waste basket, set fire to the contents and returned to the station before it occurred to him that the money bag was among the contents of the basket. He bolted from the building and plunged his hand in the flames as the "long green" was going up in smoke. He pulled the burning bag from the flames. The bills were badly burned and charred, only half of each remaining. The coin was blackened.

Red Bank Man a Suicide.

Red Bank, Feb. 7.—By drinking two vials of laudanum, Smith Mount, forty years old, of this place, an insurance agent, committed suicide at a Keyport hotel Saturday.

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CLOSED PORTALS.

Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., will meet tonight.

The Women's Relief Corps, auxiliary to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will meet on Friday night.

Plainfield Aerie, No. 866, Fraternal Order Eagles, met last night and initiated two candidates into the mysteries of the order.

Benevolent Council, No. 256, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet Friday night and initiate several candidates. The banquet committee will also make a report.

Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tomorrow night to receive several propositions. The committee in charge of the banquet to be held at the Casino on Thursday, March 1, will hold a meeting to perfect details.

V. W. Nash, past grand master workman of the A. O. U. W., has returned from Woodstown, N. J., where he inspected the local lodge of Workmen. On Friday night Mr. Nash will go to Camden to attend a meeting of Grand Lodge officers.

State Thanks Capt. Casto.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—The House passed yesterday a joint resolution returning the thanks of the State to Capt. Mark Casto and his crew for rescuing the passengers and crew of the steamer Cherokee at Atlantic City. The following bills were passed: Mr. Gibbs' bill changing the annual meeting of Boards of Freeholders from May to January 1; permitting Middlesex county to complete the approach to the Raritan River bridge at Perth Amboy, and the bill authorizing the erection of a monument at Salem Church, Va., in honor of the Twenty-third New Jersey. The House adjourned until today.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. McKane, of South avenue, are entertaining relatives from Northport, L. I.

ACCEPTS INVITATION TO MONUMENT UNVEILING.

Gov. Stokes and President Roosevelt Guests of Honor at Celebration of Red Bank Battle.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—Governor Stokes, after a conference with the Red Bank battle monument commission, has accepted an invitation to be present next June at the unveiling and dedication of the monument erected to commemorate the battle of Red Bank, Gloucester county, fought October 21, 1777.

The battle of Red Bank was one of the decisive moves of the War of the Revolution and elaborate plans are being made for its celebration when the monument is dedicated. President Roosevelt and Governor Stokes will be present, and there will be appropriate military and naval displays.

The battle was fought between General Christopher Green and 400 continental troops, composing the garrison of Fort Mercer at Red Bank, and 2,000 Hessians under Count Donop. The fort mounted but fourteen guns. The Americans won a great victory and the Hessians were completely overwhelmed and put to utter rout. Count Donop was mortally wounded and his command lost 400 men. The American loss was 12 men and one officer.

The monument is a stately shaft surmounted by a statue of a continental soldier. It is being erected under an appropriation of $15,000 made by the Legislature of 1905. The commissioner is composed of William H. Albright, of Woodbury, Sheriff T. Jones and Edward J. Miller, of Gloucester county.

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SNAP SHOTS.

It will be of interest to many to know that during the thirty-seven years of Plainfield's corporate existence as a city, sixteen men have served as mayors from the year 1869 to 1906. Job Male was the first city executive, serving from 1869 to 1870. He was followed by J. H. Evans, 1871-1872; C. H. Stillman, 1873-1874; J. C. Sutphen, 1875-1876; Job Male, 1877-1878; Nathan Harper, 1879-1880; L. V. F. Randolph, 1881-1882; W. B. Maxson, 1883-1884; George W. Rockfellow, 1885-1886; Job Male, 1887-1888, 1889-1890; Alex. Gilbert, 1891-1892-1893-1894-1895-1896; Charles J. Fisk, 1897-1898; George W. Rockfellow, 1899-1900; Olin L. Jenkins, 1901-1902-1903-1904; James F. Buckle, 1905-1906. It will be noticed that Mr. Gilbert served the longest time, six years consecutively, while Job Male served the most number of terms, eight in all. Dr. Jenkins comes next in point of service, having occupied the position four years. During this time there have been ten city clerks, commencing with Nelson Runyon, who held the position from 1869 to 1877. W. L. Hetfield, Sr., and Richard Merritt had the shortest term, one year. The clerks and their terms of service are as follows: Nelson Runyon, 1869-1870-1871-1872-1873-1874-1875-1876-1877; W. B. Smith, 1878-1879; Oliver B. Leonard, 1884-1885; Richard Merritt, 1886; Oliver B. Leonard, 1887-1888-1889; Joseph B. Coward, 1890-1891; Frank W. Runyon, 1892-1893; James T. MacMurray, 1894 to and including 1906.

STATE COMMISSION ON FRANCHISES AND TAXATION.

Report Sent to the Legislature Recommends Neither Startling Changes Nor Reforms.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—The commission appointed by the Legislature to investigate the question of limited franchises and the taxation of public utility companies sent yesterday its report to the Legislature.

Former Governor Voorhees, chairman of the commission, gave out a statement embodying the essential features of the report. It declares the municipal operation of public utility plants, especially trolley lines, to be impracticable, because of their extension through more than one municipality.

It declares that the best system would be where the plants were owned by the municipalities and privately operated.

It is recommended that franchises be limited to thirty-three years, unless municipalities, by a vote of the peoplefi declare for a longer period not to exceed sixty-six years.

At the expiration of a grant it is recommended that the existing company have the preference of renewal at new terms. Where the company does not accept, the old company is to be reimbursed for its assets. It is also recommended that the present restrictions against building opposition lines within two blocks be repealed. Excessive stock and bond issues is condemned, and the Massachusetts plan is advised for the creation of a board tolimit such issues.

A change in the present standard of gas is recommended. The present limitation as to the places in which water companies operate is objected to and it is recommended that all municipalities be given power to acquire, build, own and operate water and light companies. The commission opposes any change in the present method of taxing franchises, but it recommends a change in the rate charge to street railway companies.

It is suggested in the latter case that there be a gradually increasing tax, according to the average annual mileage receipts.

FOR ERRORS COURT JUDGES.

Colby Bill Bars Them from Practising Law.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—Senator Colby is determined that Judge James B. Dill, if he remains on the Court of Errors bench, shall confine his practise to the duties of that office or retire. With that object in view he introduced a bill Monday night, which provides that:

"It shall not be lawful for any judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals to engage in the practise of law in any of the courts of this State, nor in any of the courts of any other State or jurisdiction or otherwise in any manner or form."

The act is short, sharp and incisive, is designed to take effect immediately, and applies not only to Judge Dill, but any other prominent practitioner who may be named as one of what were formerly best known as the "lay judges" of the Court of Errors and Appeals.

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Legal Action Commenced to Collect Two Months' Rent.

Justice V. W. Nash issued a landlord's distress warrant yesterday afternoon for Leifke & Laing, as agents for James W. Jackson, owner of the Jackson building, the papers being served on Coons & Co., who occupy the store in the building. The papers were served by Constable John Manley.

The firm had some trouble recently, there being dissention among the stockholders. A receiver was appointed and it was stated at the company's main office in New York that the difficulties would be adjusted within ten days. It is said that the firm is now indebted to James W. Jackson for the January and February rent, hence the issuance of a distress warrant.

Still Investigating Wreck.

The employes of the New Jersey Central implicated in the recent accident on the road near Berckman street, were summoned to Jersey City yesterday for a further hearing in the matter. The officers of the road have not yet completed their investigation and final disposition of the case has not been made. It is the opinion, however, that Engineer Vannatta, who ran the wild-cat engine, will lose his position.

Plainfielders at Trenton.

Among those who were in Trenton yesterday — Governor's day — were William R. Codington, Mayor Smalley, George Tobin and Adam Blair. Judge Codington went down in the interests of a game measure, Mayor Smalley to watch the auto hearing, and Mr. Blair on private business. Mr. Tobin is a frequent visitor at the State House.

Cops at Legislature

Policemen from various cities were at Trenton yesterday in an effort to have favorable reports made by the committees that have in charge Assemblyman Scott's bills, one providing for summary appeals to the courts where policemen may be dismissed or punished by police boards, and the other allowing a referendum to increase the salaries of policemen.

Manufactures a Failure.

It is reported that the American Engine Company's plant at East Bound Brook, in which Dr. R. V. Pierce is interested, is to be closed down. Two years ago the Cash Registry Company, which occupied the factory, shut up its doors and in turn a piano company and auto concern closed down.

Death of Edward Hobart Peck.

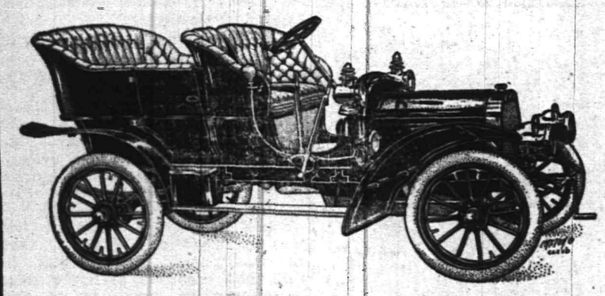
Edward Hobart Peck, for many years a local resident, died at his home on Orchard place early this morning. He was in his seventy-sixth years and leaves a widow and two daughters. The funeral will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 1:15 and interment will be at Hillside cemetery.

Negroes Escape Penalty.

The ten negroes arrested for gambling in a rear room of a West Front street building early Monday morning, were released under suspended sentence after a hearing in the city court at noon today. There was not enough to the case to warrant punishment.

School Teachers to Meet.

The Somerset County School Teachers' Association will meet at Somerville Saturday. Superintendent H. C. Krebs, of the borough, will be in attendance.



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FRESH EGGS, a dozen - - 16c

BARGAINS!

Curtis Blue Label Catsup, 20c kind, a bottle	17c
Lea & Perrin's Sauce, 25c kind, a bottle	19c
Tournade's Kitchen Bouquet, 25c kind, bottle	19c
Liebig's American Beef Extract, 25c kind, jar	19c
Olives, Plain or Stuffed (10c kind), bottle	8c
Jello, Assorted Flavors (10c kind), a pkg	8c
Karo Corn Syrup (10c kind), a can	8c
Shredded Wheat Biscuit, a package	10c
Quaker Puffed Rice, a package	8c
American Mixed Candy (10c kind), lb	7c

BARGAINS!

Salt Mackerel, choice white fish, each	8c
Cromarty Smoked Bloaters, 2 for	5c
Salt Herring, a dozen	20c
Alaska Salmon (13c kind), a can	10c
Marshall's Kippered Herring, a can	14c
Soused Mackerel, 1 lb. tin	14c
McCann's Irish Oatmeal, 5 lb. tin	53c
3 lb. package Prepared Buckwheat	10c
Swift's Lard, a lb	8c
Uneeda Biscuits, a package	4c

$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Parsnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Sweet Potatoes 30c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket White or Yellow Turnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket Red or Yellow Onions 30c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

1 box Gold Medal Cocoa	18c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate	18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract	15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract	15c
1 package Farina	10c
1 package Hasty Tapioca	10c
3 lb. package Rice	20c
2 lb. package Rolled Oats	10c
1 large pkg Wash. Powder	10c
1 package Parlor Matches	12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing	10c

$1 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3 lb. box Cal. Prunes	25c
3 lb. package B. B. Buckwheat	15c
3 lb. can Syrup	15c
1 package Macaroni	10c
1 bottle Scheuer's Catsup	13c
1 bottle Horse Radish	10c
1 bottle Vanilla	15c
1 can Baked Beans	10c
1 can Pumpkin	10c
1 can Beets	12c
1 can Stringless Beans	12c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

Grandma's Cookies, lb	12c
Sultana Fruit Crackers, lb	15c
Fig Bars, lb	12c
Graham Crackers, lb	12c
2 packages Cracker Jack	10c
Chocolate Creams, lb	15c
Cocoanut Bon Bons, lb	12c
French Mixed Candy, lb	12c
Royals, lb	13c
Cocoa Brittle, lb	13c

IN OUR MEAT DEPARTMENT:

$5.00 in Stamps with 5 lb. Rump Roast.

Fresh California Hams (for roasting), lb	10c
Smoked Sugar Cured Cal. Hams, lb	9c
Trenton Prepared Ham, lb	16c
Lean Salt Pork, lb	10c
Honey Comb Tripe, lb	10c
Lamb for stewing	4c

$5.00 in Stamps with 5 lbs. Rump Corned Beef.

Skinned Back Sugar Cured Hams, lb	12c
Jersey Pork Sausage (our own make), lb	12c
Sugar Cured Boneless Bacon (strip), lb	14c
Fresh Killed Turkeys, Roasting Chickens and Young Fowl.	
Shoulder of Lamb to roast	10c

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RESOURCES

Loans and Investments		$1,362,635 62
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		150,000 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer		7,500 00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures		71,202 50
Cash on hand and in Banks		253,917 05
		$1,845,255 17

LIABILITIES

Capital	$ 150,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits, (earned)	195,757 02
Circulation	144,600 00
Deposits	1,354,898 15
	$1,845,255 17

3 PER CENT. INTEREST PAID ON SATISFACTORY CHECKING ACCOUNTS

PLANS TO BEAUTIFY AND IMPROVE BAYONNE.

Board of Trade to Start Crusade for Better Streets and Other Needed Reforms.

The members of the Bayonne Board of Trade have determined to make the city beautiful. At a meeting yesterday they voted to secure improvement of the streets. The members will go around with petitions for property owners to sign, and it is expected that during the coming spring and summer a score of streets will be paved.

The board also favored a bridge across Newark Bay between Bayonne and Elizabethport, a decrease in the high fire insurance rates, street signs, a paid fire department, the development of the two sites called city parks, and the proposed new trolley belt line.

James S. Coward scored the Council for failing to compel the Public Service Corporation to raise its sunken tracks on Avenue C, and Alexander A. McFarlan said the condition of Avenue E, where pedestrians "go neck deep in mud," is a disgrace to the city. He declared prospective purchasers of property became disgusted when they left trains and saw the condition of Avenue E.

Not to Be a Judge.

Former Governor Foster M. Voorhees took occasion to laugh heartily at the yarn that he went to Trenton Monday night to confer with Governor Stokes about a coming appointment to the extra Circuit Court judgeship. "There is nothing in it," declared the former Governor. As a matter of fact, he came to Trenton Monday to confer with the other members of the limited franchise commission, and his call on Governor Stokes that evening was purely social.

Called Out for Grass Fire.

A still alarm was received at fire headquarters yesterday afternoon for a blaze in the tall grass at Arlington avenue and Randolph road. A hose wagon was sent out and the men extinguished the flames in a few moments.

—There remains about three days' work to complete the job of laying the West End avenue storm sewer in the borough and Mayor Smalley hopes to have it finished this week.

ELIZABETH COUNCIL OPPOSES HILLERY TAX.

Urges Senator Ackerman to Give His Support to Repealer.

Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, Assemblymen Tillman and Tucker, were told Monday what the City Council of Elizabeth wants regarding a public dock and recreation pier. To advocate some routine legislation concerning this matter was the primary object of the visit to Trenton of Comptroller Bonnett, City Attorney Connolly and Councilmen English, Nugent and Stein, of the finance and law committees of the Elizabeth City Council.

Incidentally the councilmen urged the pushing through of the bill allowing cities of the second class to build and maintain their own electric lighting and power plants.

The Union county representatives were also urged to work for the repeal of the Hillery maximum tax law. This was one of the main objects of the visit of the committee, but there was little time at their disposal to devote particular attention to any one subject, so that what was said had to be said in short order.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

Divorce Commission.

Governor Stokes named United States Judge W. M. Lanning, Rev. Dr. Henry C. Minton, both of Trenton, and Vice-Chancellor John R. Emery as delegates to the national divorce conference to be held in Washington, D. C., from February 17 to 26. This is the gathering suggested by Governor Pennypacker, of Pennsylvania. The purpose is to endeavor to bring about uniform divorce laws in the United States. All the members of the commission will have to pay their own expenses, as the conference is of private arrangement.

Hearing on Canal Bills.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—The House Judiciary Committee announced that it will give a hearing at 1 p. m. Wednesday, February 14, on the Cortlandt Parker Morris Canal abandonment bill and the measure for the same object which was introduced by Assemblyman Mills, of Morris.

R. V. Hoffman is detained at his home in Westfield by illness.

Elisha McKeon, the nine-year-old son of Patrolman James McKeon, is recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7:04 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:24 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:24 p. m.

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SEWER TO THE RARITAN

Co-operation of North Plainfield, Dewey Park, Lincoln and Beechwood Heights.

CONSIDERED FEASIBLE

Mayor Drake Communicates With Mayor Smalley, Explaining His Ideas in Detail.

The agitation for a sewer system in North Plainfield has now reached a point where definite action is likely to be taken within the next few weeks, and it is possible that the Common Council will pave the way for the beginning at its next meeting. The Board of Health has passed a formal resolution calling upon the authorities to provide the improvement and the opinion prevails that if the matter were left to a vote of the citizens, the result would be an overwhelming positive majority.

Next to the cost the most important question in regard to the installation of a system is the method of disposal and new suggestions are being made every day. One of the most recent broached to Mayor Smalley came recently in a letter from S. D. Drake, the Lincoln real estate man, who has had much experience in this respect. He has studied the North Plainfield situation and discussing it says, among other things:

"Realizing that North Plainfield is growing and expanding westward 'toward Lincoln and the setting sun,' and also thoroughly aware of the fact of the rapid growth of the section west of Dunellen, known as Dewey Park, Lincoln and Beechwood Heights, it seemes to me in the near future these properties should have the benefit of a sewer system to tide water, and it also seems to me that with co-operation with North Plainfield a sewer could be built along a natural course from your borough westward to the Raritan River.

"For many years Roselle Park and Lorraine were without a sewer, but by the co-operation of live men a system was built in these sections and connected with the Elizabeth sewers. In consequence the growth of Roselle Park, Lorraine and El Mora has been remarkable. Without these sewers the land was even poor for farming.

"I believe should you have a committee of your Council take up this subject and look over the territory I name, it would solve the question of so much interest to North Plainfield."

This suggestion by Mr. Drake is similar to one mentioned when the matter of sewers for North Plainfield was first brought up, and is considered by the officials to be feasible. There are other ways of securing proper disposal, however, and all will be looked into fully before any attempt is made at laying pipes. The most sanguine of the boroughites assert their belief that a system will be in operation before another year, and it is the hope of Mayor Smalley and his colleagues that such may be the fact.

COONS & CO.'S STORE DOORS ARE CLOSED.

When Distress Warrant is Issued, Business is Discontinued.

Following the issuing of the landlord's distress warrant by Justice Nash for Leifke & Laing, agents for James W. Jackson, Coons & Co.'s store on West Front street was closed yesterday by the manager, Mrs. F. W. Woolworth. This was probably done in accordance with an order from W. Gordon Murray, who was appointed receiver for the firm recently.

It was expected that the firm's troubles would be adjusted before this, but so far as the local business is concerned it owed the landlord two months' rent and the agents for the property had the distress warrant issued to protect the owner. Inquiry about the firm's business was made today at the usual places, but no information could be obtained as to future plans, and it is not known whether the store will be reopened or not. After the issuing of such a warrant, ten days is given to replevin or settle the claim.

Block Signals Twisted.

The block signals on the Central Railroad between Garwood and Jersey City were kinked in some way this noon, and all the signals on both sides were set against traffic. The 12 o'clock train from New York stopped four times between Jersey City and Garwood. After the latter place the going was uninterrupted.

Gospel Work at Gloucester.

Robert Love, of this city, well known as an evangelist, is assisting in a special series of meetings in a Gloucester Baptist church.

Miss Nellie Clarkson, of East Sixth street, is visiting friends in Brooklyn for a few days.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT FOR CHURCH MUSIC FUND

HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR HELD BY HOLY CROSS P. E. CHURCH.

For the benefit of the music fund of Holy Cross P. E. church a musical entertainment was held at the Park Club last night. The affair was a marked success. The programme was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience.

The numbers of the first part included songs by Mrs. W. L. Saunders, Miss Ethel Gregg, Willard Wadsworth and Harold Bradley, a boy soloist from an Orange Episcopal church; banjo selections by Fred Van Eps, humorous monologues by H. E. Hayden, and classical selections by a mechanical piano player. Morgan Taylor Townsend played the player. The numbers were all admirable, and demands for encores were persistent and insistent.

Part two was a minstrel act, entitled "The Stanley Dwarfs," in which George Dupee, F. J. Pope, Charles Barlow, John Calder, F. J. Iglehardt, Charles Western and an unknown took part. Mr. Dupee, as an African chief, introduced a line of "dwarfs" on a fence, and they plunged immediately into a rapid-fire potpourri of jokes and melodies. The chief and his dwarfs scored a decided hit.

WITNESS SEEKS TO CONDUCT COURT CASE

GETS ANGRY BECAUSE HE IS NOT ALLOWED TO QUESTION HIMSELF.

In an attemtp to prove that John P. M. Joseph, of Cranford, guilty of cruelty in shooting a dog belonging to Mrs. Adelaide L. Stevenson, a neighbor, on December 24 last, all sorts of complications arose in the Union County Court this morning. The plaintiff, represented by Lawyer Park, of Cranford, at first acknowledged that he killed the animal, and subsequently declared that he was not sure that he did.

Lawyer Park took the stand after his client, and sought to prove that Winfield S. Stevenson, husband of the plaintiff, could not be believed. His remarks became so personal that the court restrained him. The witness then requested that he be allowed to ask and answer his own questions, but was informed by the court that trials were not conducted in that way. Parks became very indignant and in his summing up declared that if a verdict was returned against his client it would make his ancestors turn over in their graves.

Mr. Joseph was charged by the State with shooting Mrs. Stevenson's pet dog. When her husband came home he called on Joseph to ask about the affair. The latter, it is said, told him that he did not know the animal belonged to him.

The case went to the jury at 11 o'clock, after summing up by Prosecutor English and the sensational plea of Lawyer Park for his client.

NEGRO'S MURDER TRIAL SET FOR FEBRUARY 13.

Court Assigns Alvah A. Clark to Defend Rev. James A. Watson.

The trial of Rev. James A. Watson, the colored preacher who killed James Christopher in a quarrel on Warren street last fall, has been set down for Tuesday of next week in the County Court at Somerville. Alvah A. Clark has been assigned as his counsel, and it is said he has prepared to make a vigorous fight to have the prisoner acquitted.

Members of the lawyer's office staff were in the borough yesterday making careful measurements of Christopher's home, where the fight started, and on the sidewlak in front, where the preacher used a razor with deadly effect. Mr. and Mrs. Max Michaelson, George Feller and Marshals Weiss, Flack and Pope have been summoned as witnesses. The number in all for both sides is small and it is thought the trial will not require more than two days.

Sues For Commission.

John Consoli started suit for $50 against Henry De Mott, in Justice Smalley's court this morning. The plaintiff alleges that he sold a house on Harmony street for the defendant, under a commission agreement, and that the defendant has refused to recognize his obligation. Lawyer Fred J. Huff represents Consoli.

Plant Not to Close Down.

Some one started a report yesterday that the American Engine Company's plant at East Bound Brook was about to close down. The rumor was declared by an official of the concern this morning to be without foundation. "We are doing a big business and are prosperous in every way," he declared.

PLAINFIELD PETITIONS IN THE U. S. SENATE

SENATOR KEAN AND CONGRESSMAN FOWLER RECEIVE COMMUNICATIONS.

Among the petitions received in the United States Senate yesterday protesting against the seating of Senator Smoot, were those from the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church and the Women's Christian Temperance Union, both of this city.

Senator Kean also received petitions from the citizens of Plainfield favoring separate Statehood for Indian Territory. In addition there was received in the House petitions from George H. Goddard, of this city, and the New Jersey Federation of Women's Clubs, urging the passage of pure legislation.

These petitions were presented by Congressman Charles H. Fowler. All of these petitions took the usual course.

LINCOLN DAY EXERCISES IN THE BOROUGH SCHOOLS.

Martyred President's Birthday to Be Observed by the Pupils.

It is required by law that Lincoln's birthday be observed in all public schools in the State of New Jersey by appropriate exercises on the last school day before February 12, and the borough schools are arranging to have an unusually interesting occasion tomorrow.

Judd Stewart, of North Plainfield, has placed at the service of the school his entire collection of portraits, contemporary caricatures, war time views, autographs, facsimiles and other rare and interesting prints relative to Lincoln. Many of these have been selected for an exhibit. It will be held tomorrow in the library of the Somerset School. As Mr. Stewart's collection is one of the finest extant, these portraits will prove of much interest and benefit.

Through the courtesy of Francis D. Tandy, of Plainfield, two hundred copies of "Abraham Lincoln, an Appreciation," have been provided for distribution to the pupils of the High School.

At 12 o'clock an address will be given by ex-Assemblyman S. S. Swackhamer to the pupils of the High School on Abraham Lincoln. The public is invited to attend the exercises and view the exhibit at the close.

Paper on Congo State.

A large number attended the meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church held yesterday afternoon in the church lecture room and listened to a paper on "Congo State (Central Africa)," by Mrs. William A. Connor. She described graphically the explorations and discoveries, the formation of the Congo Free State and the outrages perpetrated in the name of civilization. Mrs. Chambliss, who presided, claimed that missionaries and their story of Christ were the hope of Africa. The devotional service was led by Mrs. I. M. Runyon, and current events were given by Mrs. Walter C. Dobbins.

Everything in Readiness for Smoker.

No tickets of admission will be required of those attending the college smoker at the Casino tomorrow night. The committee urges that the patrons be present at 9 o'clock, when the festivities will begin. Samuel St. John McCutchen will be the toastmaster. As it has been necessary to make some changes in the speakers, the complete list cannot be give now. The affair will in no sense be a banquet, but at 11 o'clock a buffet supper will be served. The press agent says there will be plenty to eat, drink and smoke.

Relations to Continue.

Upon the recommendation of the music committee, the official board of the First M. E. church decided last night to engage J. Edmund Skiff, organist and choirmaster, for another year and to continue the present music relations, which have been very satisfactory. This arrangement will be continued for the next conference year. Mr. Skiff will continue the vested choir.

Evangelistic Services Will Continue.

As a result of the evangelistic services being held Sunday evenings at the Park Avenue Baptist church twenty persons have signified a desire to become Christians. The services will be continued every Sunday night for the present under the direction of the pastor, Rev. A. E. Finn.

Juniors Will Attend Funeral.

The members of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., are urged to meet at the lodge rooms, 119 West Front street, tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of the late member, David J. Krymer, to be held from the home in Liberty street at 2:30 o'clock.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

APPEARANCES DECEIVING

Cop Thought Drunk a Tramp Until He Showed His Roll of Bank Notes.

STAGGERS THE CHIEF

John Tappen Hands Over a Bill For His Appearance Before Mayor Smalley in Police Court.

Chief Marshal Weiss, of the borough police force, got one of the greatest surprises of his official career last night, shortly after John Tappen, of Piscataway, was arrested by Marshal Flack for drunkenness. The prisoner said he was a farmer, and judging from his appearance it looked as though crops had failed for the past ten years. There wasn't one of the officers about headquarters who surmised he could scare up ten cents, and nobody thought to ask him if he could produce bail. Tappen broached the question himself, however, and when Chief Weiss replied with a smile that he could get out by depositing $10 he thought that was the end of it.

Instead, the prisoner shoved a grimy hand in the pocket of a pair of faded blue overalls and hauled up a roll of bills that "would choke a horse." The chief's eyes bulged, and when he craned his neck for a closer view he saw the greenbacks were well above the one and two dollar denominations. Tappen flipped them over in an unconcerned manner and whipping off a ten-spot handed it out to the head of the force, who took it in a sort of a daze. Marshal Flack hastily opened the cell door, under the impression that he had locked up a millionaire, and with the politeness of a Chesterfield led the farmer to the street.

There he was instructed to appear before Mayor Smalley tonight, but the opinion prevails in police circles that Wealth-laden Tappen will not bother to come back after his bill.

FIGHTING TRIO FINED.

One of Them Warned by Mayor Smalley His Limit Reached.

Howard Sharp, Martin Duffy and Willis Bellis pleaded not guilty to quarreling and fighting on Somerset street, when arraigned before Mayor Smalley yesterday afternoon. Duffy had retained Lawyer William G. DeMeza to defend him while the others were not represented. Their stories were not accepted by His Honor and Sharp and Duffy were fined $5 each and Bellis $3.

It was not Sharp's initial appearance in court and he was warned by the mayor that his return, no matter what the offense, would result in his getting a term at Somerville. The trio was arrested at midnight Monday by Marshal Flack.

Postoffice Building Plans.

The new postoffice to be erected in Elizabeth will be a one-story and basement structure, if the recommendation of the treasury department is followed. This much has been learned through the report of an agent of the treasury department who was sent to Elizabeth to investigate conditions for the benefit of the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds of the United States Senate while it was considering the bill providing for the recent increase in the limit of cost of the new building.

Municipal Ownership Bill.

A bill authorizing townships to construct and maintain water works to supply water for public and domestic uses, was introduced in the lower branch of the Legislature yesterday by Assemblyman Randolph Perkins, of Westfield. It authorizes any number of persons, not less than seven, a majority of whom shall reside in the State, to form corporations for the purposes named. The act was prepared and reported by the 1904 commissioners and as stated applies to townships.

Pastor Norseen Now An Editor.

Rev. O. G. Norseen, former pastor of the Swedish Pilgrim church, now stationed at Worcester, Mass., renewed old acquaintances in town today. Mr. Norseen is now a newspaper man as well as a clergyman, having been made associate editor of the New Eastern Weekly, printed at Worcester and rated as one of the most influential Swedish newspapers in the country.

Got His Client Off.

In the Criminal Court of Newark yesterday Lawyer F. J. Huff, of this city, secured the dismissal of a complaint of disorderly conduct against Isadore Zuckeran, made by L. Yentoff.

Fined Colored Virginian.

F. V. Hunt, a Virginia negro who has not been in town long, was arrested last night for being very drunk on West Front street. Judge Runyon fined him $3 or ten days.

FAMOUS CORNETIST MOVES TO FANWOOD

W. S. MYGRANT, BANDMASTER OF 13TH REGIMENT BAND, WOULD FORM BAND.

W. S. Mygrant, leader of the Thirteenth Regiment band, and a noted cornet soloist, is the latest addition to the number of distinguished men who have made their residence in this neighborhood. Mr. Mygrant has moved from Brooklyn to Fanwood, and expects to build a home there or in Netherwood in the spring.

Mr. Mygrant is one of the best known cornetists in the country. He was soloist at one time for Bayne's famous Twenty-third Regiment band, and ranks with the highest artists among players of wind instruments. He is noted, for one thing, as the man who has sounded the thrill in the cornet for the longest continuous time on record. He has held the note for two minutes and four seconds, demonstrating that it is possible to breathe while sounding the instrument.

Mr. Mygrant has received many highly complimentary notices from the press of New York and Brooklyn. In the musical world, according to the metropolitan papers, he is one of the very bright stars. As a cornet soloist he stands equal to the greatest in the world. As a bandmaster, he is equally proficient. As an organizer and teacher, perhaps, he has no equal in the country.

Sixteen years ago Mr. Mygrant began teaching in New York, under an annual contract a class of eighty boys. All the instruments required in a first class military band were introduced, and he had to teach them all. In 1900 he organized the band of the New York fire department, and in the course of its two years of existence obtained remarkable results.

It was in 1901 that the crowning feature of his work was undertaken, when he organized a band for the Thirteenth Regiment from its regularly enlisted soldiers of the various companies. The band was a great success, and so recognized by the metropolitan musical world and the papers. This band has been watched and highly commended by the U. S. Army and National Guard. There are at present seventy-four members. Less than two years ago Mr. Mygrant organized a band of sixty men for the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, which has made wonderful progress. The officers of the company presented Mr. Mygrant with a handsome gold medal.

Mr. Mygrant says he believes there is talent and a disposition for such an organization in Plainfield. In another column he advertises for private pupils. Should they be sufficient in number to warrant it, he will devote one night each week to the instruction of such an organization, and will form a correct military band of fifty or sixty men. He is confident that they would be qualified to appear in concerts the second year of the band's existence, and if they stood by them he would show them at some of the great expositions soon after.

Mr. Mygrant played at one of the band concerts here last summer. After his solo number he gave his thrill-note exhibition, and led the band.

LINCOLN ANECDOTES.

S. S. Swackhamer Will Tell Them at Y. M. C. A. Entertainment.

A Lincoln's Day entertainment has been arranged at the Y. M. C. A., in which several local people will take part. E. C. Martin will sing, accompanied by Dr. Buchanan, and former Assemblyman S. S. Swackhamer will tell anecdotes of the emancipation.

Mr. Swackhamer has often been compared to Lincoln by admiring clients and constituents, so his part in the programme is more than ordinarily interesting. The Musical Stewarts will be the great feature of the entertainment. Miss Charlotte Conger, of this city, is their accompanist.

This Autoist Stopped.

Mrs. Laura Bullman, of Scranton, who is visiting Mrs. Morris Linbery, of West Third street, was struck and knocked down by an automobile at Plainfield avenue and West Front street yesterday afternoon. She ran across the street in front of a car and found herself in the path of the auto, which was driven by John Willing, of East Orange. The front of the machine struck Mrs. Bullman a glancing blow, and she was thrown several feet. Her injuries were not serious. The autoist stopped and left his card with her.

Elected New Exalted Ruler.

At the regular meeting, last night, Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., elected Alexander D. Findlay as exalted ruler to succeed William N. Runyon, resigned. He was installed at once and is now at the head of this popular organization.

—Get right with God.

PEOPLE TO CHOOSE THE U. S. SENATORS

REPUBLICAN LEADER HILLIERY INTRODUCES A BILL PROVIDING DIRECT VOTE

A new bill to provide for the expression of popular opinion in the selection of United States Senators from this State was introduced by Leader Hillery in the Upper House at Trenton yesterday, and the fact that he offered it may be construed to mean that the plan provided for in the measure is favored by the administration. If it passes it will affect the election of the successor to Senator Dryden next year. It provides that the year before that in which a Senator is to be chosen, one hundred voters of any county may unite in a petition prior to the primaries in favor of any man that may be desired for selection. The petition is to be verified by the oaths of ten signers and then filed with the county clerk. He shall certify the names of nominees to all clerks of municipalities in the county at least ten days before the primaries. The municipal clerks shall print the names of candidates for Senator under the line "Favored for United States Senator." The names of all the candidates shall be printed in alphabetical order. The municipal clerk, five days after the primary election, shall certify the results of the vote to the county clerk, who shall tabulate the returns. Before the meeting of the Legislature by which the Senator is to be chosen, the county clerk of such county shall send to every members elected to the Legislature, a certified copy of the total returns to be sent to each member elected to the Legislature.

MRS. JANE RUNYON DEAD.

Mother of J. D. Runyon Dies in Her Ninety-third Year.

Mrs. Jane Runyon, mother of the late John D. Runyon, of this city, and widow of Ephraim J. Runyon, of New Market, died yesterday, aged ninety-two years, at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. E. V. Barrows, 138 Chilton street, Elizabeth.

Mrs. Runyon was born at New Market and lived there the greater part of her life. Afterward she came to this city, where he resided about five years. Since then she has made her home in Elizabeth. She was one of the oldest members of the New Market Baptist church, and always retained her letter there. She was a devoted Christian and during her younger years was active in church work.

Besides a daughter-in-law she is survived by one son, Durell Runyon, of Kansas, and a granddaughter, Mrs. George Gillespie, of Pennsylvania. The funeral services will be held from her late home in Elizabeth Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, and the interment will be in the Baptist cemetery in Plainfield avenue.

Passed With Honors.

Miss Ada Westphal, daughter of Freeholder William A. Westphal, has just won high honors in the Newark Normal Training School. She was one of twelve in a class of fifty-six to pass the mid-winter examination, and she did so without a single condition. This entitles her to a promotion. Miss Westphal is the youngest member of the school and reflects credit upon her training in the Plainfield High School, from which she was graduated.

New Military Bill.

The bill to place New Jersey within the provisions of the Dick federal military law, was introduced in the Legislature yesterday by Senator Frelinghuysen, of Somerset. It is a repetition of the bill which caused such lively fights during the session of 1904 and provides that the State shall take advantage of the national law so as to receive the benefit of the appropriations provided in it.

Here and There in London.

Under the auspices of the Young Women's Society of the First Baptist church, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, the pastor, will give an illustrated lecture on Tuesday night, February 20, on the subject of "Here and There in London." Dr. Chambliss will exhibit about 100 views and relate some of his personal experiences while on a visit to London.

No Ice Harvesting.

Ice has reached a thickness of five inches on the ponds in this vicinity. Two of the leading ice harvesters in this city were asked if they had any intention of cutting, this morning, and they promptly scouted the idea. McDonough Bros. said they might cut a little later in the week, if the ice held out, for their own use, but they were not certain.

Cricket Club Officer.

Albert Schoolden, of this city, has been chosen vice-captain of the Bound Brook Cricket Club. The organization is anxious to hear from Plainfield candidates for membership.

NEW MAXIMUM TAX BILL

Hillery Introduces Measure For Which the Pary Leaders are Supposed to be Sponser.

ITS CHIEF PROVISIONS

Bill Aims to Correct Shortcomings of the Present Law Which is Now Under Fire.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—A new maximum tax rate bill made its appearance in the Senate yesterday, being introduced by Senator Hillery, the father of the present law. Its friends, however, say that it is not a new law, as all it does is to make some changes in the old law. If the present law, they say, should be repealed by the Legislature, the new bill furnishes a plan whereby the rate can be reduced by slow stages. Of course, if the bill introduced yesterday morning is passed, it will repeal the Hillery law.

The text of the new bill is as follows:

"One—In all taxing districts of this State whose tax rate for the year 1905 for county, school districts or local purposes, did not exceed two dollars for the $100 of assessed valuation, the tax rate for county, school districts or local purposes for the year 1906, shall not exceed the said tax rate for the year 1905, and thereafter such tax rate shall be diminished annually at the rate of not less than five cents on the $100 of assessed valuation, unless it is reduced to $1.75 on the $100 of assessed valuation, and thereafter the permanent limitation of taxes for such county, school districts and local purposes shall be $1.75 on the $100 of assessed valuation.

"Two—In all taxing districts of this State whose tax rate for county, school districts and local purposes for the year 1905 exceeded $2 on the $100 of assessed valuation, the tax rate for such county, school districts and local purposes for the year 1906 shall not exceed such tax rate for the year 1905, and thereafter such tax rate shall be diminished annually at the rate of not less than ten cents on the $100 of assessed valuation until reduced to $2 on the $100 of assessed valuation, and thereafter shall be reduced annually at the rate of not less than five cents until it reaches $1.75 on the $100 of assessed valuation, and thereafter the permanent limitation of taxes for such county, school districts and local purposes shall be $1.75 on the $100 of assessed valuation.

"Three—When the tax rate in each district in any county of this State shall have been reduced to $1.75, as provided in sections one and two of this act, the tax rate for county purposes shall not in any case exceed fifty cents on the $100 of assessed valuation.

"Four—The limitations imposed by sections one and two of this act upon the tax rate in any taxing district shall not apply to the tax rate required to raise the State tax, the State school tax or to pay judgment against the taxing district, which may be imposed in addition to the limited rate herein fixed.

"Five—Any tax levied in excess of the limitation imposed by sections one and two hereof shall be void as to such excess.

"Six—This act shall take effect immediately."

Surprise Party.

A surprise party in honor of John Alster was held at the home of Adam Alsier last night. Phonograph and piano selections were the entertainment features. Refreshments were served. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woolston, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bohren, Mr. and Mrs. George Scribner, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. J. B. Loughead, Mrs. John Alster, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Terry, Miss Clara Weber, George Wilson, of Elizabeth, and John Conway.

At Millionaire's Class.

Fred B. Smith, secretary of the International committee of the Y. M. C. A., who will be the guest of honor and chief speaker at a banquet to be given at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow night, will speak before the Bible class of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., at the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, New York. There is a special series of meetings on.

Guests of Elizabeth Company.

The non-commissoned officers of Company K went to Elizabeth last night as the guests of Company C, of that city, at its annual reception and dance. In addition to a large number of guardsmen, prominent men of the city and county were in attendance. The affair was one of the most successful Company C has yet conducted.

Otto Muller will play the 'cello at the Sunday afternoon men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A.

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39c, 50c, 75c and 98c
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Skirts—Lace and Emb. trimmed, deep flounce,
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Washable Collars, Emb. Linen, in several styles, from
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50c Fancy Silks, also plain colors, about 500 yards, suitable for waists, linings and fancy work, tomorrow on bargain table.. 25c

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75c Fancy Silks, Fancy Taffetas, Satins, Brocades, Printed China for waists and dresses. On bargain table..... 39c

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New line just in. Comforts, full size, at
98c, 1.25, 1.39, 1.49.
Blankets, all sizes and weights,
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Ladies' All linen Handkerchiefs, 15c quality for
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To Mark Samter and Mrs. Mark Samter, His Wife, Mary H. Harlem and James L. Harlem, Her Husband.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, That at a public sale made by the Collector of the City of Plainfield, on the 21st day of September, 1900, the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield purchased for the sum of Twenty-one Dollars and One Cent ($21.01) and that on the Twelfth Day of April, 1901, by assignment of Certificate of Sale duly executed by the proper parties, I purchased for the sum of Fifty-eight Dollars and Forty-eight Cents ($58.48) (which sum includes taxes for the years 1898, 1899 and 1900) all the land and real estate situate in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, fronting on Raymond Avenue, being laid down and designated as Lots No. 23-25 Raymond Avenue, in Block No. 154, in the First Ward of said City, upon the official assessment map of the City of Plainfield, on file in the Office of the City Collector. Said sale being made pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey, passed March 30th, 1886, entitled, "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in the cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment," and the several supplements and amendments thereof.

AND YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED, That you appear or claim to have an estate or interest in said land and real estate, and unless the said land and real estate shall be redeemed as provided in said Act, before the expiration of six months from and after the service hereof, and when one year has elapsed from and after the time of said sale, a deed for the same will be given conveying to the purchaser the fee simple of said land and real estate according to the provisions of said Act.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1906.
Sale No. 54 of 1900.
Frank Huntington,
1 18 7 oaw th Purchaser.
Fees $14.40.

To Mary Harlem and James L. Harlem, Her Husband.

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Dated, Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1906.
Sale No. 56 of 1900.
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Fees $14.40.

To Mary H. Harlem and James L. Harlem, Her Husband, Samuel Harlem and Mrs. Samuel Harlem, His Wife.

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NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS.

Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of Mary L. Force, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1906, on the application or the undersigned, as Executor of the estate of Mary L. Force, deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said Mary L. Force, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscriber within nine months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.

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EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscribers, executors of Michael Nugent, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of March next.

Dated, January 29, 1906.
MARY NUGENT,
EDWARD MAHER.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, substituted administrator with the will annexed of Michael F. Marcley, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of March next.

Dated, January 31, 1906.
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9206 'Neath the Spreading Chestnut Tree (Song) — Irving Gillette
9207 Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms (Song) — Marie Narelle
9208 Pocahontas (Song) — Edward M. Favor
9209 Titania, Air de Ballet — Edison Concert Band
9210 Is Everybody Happy? (Song) — Madge Maitland
9211 Robinson Crusoe's Isle (Song) — Arthur Collins
9212 My Mother's Old Red Shawl (Song) — MacDonough and Bichling
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The furniture on sale at Powlison & Jones' store, East Front street, presents many attractions for the prospective buyer. The sets and single pieces are all well made and artistic. There is no "dead wood" in the stock.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

James F. Parker will speak and Miss Grace J. Carroll, contralto of the choir of the Crescent Avenue church, will sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. There will also be instrumental music.

Three years of pastoral work were completed by the Rev. Dr. Travis B. Thames as pastor of the First Baptist church, Elizabeth, on Sunday, and in the morning, before a large congregation, he delivered a brief sermon, in which he congratulated the church on the unanimity of Christian fellowship which had prevailed since he became pastor.

Rev. William Whiting Davis has announced to the congregation of Christ Episcopal church, East Orange, of which he is rector, that he had accepted a call to become curate at the Church of the Transfiguration, New York. His resignation takes effect March 1, at which time Mr. Davis will have been rector in East Orange for twelve years, lacking one month.

PATENT MEDICINE REGULATOR.

Requires Label on Goods Setting Forth Their Ingredients.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—Senator Cornish introduced a patent medicine bill which requires all goods of that character sold in the State to have attached a label showing in detail the ingredients of the medicine in question.

The object of the bill, the Senator says, is to prevent the use of alcohol and drugs of various characters in alleged "cure-alls," many of which, he declares, are positively injurious to such an extent that their use should be prohibited. The label would preclude the use of alcohol entirely, and the schedule of ingredients, the introducer says, would stop the use of opium, morphine and many other drugs now surreptitiously used.

Recent exposures of fake cures and sudden deaths from the use of such methods, the Senator insists, require legislative action.

Jack Elliott at the Fair.

Another good-sized crowd was at the band concert fair in Saengerbund Hall, last night, and enjoyed the songs rendered by Jack Elliott. He gave several of the best selections from "Forty-five Minutes from Broadway," responding to encores each time. The "big night" of the week comes tonight when "Billy" Redmond, Eddie Weston and Louis Anderson provide the entertainment.

John Kosh, of Boston, is the guest of his cousin, Frank Dencklau, of Fairview avenue.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Dave Taylor's application for a license for his Lincoln hotel has been laid over again by the court. He is under indictment for alleged illegal selling and keeping a disorderly house, and it is rumored that he will not be given a renewal. It is said that he is trying to sell his place, having decided that there is very little hope of getting a license.

The Oriental Court of W. G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., met after the council meeting Tuesday night, and arranged an initiation for February 29. Seven candidates will go through. A "blow out" will follow the initiation.

Robert L. Pierce has set up in business as a general collector. He is thinking of opening an office in Plainfield. Mr. Pierce is also giving attention to real estate and bond and mortgage loans.

Bartley Kelly was reported to be improving steadily yesterday afternoon. The hospital doctors are said now to be hopeful of his recovery. He took a decided turn for the better Tuesday night.

County Commissioner Bunting and the other officials passed through the borough yesterday afternoon on a road inspecting trip. They stopped to call on H. S. Garretson.

The Baptist church Christian Endeavor Society will hold a sociable at the home of Mrs. R. L. Pierce tomorrow night.

Mrs. H. S. Garretson has returned from a several days' visit to Mrs. Gertrude Garretson, of Raritan Landing.

A large number of P. H. S. hockey players were on the New Market pond yesterday afternoon.

Paul Kratzel opened his meat market in Garwood this week. His venture looks successful.

John Peters, Jr., has given up his position in Plainfield to devote all his time to his pool room.

William Laible has returned to his post as bartender in Maier's hotel after a brief vacation.

Alpheus Mundy, of New Brunswick, visited Recorder D. S. Campbell yesterday.

Ziba Osmun has resumed charge of his stage route after a long attack of the grip.

William Smalley is able to leave the house again, after a two weeks' illness.

Joseph Maier has been laid up several days with rheumatism.

William Sanford spent yesterday out of town on a business trip.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The funeral of the late Edward M. Johnston was held yesterday afternoon from the home at 2 o'clock. The service was private, only the relatives and a few intimate friends being present. Rev. T. Moore-Smith had charge of the service, which was simple in character. The speaker chose no particular subject for his text, but spoke reminiscently of the man as the township of Fanwood had known him for the past forty years. During his remarks he spoke comforting words to the bereaved family and sorrowing relatives. Interment was made in the North Plainfield cemetery, the pall bearers being four sons, John, William D., George H., Robert T., Charles Dodd, of Elizabeth, and William H. Johnston.

Funeral services of Mrs. Lynus Walpole, who died at her home Tuesday night after an illness of several weeks, will be held tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock at the home and 9 o'clock at St. Mary's church, Plainfield. Interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery. Mrs. Walpole's death came as a shock to her family and friends as she had been improving from her illness and hopes were entertained of her ultimate recovery. Tuesday night her condition took a sudden change and she passed away about 11 o'clock.

Fanwood Bucket and Engine Co. transacted only the regular routine business at the monthly meeting of the company held last night. The little celebration which had been planned to commemorate the victory over the Excelsior boys at the election for department officers held two weeks ago was postponed indefinitely on account of the death of Edward M. Johnston, father of George and James Johnston, both active members of the company.

The Women's League holds an important meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Meyers' Hall. All women interested in the work of the league are urged to be present.

The Suburban A. C. dance tonight in the club's cozy little hall promises to be as successful as its predecessors and the committee in charge is expecting a large attendance.

Samuel Walpole has returned from a stay with relatives and friends in New York State.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tonight in the library rooms.

Victor Coles has taken a position with C. A. Smith, of Fanwood.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Following is the roll of honor of the Piscataway Schools for January:

Maple Grove—Ruth Morris, Emily Brentnall, Rhoda Gray, Edith Gray, Annie Winkelholz, Alice Brentnall, Willie Morris, Willie Martin.

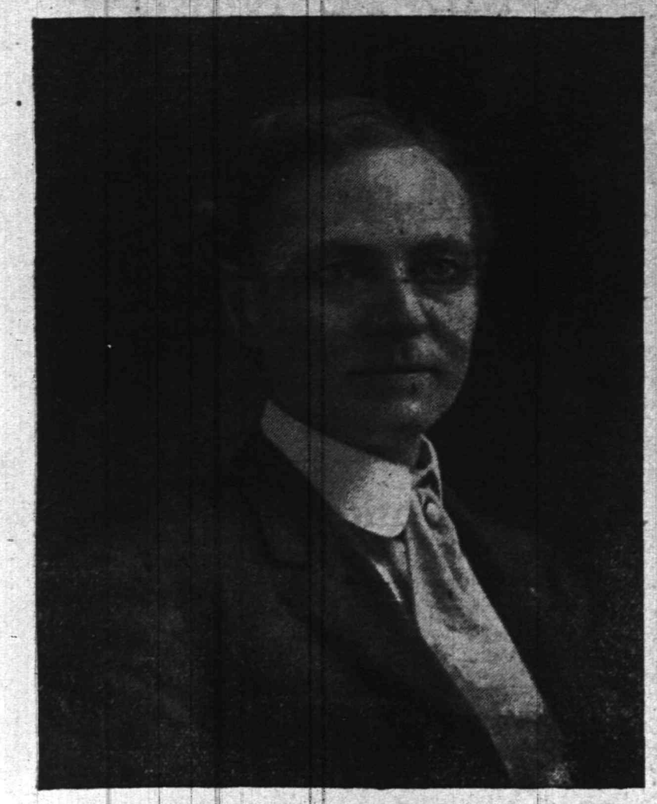
Union School—Ruth Petersen, Gertrude Bunting.

Pierce School—Sarah Dayton, Bessie Lichtendorf, Emma Conover, Minnie Naylor, Clementine Petit, Joseph Morecraft, Josephine Baker, Clara Provost, Charlie Freuler, Elsie Fisher, Arnold Stuckley, Theodore Olmstead, Harry Bernstein, Edmund Freuler, John Washelwig, Albert Giles, Elsie Kean, Minnie Gallagher, Anton Nodes, Iva Jones, Anna Giles, Fred Wagner, Lizzie Newman, Marie Johnson, Laura Smith, John Mansen, Stephen Fisher, Jennie Lichtendorf, Gussie Brugger, Russel Perrine, Martin Vogt, Arthur Johnson, Abnerine Cleaver, Bennie Giles, John Sebring, John Archibald, Norman Vogt.

New Market—Grace Burdick, Minnie Bays, Barbara Bieler, Kathryn Kerwin, Edna Dutcher, Michael Kirwin, Eva Schneider, Agnes Kerwin, James Bays, Karl Bieler, Maud Rupell, George Coriell, Mabel Whitford, Lester Nelson, Merle Randolph, Frank Coriell.

South Plainfield—Matilda Morgan, Maud Morgan, Nellie Riddle, Annie Bohl, Norman Major, John Miller, Frank Phillips, Nora Maguire, Joseph Duffy, Harry Randolph, Robert Hamilton, Willie Reilley, Edgar Riddle, Martin McDonough, Isaac Randolph, John Anderson, Tessie Hannon, May Duffy, Madeline Reilley, Veronica Reilley, Loretta Sofield, Helen Richards, Gracie Boss, Mildred Morgan, Myrtle Bailey, Dorothy Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hopkins, of East Third street, are entertaining relatives from Wilkes-Barre, Pa.



Clarence Bennett, Author of "The Holy City," at New Plainfield Theatre This Afternoon and Night.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The production of "The Holy City" to be given at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and night will be an agreeable surprise even to those who expect the most from the play, and the presentation will be one that will live for years and receive constantly increasing praise and patronage at the hands of the public. It is certainly a daring attempt to give a play founded on some of the most stirring and tender incidents in the Holy Word, and only by the most careful avoidance of anything like sacrilege could the play be made a success.

The third act of "In a Woman's Power," which will be at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night, reaches a height of dramatic intensity that is seldom equalled upon the stage, and its great strength lies in the fact that its incidents are so true to life. When a mother who is still young and beautiful and of great reputation as a singer comes in contact with her own daughter, whom she thinks dead, and, not recognizing her, tries to entice her into her home for the purpose of accomplishing her downfall, the world is startled. Yet this powerful incident is vividly portrayed and in the most clean and inoffensive manner. Nothing vulgar creeps into the story for an instant, and a great moral is drawn by the inborn sense of humor has made him a favorite with a popular following enjoyed by few in his profession. A Charles Frohman production with Collier at its head means all that experience backed by intelligence can mean in any line of business success, material and artistic.

There are three full hours of mirth and melody in "The School Girl," the great English-American musical success, which comes to the New Plainfield theatre Monday next for two performances, matinee and night. There is not a dull moment in the three scenes of the production, which will be one of the most pretentious and picturesque scenic portrayals ever seen upon the local stage. The cultured audience of the English capital and the American metropolis were more than pleased with "The School Girl," which has been probably the greatest success on the musical comedy stage of two countries.

Mary Mannering will present "The Walls of Jericho" at the New Plainfield theatre next Wednesday night. The success that this great play has enjoyed since its production now over two years ago proves once more the royal worth of moral themes for the drama, as the story it tells preaches a strong lesson which the public of both New York and London have endorsed with no uncertain approval.

One of the unusual features of Lottie Blair Parker's play of Southern

The Player-Author-Manager, Richard Carle, in "The Mayor of Tokio," at New Plainfield Theatre Feb. 13.

most refined methods.

A Charles Frohman attraction is always welcome, and his announcement of the engagement of William Collier at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday night is doubly so, as it will serve to show that comedian in his latest London success, "On the Quiet," a comedy written for him by Augustus Thomas, who is always at his best when inspired by the work of a bright comedian for whom to write. Mr. Collier has been recognized for years as artistic and original in his methods and his natural life is that the women of the cast outnumber the men. As a rule the reverse is the case in dramatic offerings. The presence of so many women upon the scene is one of the attractions of the play, especially as many of them are young and pretty. The birthday party of the youthful heroine, and the Hallowe'en festivities, which include the carrying out of some amusing Hallowe'en tricks and a Jack-o-lantern dance, give fine scope for showing the feminine members of the company to advantage. "Under Southern Skies" was written by a woman and it gives women greater opportunity for acting than three or four ordinary dramas. Manager Counihan has secured this very successful play and it will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre a week from tomorrow night.

A farce comedy cleverly constructed, with a logical plot and plausible situations, is what May Irwin has been entertaining the New York public with in "Mrs. Black Is Back," which she brings to the New Plainfield theatre for one night, February 20. The author of the new piece, which played in New York for six months last season, is George V. Hobart, who gave us the famous "John Henry" stories. The Hobart slang and modernized epigrams stick out in bunches, but they do not overshadow the splendid farcical situations that Mr. Hobart has drawn. During the action of the play Miss Irwin sings a number of coon songs in a manner that gave her her first fame.

Student Dies from Bullet Wound.

The death of J. Howard Hughes, a young medical student, at his mother's home in Jersey City yesterday, revealed a shooting accident on Sunday last. Hughes had been attending a medical college in Baltimore. He returned home last week intending to go back to Baltimore this week. It is said that as he was taking some instruments from a bookcase a revolver accidentally exploded, the bullet entering his abdomen. He lived with his mother at 55 Highland avenue.

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Trenton, Feb. 8.—That hope of a change in the judiciary at an early date is not anticipated is indicated by a bill introduced by Senator Wakelee Monday night increasing the number of Circuit Court judges to five and raising the salary of each from $7,500 to $9,000 year. At present the law permits the appointment of five Circuit Court judges, but the annual appropriation bill allows for the salaries of only four.

Former Governor Voorhees was frequently mentioned as the possible choice for the vacant place, but he persistenly declared that he would not accept the place. With the salary placed nearer that of the associate justices of the Supreme Court, who now receive $10,000 annually, the importance of the office might induce the former Governor to take the place. Another former Governor who was also a Supreme Court judge—George T. Werts—might be appointed to the fifth place, and then again it is intimated that Senator Wakelee might be an available candidate when his term expires.

RAILROAD BATTLE IN CHANCERY COURT.

Central Railroad Tried Blocking Tracks with Cars to Prevent Removal of Tracks.

In the Court of Chancery at Trenton Tuesday an application was filed for an injunction to restrain the Central Railroad of New Jersey from using part of a private right of way belonging to the Butterworth-Judson Chemical Company of Newark.

It is set forth in the bill that January 30 the railroad company sent 250 men to the right of way and after a tussle with the employes of the complaining corporation, tracks and ties were placed across the right of way and a car belonging to the defendant company was set on the work.

The bill is to restrain the railroad company from further use of the right of way and to force it to vacate the portion now occupied. The right of way extends in a westerly direction a distance of 1,300 feet from Plum Point lane and has been used by the Butterworth-Judson company for about twenty years, and the bill states that its right to the land has never before been questioned.

SALARY BILL THROUGH HOUSE.

Appropriates $1,200 and Meets Case of Deputy Comptroller.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—Leader Perkins annuonced to the House just before adjournment Monday night that as the assistants to the clerk were inadequate, Reginald Branch, of Cumberland, had been appointed stenographer to the clerk.

Mr. Martin asked the name of the assistant to the supervisor of bills and where he came from. He was told that his name was Ralph Reed, and he came from Somerset.

"Oh," replied Mr. Martin, "I did not know but he was an Essex man."

The House managed to pass one bill last night, but it took a suspension of the rules to do it. The bill was Senator Hillery's measure, which appropriates $1,200 for clerical assistance in the comptroller's office. The bill is to meet the case of Isaac Doughten, of Camden, who has served for some time as deputy comptroller. In the interests of the administration policy of economy no provision was made for his salary in last year's appropriation bill. Nevertheless, Mr. Doughten continued to discharge the duties of the office, and this bill is to pay him for his work.

NEITHER COUNCIL MEETS.

Both the Washington Bodies Decide To Postpone Their Sessions.

Washington, Feb. 8.—With two sets of Commoun Councils and two mayors, the regular monthly meeting of the council was not held Monday night, through lack of a quorum by both bodies. Two of Mayor-elect C. B. Smith's councilman, W. D. Gulick and Edward Shurts, were at the town hall, and when the hour of meeting arrived Mr. Gulick announced that, owing to the lack of a quorum, the council would adjourn until March 5.

The large crowd thought that Mayor R. M. Petty and the old council would not put in an appearance, as it was some time after the usual hour before any of them arrived at the hall. Mayor Petty and Councilmen Cowell and Vass were present. Owing to the lack of a quorum an adjournment was taken until February 19.

Owing to the contest over the offices of Mayor and councilmen all business is tied up, and will remain so until the Supreme Court meets the latter part of the month. Each side appears confident that the court will decide in its favor.

Gunn Play on Slot Machines.

Orange, Feb. 7.—Sheriff Judson K. Gunn, of Sussex county, yesterday reduced to junk slot machines valued at $1,000 at Newton. The machines were captured yesterday in a general raid through Newton by Sheriff Gunn and his assistant, John T. Wheeler. The raid was planned by Prosecutor Henry Huston. Sheriff Gunn had a big wagon and carrying with him a list he started at one end of the town and wound up with a big truck load. There were no serious disturbances.

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INSURANCE LAW CHANGE SOUGHT.

Other Minturn Bills Are Against Trusts Engaging in Restraint of Trade.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—Included in a list of seven bills introduced by Senator Minturn Tuesday was one making a very material change in the general insurance incorporation act of 1902.

In substance it requires all statements made by life insurance companies to be made under oath and where such statements are correct relieves the company of the cost of investigations which they are now required to bear. The change is effected by the following amendments to Sections 70 and 72 of the act of 1902:

To Section 72, requiring annual statements and prompt replies to inquiries of the State Department of Banking and Insurance, is added:

"Said statement shall include a declaration under oath by the officers herein mentioned, that the bonds, stocks, mortgages, trust deeds, other securities, real estate, interest bearing notes, evidences of indebtedness, cash on hand and on deposit, are owned absolutely by and in possession of said company; a certified copy of such declaration under the hand and official seal of the commissioner of banking and insurance, if made by a domestic company, and if made by a company incorporated under the laws of another State, by the department or officer thereof having control of insurance companies, shall be accepted as prima facie evidence of such ownership and possession."

Section 72, which permits special examinations to be made at the cost of the company examined is amended as follows:

"I said company be found insolvent, or to have made misrepresentations in any statement required by this act, or not conforming to the requirements of this act, otherwise the expenses shall not be borne by the company so examined."

The cost of special examinations is said to be very heavy, the Prudential Insurance Company having testified at the Armstrong investigation in New York that the examination of its affairs in 1905 had cost the company about $25,000. Sworn statements, it is said, would obviate the necessity of such examination, and compel more accurate statements of the actual value of assets and liabilities.

Two of the Minturn bills are anti-trust measures similar to those the Hudson Senator introduced three years ago. One prevents the incorporation of a trust to engage in restraint of trade, and the other directs the attorney general to investigate and the Governor to annul the charter of any corporation found to be existing in restraint of trade.

Another prohibits any person, financially or otherwise interested in the trial of a cause, from serving as a juror.

The remaining two authorize cities to issue bonds not exceeding $60,000 for fire house construction, and increases the bond limit for bridge repairs in counties to $250,000.

CLYDE LINE REWARDS CASTO.

Owners of Cherokee Send Captain a Check for $500.

Atlantic City, Feb. 8.—Captain Mark Casto, who so bravely rescued the passengers from the imperiled steamship Cherokee, last night received a check from the Clyde Line Steamship Company for $500 in recognition of "his courage in establishing the first line of communication between the boat and shore."

Captain Casto stated that while in Philadelphia Monday a wealthy man offered to build him a fleet of twelve yachts to sail in these waters, but he declined, as he recognized he would damage the business of the local captains.

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WHEN NEW JERSEY WAS SO VERY "DRY"

AGITATIONS RECALLS WHEN MANY COUNTIES VOTED AGAINST SALOONS.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—The present widespread and insistent demand for some measure of liquor reform in New Jersey recalls the enactment of the local option law of twenty years ago.

When that local option law was passed, county after county voted to go "dry." Even the central applejack counties, like Hunterdon and Warren, fel into line, and there was danger that if the poll were completed the populous and cosmopolitan counties of Essex and Hudson, where the liquor element is powerful, might lose the 3,000 saloons that flourish in them. The liquor dealers of those two counties believe to this day that nothing but the hasty repeal of the law saved them from being put out of business.

That was a county option law. The pending bill, which drew an enormous throng to the State House last Tuesday in its advocacy, provides for a town option. The Liquor Dealers' Associations all over the State, unwilling to take another chance, have all declared their undying opposition to a local option law of any character.

Hoboken is the sinble exception. The Hotel Keepers' Association there, in the belief that the preponderating German vote of the city may be depended upon to stand loyal, declares itself not interested except to see that the license fee is not raised. The Central German Alliance, however, is arranging for a mass meeting here next Thursday to protest against any local option legislation.

The high license act which ex-Supreme Court Justice Gilbert Collins, of Jersey City, is about to draw for the church agitators, fixes the minimum fee at $1,000, and is being drawn on the assumption that it will close the groggeries and dives. Under the present law, $250 is the minimum license fee, and it can be run up to $1,000 in the town that so desires. The maximum fee exacted in some of the temperance towns is prohibitive. Prior to the enactment of the existing law, the fee in Jersey City, Hoboken and Newark had been only $50. Its increase five-fold did not close a single place.

The agitation has shown wide difference among the liquor men themselves. The Brewers' Association is aiding a high license act that will apply, however, only to the saloons in which spirits are sold. For the lager beer saloons it would have the fee stand as it is. The Hudson County Liquor Dealers' Association objects to this.

An interesting intimation is that the saloon men may seize the agitation to prevent the sale of liquor by grocers and druggists. At a meeting of the executive committee of the State Federation of Labor last week it was resolved to favor an act of that tenor. The Hudson County Liquor Dealers' Association advises "the clerical gentlemen" that if they want to do something for the cause of temperance they should see to it that the grocers are no longer allowed to send liquors to their customers.

"One licensed grocery store," to quote the address, "sells more liquor to private families than fifty regular saloons. It is the licensed grocer and druggist who are responsible for so much secret drinking among women."

Montclair has a total abstinence agitation. The churches are participating, and the women's clubs are taking an active hand. Petitions are in circulation asking the town authorities to refuse to renew any of the exisiting liquor licenses and to close the bars in all the clubs.

CONFIRMS NOMINATIONS.

Senate Disposes of Several Appointments of Governor.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—The Senate in executive session has confirmed these appointments:

Edward S. Atwater, judge of the District Court, of Elizabeth.

David E. Titsworth, member of the Board of Geological Survey.

J. Howard Willets, member of the board of managers of the Soldiers' Home at Vineland.

The confirmation of Benjamin F. Jones as judge of the District Court of Orange went over because of the absence of Senator Colby.

These appointments were received from the Governor:

Moses Taylor Pyne, member of the Public Library Commission.

Board of managers for the State Home for Girls, Alfred D. Carnagy, Mrs. Margaret H. Sickel, John D. Rue.

Medical Examining Board, Edward H. Baldwin, Newark; John J. Baumann, Jersey City; John W. Bennett, Long Branch.

Mr. Rue being a former Senator, his appointment was confirmed immediately. The others were referred to the judiciary committee.

The Governor's appointments to the State Board of Education sent in Monday night were reported favorably.

Mrs. William Jennings, of West Fifth street, was able to sit up yesterday after a serious illness.

Miss Anna Daly, of Liberty street, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is slowly recovering her health.

The February Sale of Housefurnishings.

Always an important event, eagerly looked for by the thrifty housewife, doubly so this year for the reason that we will soon take possession of our new basement salesroom and rather than handle this immense stock several times, we'd prefer to at sell it greatly reduced prices. You can imagine what this means when you consider that we only handle the better class of housefurnishings. No old stocks, no jobs or seconds, but bright, new, every day household needs.

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GALVANIZED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

ASH CANS, WITH COVERS.
Regular price 1.48, sale 98c

SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

NICKEL ALARM CLOCKS.
Regular price 89c, sale 69c

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Square Shape.
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Regular 98c Baskets for	49c

GRAY ENAMELED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
Twin Match Safes	10c	6c
Handy Tea Strainers	10c	6c
Wash Basins	35c	15c
Dish Pans	59c	29c
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PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50.

Summary Review of Police Cases.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—The Judiciary Committee of the Assembly gave a hearing Tuesday on Scott's bill providing that any justice of the Supreme Court may summarily review proceedings on suspension, dismissal, retirement or reduction in rank of members of the police force in any city. David Welsh, Hoboken; John Sanderson, Newark; George Rohbeck, West Hoboken; John Garrison, Paterson; Elias Longstreet, Asbury Park; John Alling, Long Branch, and William H. Eckhardt, Hoboken, appeared in favor of the measure. There was no opposition.

Deputy State Comptroller on Deck.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—By signing Senate bill No. 5 Tuesday Governor Stokes made it possible for Isaac N. Doughten, of Camden, to resume his duties at the State House as assistant to State Comptroller J. Willard Morgan. The bill appropriates $1,200 for clerical assistance in the comptroller's office.

W. D. Murray, of this city, is on the International Y. M. C. A. committee, the secretary of which, F. B. Smith, will speak tomorrow night at a banquet here. Mr. Murray is on the sub-committee under which Mr. Smith travelled abroad.

Thinks "Jim Crow" Classes Illegal.

East Orange, Feb. 8.—The negroes of East Orange held another meeting Tuesday night in Mount Olive Baptist church, East Orange, to discuss the negro segregation in the East Orange schools. They got a little encouragement Tuesday night in an assertion made by the Rev. David D. Turpeau, pastor of St. John's Methodist church, Orange, that Attorney General Robert M. McCarter had told him that he believed the action of the East Orange Board of Education, in starting "Jim Crow" classes, was illegal.

Children Must Support Parents.

Paterson, Feb. 8.—Judge Scott, in the Court of Common Pleas, yesterday decided that a law passed in 1904 made it obligatory on children to support their parents. Half a dozen old men and women who have been receiving alms from the city were in court. Their children were there also. They were summoned to show cause why they should not be imprisoned for failure to support their parents when they were well able to do so.

Harry Barton, of West Fourth street, left yesterday for Council Bluff, Iowa, where he will remain for time for the benefit of his health.

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Youths' Storm King Boots, sizes 11 to 2	2.00
Men's Arctics, sizes 6 to 11	1.00
Boys' Arctics, sizes 3 to 6	85c
Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	75c
Child's Arctics, sizes 6 to 10½	59c
Men's Rubbers sizes 8 to 11	55c
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ASKS THE FILIPINOS FOR THEIR CONFIDENCE

BRYAN SAYS THAT AMERICAN PEOPLE ARE THEIR WELL-WISHERS.

Washington, Feb. 8.—"Kept me out of office twice." That is the only debt William Jennings Bryan told the Filipinos he owed the Republican party when he was touring the islands. Mail advices from Manila give in detail an account of the great commoner's tour in the archipelago. At the banquet given in his honor in Manila he said:

"In two campaigns of my party I was defeated. A majority of the American people voted against me and my party, yet I believe as firmly in the patriotism of those who voted against me as I do of those who voted for me. I believe that a majority, yes, all of the American people, without regard to party, are sincere well-wishers of the Filipinos and their country, and I want you to have as much confidence in the Republicans in power as I have, though I have been twice defeated by them, and when I say this I am not trying to pay them for favors, for they have never done anything for me, except keep me out of office.

"Do not expect our people to administer authority without making mistakes, and if we Democrats get in power, good as we are, we will make mistakes. The Spaniards made mistakes here, so would the Filipinos if they were in power." He concluded his remarks by praising what the United States had done in the Philippines in regard to education. Throughout his stay he refrained from discussing questions relating to the future of the Philippines.

"My case of lockjaw will be entirely cured," he said, however, on one occasion, "when my visit here is concluded." He did say that the relations between the Philippines and the United States will never be satisfactory unless it is tempered with justice.

Mr. Bryan told the Filipinos that nothing he could do in their interest would be of any avail unless they did their share. Patience was recommended, and to show how slowly reforms come the speaker pointed out the fact that in the States both parties years ago pledged themselves to the election of Senators by popular vote, yet the reform has not yet been accomplished.

Bryan met Aguinaldo at a reception given by the Elks. It was the first time the former leader of the revolution had appeared in public in Manila in months. "I am very happy to know you, sir," said Mr. Bryan, in greeting Aguinaldo. "I have heard much of you." Aguinaldo passed on to Mrs. Bryan without response.

SULLIVANS GAVE AWAY SHOES.

3,000 Pairs Distributed Among the Needy in Bowery District.

New York, Feb. 8.—Congressman "Big Tim" Sullivan and Alderman "Little Tim" Sullivan gave away 3,000 pairs of shoes to their constituents in the Sixth Assembly district Tuesday at their headquarters at 207 Bowery. Many of the recipients were lodging house roomers who were in great need of footgear. The distribution lasted from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until late at night, and the two Sullivans were on hand most of that time.

Socks were given to all applicants who did not have any, or were in much need of them. In many cases there were free drinks to help out the general happiness. After every one had been satisfied, Congressman Sullivan said that he and "Little Tim" had made some extra cash of late and that they thought the shoe distribution was a pretty fair way to share it.

Mr. Colby After Morris, Too.

Morristown, Feb. 8.—Senator Everett Colby, of Essex county, was in Morristown Tuesday evening as the guest of Edward A. Day. The Senator met many men active in politics and business, and explained his theories of equal taxation and the limiting of franchises. His visit was to see if he could create a more vigorous public sentiment in Morris county along these lines.

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MRS. TOLLA GETS SECOND REPRIEVE.

Pardons Board Urges Sparing Her Life Until March 12—Governor So Orders.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—Governor Stokes granted yesterday a further reprieve until March 12 to Mrs. Antoinette Tolla, condemned to death for the murder of Joseph Sonta. The reprieve previously granted will expire next Saturday, and it was expected, if there was no official intervention, that she would be put to death next Monday.

The Board of Pardons considered yesterday a number of affidavits purporting to show that there was evidence in the Tolla case that has not been submitted at her trial or when the case was taken to the Court of Appeals.

After going over the affidavits the court adopted a resolution requesting the Governor, in view of the new evidence, to grant a further reprieve in order that the woman's counsel might have time to apply for a new trial or take such steps as might be deemed proper.

Mrs. Mary Quackenboss, representing the People's Law Firm of New York, presented the affidavits to the Court of Pardons. They allege, among other things, that Sonta prevented Mrs. Tolla from going to New York when she sought to escape from his attentions; that Sonta's wife gave Mrs. Tolla the money with which she bought the revolver with which she shot Sonta; that Sonta had frequently threatened Mrs. Tolla, and that on one occasion he showed her a roll of money and a revolver, and said that with one of these he could accomplish his purpose.

AGAINST GRAB OF SO MUCH OF ITS RATABLES.

Hamilton Township, Atlantic County, Object to Forest Park Reservation's Big Site.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—Senator Edward Lee, of Atlantic, personally conducted into the presence of the Governor yesterday a delegation of protesting citizens from Hamilton township, his county. In the delegation were Surrogate E. C. Shaner, Township Committeemen Lucien B. Corsen and Daniel W. Cleeve, Dr. E. C. Saulsbury and Charles Remmy, and the particular object of their visit was to protest against Senator Minch's bill authorizing the Forest Park Reservation Commissioners to purchase lands for the reservation. The commissioners have selected for the park a tract in Hamilton township, which takes in about 26,000 of the 38,000 acres in the township.

The visitors told the Governor that they were not opposed to the establishment of a forest park reservation, but, on the contrary, thought it was a good thing and were heartily in favor of it. What they did object to was taking such a large parcel out of the ratable of their township. If the park as selected by the commission should finally be adopted it would take from the town the land upon which is made twenty per cent. of the township taxes.

The Governor listened to the gentlemen from Atlantic and promised to give their representations consideration.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Jersey City, Feb. 8.—New companies to file articles of incorporation at the Hudson county clerk's office Tuesday were:

American Electrical Novelty and Manufacturing Company of the Pacific Coast; capital, $30,000. Incorporators, H. O. Coughlan, John R. Turner, B. Stafford Mantz.

Columbian Corporation, Jersey City; capital, $10,000. Incorporators, Frank Van Blarcom, Hackensack; Oliver C. Carpenter and Harry Brunner, Brooklyn.

Corn Products Refining Company; capital, $3,000. Incorporators, William C. Sherwood, Charles H. Otis and Charles W. Willard.

Trenton, Feb. 8:—The following concerns filed papers of incorporation here Tuesday;

Acme Grocery Company, Trenton; capital, $40,000. Incorporators, Dora Campbell, C. P. Fisenis and F. and N. Weddell.

Harvey Hygienic Manufacturing Company, Trenton; capital, $50,000. Incorporators, D. C. Harney, Edward Stieren and E. L. Kern.

John S. & L. Carlson Co., Montclair; capital, $50,000. Incorporators, John S. Carlson, Ludwig Carlson, Innetto Carlson, Augusta Carlson, all of Montclair.

Stenton Mills Company, Camden; capital, $25,000. Incorporators, Thomas McNair, Julius G. Campbell and Ephraim Tomlinson.

Hot After Telephone Company.

Orange, Feb. 8.—Alderman Edward Cheetham, chairman of the street committee of the Orange Common Council, yesterday served the officers of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company with formal notification ordering them to remove within twenty-four hours the overhead wires of the company, which had been strung in trees in the face of the Council's orders against it. If the wires are not removed by that time Mr. Cheetham will order out a gang armed with axes, which will proceed to chop down the wires. Mr. Cheetham says that only yesterday one of the company's men was at work with his climbing spurs in a fine shade tree, notwithstanding the warning issued by the Common Council at its meeting on Monday night.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Providing that the office of assessor is given up by Freeholder Bunting, it is probable that the position will fall to the lot of a citizen of South Plainfield.

Camp 41, P. O. S. of A., will meet for regular business in Washington Hall camp rooms this evening.

The quarantine for contagious disease here is not as rigidly enforced as it should be.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

THEATRICAL NOTES.

There are sixteen different nationalities represented among the fifty-four chorus girls in "The Mayor of Tokio."

Willie Collier, who is to appear here Saturday, will sail on April 19 for Australia, where he will present "On The Quiet" and "The Dictator" in the largest cities for three months.

Paul Dresser, the song writer who provided lyrics and scores for a great many theatrical productions, died last week. His greatest success was "On the Banks of the Wabash," of which 600,000 copies were sold.

Those who remember the funny Irish comedian in "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World" will have an opportunity of seeing him again on Washington's birthday. The character is interpreted by Joe Sullivan, undoubtedly one of the greatest laugh producers on the stage.

The title of Judge Runyon's topical song, which he is to sing in the Elks' minstrels next week, is "I've Changed My Mind." Anyone who doubts that the versatile magistrate is entitled to a place in the front rank of composers will change his mind after hearing the first verse.

Thomas Dixon, Jr., the author of "The Clansman," has appealed to the New York police for protection, claiming that he has received anonymous letters threatening him with lynching. The play which has aroused the animosity of so many persons is to be given in this city the latter part of the month.

Manager Counihan and Treasurer Sam Cunningham, of the New Plainfield, witnessed the production of "George Washington, Jr.," at Philadelphia, Tuesday night. After the performance they "broke bread" with George M. Cohan and Sam Harris. Both Plainfielders pronounce the latest Cohan show to be a winner.

Pays a Visit to His Old Home.

Elizabeth, Feb. 8.—Former Assemblyman John J. Matthews, of this city, who was assistant postmaster here under Postmaster Whelan during the first four years of the McKinley administration, has been in Elizabeth for the last few days on business. He retired from business and became a farmer and has purchased a farm of 140 acres at Annandale, which he will take possession of on April 1. Since buying it valuable deposits of graphite have been found on the land, which will largely enhance its worth. Mr. Matthews for some years has been operating a farm of forty-three acres at Clinton, which he sold last year. Although a comparatively young man, he served in Elizabeth's Board of Education and was afterward secretary of the board. He put in two terms in the Assembly, afterward becoming its clerk. Then he became clerk of the State Senate, and lastly assistant postmaster of Elizabeth.

Auto Bills Hearing February 20.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—Senator Jackson's bill amending the motor-vehicle act was transferred from the Committee on Revision of Laws to the Judiciary Committee and will be considered with the Frelinghuysen bill at the adjourned hearing on Tuesday, February 20. This Jackson bill was prepared by Spencer Weart, representing the State Highways Association, and is more restrictive in general terms as to speed limitation than the Frelinghuysen bill.

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"The Clansman" Booked to Play Here.

The most important booking of the dramatic season has been made in contracting for the appearance of the original New York company in "The Clansman" at the New Plainfield theatre on Monday, February 19. With the possible exception of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," no other American play has created the furor of "The Clansman." Not only in the South, its natural stronghold, but likewise in New York city and the North generally the warmth of its reception has been unparalleled. The play deals with the reconstruction period in South Carolina and the fight for white supremacy by the Ku Klux Klan. It is not only historically true but dramatically thrilling, and relieved by delightful humor of the old plantation sort. In brief, it has all the elements of enduring popularity. Manager George H. Brennan has given "The Clansman" one of the most sumptuous and expensive productions ever built for a New York run.

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WALPOLE—At Scotch Plains, Feb. 6, 1906, Johanna, wife of Lynus Walpole, aged 40 years.

Funeral at her late residence Friday morning, Feb. 9, at 8 o'clock and from St. Mary's church, this city, at 9:15, where a requiem mass will be said for the repose of her soul.

RUNYON—At Elizabeth, N. J., on Wednesday, Feb. 7, 1906, Jane, widow of Ephraim J. Runyon, in her 92d year.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. E. V. Burrows, 138 Chilton street, Elizabeth, N. J., on Saturday, Feb. 10, at 1:30 p. m. Interment at Plainfield, N. J., at 3 p. m. 2 8 2

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TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. 2 23 tf

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Help Wanted.

WANTED — Assistant chambermaid and waitress. Apply evenings, 123 West Seventh St. 2 7 tf

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes and do dusting. 816 Carlton Ave. 2 6 3

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Feb. 11: "The Freedman's Aid and Southern Education Society and Its Work"—Matt. xxv, 31-46; John iv, 20.

By REV. WALTER J. TATES, D. D.

The headquarters of this branch of work of the Methodist Episcopal church is in Cincinnati, 220 West Fourth street. A monthly journal is published at 50 cents per year, which represents the work. An annual report is also printed and sent to all who ask, which is extremely valuable. The Christian Educator is the title of the monthly publication. Drs. W. P. Thickield and M. C. B. Mason are the corresponding secretaries in charge of the work. Bishop Walden as president is the official head of the society. A board composed of ministers and laymen meets monthly in Cincinnati to have oversight of all operations. The general committee meets once a year just previously to the meeting of the general missionary committee and the church extension committee and has final and full charge of all the work of the society, subject to review by the general conference every four years.

Every member of the Methodist Episcopal church is under obligation by voluntary pledge to contribute to the support of this work, as of all other benevolent operations of the church.

The civil war left 4,000,000 colored people in the south, who had formerly been slaves, nominally free. None of them owned a foot of land, a house for shelter, an article of furniture, any implement of labor or even the clothing they wore. They had no experience in caring for themselves in body, mind or soul. Slavery had not taught them habits of thrift and economy, nor had it made labor attractive. They knew how to do some kinds of work for others. They must learn how to work for themselves. No people ever had a more stupendous task set them. Slavery had not encouraged moral purity. They could never rise except as they became industrious, frugal and chaste.

The government could help very little. Citizenship gave little or no aid to them industrially, socially or morally.

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The time calls for greater efforts than ever before. Some signs of the times are ominous. The race is beginning to awake. They cannot yet stand alone. Never were the gifts and oversight and prayers of the church more needed than at this present hour. To falter now is to jeopardize all yet attained. Study this problem. Pray and then give money and care to the brother in black.

Character Making.

Character is made up of small duties faithfully performed, of self denials, of self sacrifices, of kindly acts of love and duty. The backbone of character is laid at home, and, whether the constitutional tendencies be good or bad, home influences will, as a rule, fan them into activity. Kindness begets kindness, and truth and trust will bear a rich harvest of truth and trust. There are many little trivial acts of kindness which teach us more about a man's character than many vague phrases.—Samuel Smiles.

An Excellent Habit.

A good habit to acquire is the habit of thanking God for every blessing at the time it comes. At the instant let us say inwardly, "I am very grateful, dear Father, and thank thee."

Sentence Sermons.

Many prayers would be more profitable if they were pruned.—Henry F. Cope.

Where God builds a church there the devil would also build a chapel.—Martin Luther.

He who wishes to secure the good of others has already secured his own.—Confucius.

Though we travel the world over to find the beautiful, we must carry it with us or we find it not.—Emerson.

The world will soon forget its masters, but will cling with loving remembrance to its servants.—L. T. Sweeney.

Work is not man's punishment; it is his reward and his strength, his glory and his pleasure.—George Sand.

Patience is the ballast of the soul, that will keep it from rolling and tumbling in the greatest storm.—Bishop Hopkins.

In life, as in a football game, the principle to follow is: Hit the line hard. Don't foul and don't shirk, but hit the line hard.—Theodore Roosevelt.

Miserable thou art, whosoever thou art or whithersoever thou turnest, unless thou turn thyself to God. Keep thy heart free and lifted up to Him.—Thomas a Kempis.

Men remain the same slaves they have always been and always will be while they continue to be guided not by religious consciousness, but by passions, theories and external influences.—Tolstoi.

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Topic.—How to conquer our temptations.—Matt. xxvi, 41; I Cor. x, 12, 13; Jas. iv, 7; Heb. ii, 18; iv, 14-16; xii, 1-4.

The presence of sin in this world is one of the most insoluble problems of human life. When God created man He created him morally and spiritually perfect. But man even in the state of perfection had the possibility of sin within him. Moreover, the opportunity or temptation was placed before him, and, saddest of all, man yielded to the temptation. Humanity also fell when Adam fell. His descendants even unto the present day are morally imperfect, having inherited the traits and dispositions of their ancestors. But no sooner had man fallen than God held out to him a way of conquering sin. On the day of the first sin ever committed against God on earth God in passing judgment upon all concerned in man's fall said to Satan, "I will put enmity between thee and the woman and between thy seed and her seed, and it [the seed of the woman] shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel." Doom had no sooner fallen upon the human race than God held out the assurance of final victory, through Jesus Christ, the seed of the woman. Therefore sin has entered into the world by the mysterious providence of God, yet God Himself arranged for its overthrow.

Our topic addresses itself to the problem of conquering temptation. God says it can be done. It has been done. It should be done. How, then, can we do it? First of all we must realize that we are sinners and subject to temptations that have power over us. The man who does not realize his sins is a hopeless case, so far as overcoming them is concerned. Second, we should be filled with a desire to overcome sin. Many know their besetting sins, but they do not want to lay them aside. At times they feel their hardness, but still they cling to them. Often they even excuse themselves, which makes it all the harder for them to overcome sin, even if they attempted to do so. Convicted of sin, possessing an intense desire to overcome it, turn with faith to God in Christ, and it can be done. And when sin has been overcome we should keep it so by watchfulness and by prayer. If you have temptations that overcome you and really want to overcome them, God will give you the grace to do so, "Let us, therefore, come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need."

BRAZILIAN NOTES.

BY ELIEZER DOS SANCTOS SARAIVA.

The work in Brazil is thus organized: A national union with eighty enrolled societies, a state union (in the state of S. Paulo) with fifty societies and a total membership of 1,500, a state superintendency in the Parana state, a district union in Jahu and its neighborhood with twelve societies and a local union in the city of S. Paulo with seven societies.

The chief feature of our movement now is the constitution of a central committee of the day of prayer, according to the resolution of our last national convention. This committee is to be formed by a representative of each of the denominations that work in this country and of the societies that work in connection with the church. The object of the central committee is to carry out the idea of a national day of prayer in all the evangelical churches of our country in behalf of the kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ in this part of the world. Probably the day to be chosen is New Year's day.

The question of political elections on Sunday in Brazil has brought a resolution of the third state convention, which met in Jahu last May, asking the houses of congress, through the board of the Evangelical Alliance in Rio de Janeiro, to cancel the law that permits elections on Sunday.

Rural Family Endeavor was established last year by our national president, Rev. Erasmo de Carvalho de Carvalho Braga, last June in the valleys of the Juquia river, in the state of S. Paulo. The Christian people are very scattered in those places, dwelling in the margins of the river, so that many of them must take more than one day by canoe to go to attend the church services in the little chapel built on one side of the river. For this reason the C. E. society, which had about thirty members among a Christian population of more than 100, has been divided into five societies, the total membership of Endeavorers increasing, therefore, according to the new plan. At each period of three months the five societies meet in the chapel to hold a consecration meeting and to plan about the common interests of the societies, which form a union, superintended by the earnest worker of those valleys, Willis A. Banks.

The Brazilian Union is looking now to the Lutheran field to establish there C. E. principles. Many steps have been given in this line. Miss Kuhl of Curityba wrote in the C. E. W. an article about this plan. Correspondence with the German Union will prepare the way and remove the difficulties.

The Lettish people of Orleans do Sul, Santa Catharina state, among whom the C. E. movement was organized last year by the secretary of our union, are very glad with the blessings which were brought by the C. E. idea. By a notable coincidence the movement was organized almost at the same time in the motherland—that is, in the Russian provinces of the Baltic.

"The Man on the Box"

By HAROLD MacGRATH

Author of "The Grey Cloak," "The Puppet Crown."

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"Now where?" asked Warburton, wiping his mouth.

"T' th' court. It'll go hard with ye if ye're handed over t' th' grand jury on th' charge of abduction. Ye'd better make a clean breast of it. I'll speak a word for yer behavior."

"Aren't you a little curious?"

"It's a part of me business,"—gruffly.

"I'll have my say to the judge," said Warburton.

"That's yer own affair. Come."

Once outside, Warburton lost color and a large part of his nonchalance; for an open patrol stood at the curb.

"Have I got to ride in that?"—disgustedly.

"As true as life; an if ye make any disturbance, so much th' worse."

Warburton climbed in, his face red with shame and anger. He tied his handkerchief around his chin and tilted his hat far down over his eyes.

"Fraid of meetin' some of yer swell friends, hey? Ten t' one, yer a swell an' was runnin' away with th' wrong woman. Mind. I have an eye on ye."

The patrol rumbled over the asphalt on the way down-town. Warburton buried his face in his hands. Several times they passed a cigar-store, and his mouth watered for a good cigar, the taste of a clear Havana.

He entered the police-court, not lacking in curiosity. It was his first experience with this arm of the civil law. He wasn't sure that he liked it. It wasn't an inviting place with its bare benches and its motley, tawdry throng. He was plumped into a seat between some ladies of irregular habits, and the stale odor of intoxicants, mingling with cheap perfumery, took away the edge of his curiosity.

"Hello, pretty boy; jag?" asked one of these faded beauties, in an undertone. She nudged him with her elbow.

"No sweetheart," he replied, smiling in spite of himself.

"Ah gowan! Been pinching some one's wad?"

"Nope!"

"What are you here for, then?"

"Having a good time without anybody's consent. If you will listen, you will soon hear all about it."

"Silence there, on the bench!" bawled the clerk, whacking the desk.

"Say, Marie," whispered the woman to her nearest neighbor. "Here's a boy been selling his master's harness and got pinched."

"But look at the sweet things coming in, will you! Ain't they swell, though?" whispered Marie, nodding a skinny, feather toward the door.

Warburton glanced indifferently in the direction indicated, and received a shock. Two women—and both wore very heavy black veils. The smaller of the two inclined her body, and he was sure that her scrutiny was for him. He saw her say something into the ear of the companion, and repeat it to one of the court lawyers. The lawyer approached the desk, and in his turn whispered a few words into the judge's ear. The magistrate nodded. Warburton was conscious of a flush of shame. This was a nice position for any respectable woman to see him in!

"James Osborne!" called the clerk.

An officer beckoned to James, and he made his way to the prisoner's box. His honor looked him over coldly.

"Name?"

"James Osborne."

"Born here?"

"No."

"Say 'sir'."

"No, sir."

"Where were you born?"

"In New York State."

"How old are you? And don't forget to say 'sir' when you reply to my questions."

"I am 28, sir."

"Married?"

"No, sir."

"How long have you been engaged as a groom?"

"Not very long, sir."

"How long?"

"Less than 24 hours, sir."

Surprise rippled over the faces of the audience on the benches.

"Humph! You are charged with disorderly conduct, reckless driving, and attempted abduction. The last charge has been withdrawn, fortunately for you, sir. Have you ever been up before?"

"Up, sir?"

"A prisoner in a police-court."

"No, sir."

"Twenty-five for reckless driving and ten for disorderly conduct; or 30 days."

"Your Honor, the horses ran away."

"Yes, urged by your whip."

"I was not disorderly, sir."

"The officer declares that you had been drinking."

"Your Honor, I got the wrong carriage. My number was 17 and I answered to 72." He wondered if she would believe this statement.

"I suppose that fully explains why you made a race-track of one of our main thoroughfares?"—sarcastically. "You were on the wrong carriage to begin with."

"All I can say, sir, is that it was a mistake."

"The mistake came in when you left your carriage to get a drink. You broke the law right then. Well, if a man here or elsewhere. This mistake will cost you $35.

"I haven't a penny in my clothes, sir."

"Officer, lock him up, and keep him locked up till the fine is paid. I can not see my way to remit it. Not another word,"—as Warburton started to protest.

"Marie Johnson, Mabel Tyner, Belle Lisle!" cried the clerk.

The two veiled ladies left the court precipitately.

James, having been ushered into a cell, hurriedly called for pen and ink

CALLED FOR PEN AND INK.

and paper. At half after ten that morning the following note reached me:

"Dear Chuck: Am in a devil of a scrape at the police court. Tried to play a joke on the girls last night by dressing up in the groom's clothes. Got the wrong outfit, and was arrested. Bring $35 and a suit of clothes the quickest ever. And, for mercy's sake, say nothing to any one, least of all the folks. I have given the name of James Osborne. Now, hustle. Bob."

I hustled.

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GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

Theodore Roberts, who is appearing in "The Squaw Man" at Wallack's theatre, New York, enjoys the distinction of being the only actor on Broadway who has a part in which he has no word of language other than Ute. Mr. Roberts has been carefully instructed zq Baco White, the Government interpreter, who also assumes the role of interpreter in the play. Mr. Roberts has found a keen enjoyment in his study of the language of the Utes, as he and his instructor confine themselves exclusively to it while in the theatre, that is, when talking to each other.

Miss Ellis Jeffreys, the most brilliant of the English comediennes, now appearing at Daly's theatre in New York, in Alfred Sutro's most delightful comedy, "The Fascinating Mr. Vandervelt," is most happily cast in the play as "Lady Clarion Howland." If there is one thing Miss Jeffreys excels in it is the portrayal of a woman of the upper social strata and the naive incouciance of her portrayal, coupled with the clever dialogue that Mr. Sutro has written, goes to make up an entertainment that is delivering a strong appeal to appeal to all thinking personscmfw all thinking persons. The play is so scintillating in its wit, so happily sparkling in its good humored battle of wits, that one leaves the theatre refreshed as by a mental bath.

Raymond Hitchcock has burst forth in a blaze of glory at the Gardentheatre, the occasion being Richard Harding Davis' latest and what is considered by many his greatest work, namely, "The Galloper." Manager Henry W. Savage has given the Davis farce a production of scenic splendor, and he has likewise surrounded Raymond Hitchcock with one of the most notable of companies. Its personnel embraces such well known names at T. Daniel Frawley, Edgar Davenport, Scott Cooper, E. B. Tilton, Nannette Comstock, May Buckley, Helen Lackaye, Herbert Corthell and numerous others. Mr. Davis has not only given Mr. Hitchcock one of the most congenial of roles, but he has likewise supplied the various characters with lines and situations of much brilliancy, which afford every opportunity to each and every member of Mr. Hitchcock's company. The action of "The Galloper" is set forth in three scenes, each of which has been admirably described by the well known scenic artist, Walter Burridge. The first act takes place in a hotel at Athens, the second shows the dock at Piraeus, where the war correspondents embark to the scene of action. The third act shows the Turkish camp in the Volo Mountains, all of which scenes set forth a brilliant satire on the Graeco-Turkish War in 1897, in which Mr. Davis was himself a "Galloper" for the New York Herald and London Times. It will thus be seen that the background gives ample opportunity for scenic embellishments.

LITERARY NOTES.

The American boy is essentially patriotic and the publishers of the greatest boys' magazine in the world have made this the leading feature in the Febraury number. The front cover with the Washington coat of arms, and a sentiment quoted from George Washington himself, is exceedingly attractive. Among the stories which in variety will please almost every kind of a boy are: The concluding portion of John Barr's "Relief of the North Branch Fort;" also the final chapters of "Denny, a Mule Driver." "A French Frog and an American Eagle" is advanced two chapters. No. 4 of the editor's stories, entitled "Up in the World," teaches the lesson of helpfulness and consideration for others; "Neevus and the Wolf Pack" is a fine story of how an old negro outwitted a pack of bloodthirsty wolves which were after him and obtained a large sum of bounty money; "Forgetful Thomas" tells of a boy who was always forgetting and was cured in a singular way: "The Sneak-Cat" is a story of the trappers and hunters away up in the north woods; "Cake Eater" shows how the office boy turned the tables on his tormentor, the bookkeeper; "Ned and Billy" is a story of kindness and help: "The Test of Allen Murry" willl please every reader who loves courage in sticking to the right; "The Office Boy" tells how a boy remained firm in face of great temptation.

ATLANTIC HIGHLAND'S BILL.

Proposed Measure to Be Presented to Legislature.

Atlantic Highlands, Feb. 8.—There was an animated discussion Monday night at a meeting of the Board of Trade over the bill which the committee on expansion has planned to send to Trenton for the forming of a Board of Works here. The water meter question was laid over until a later meeting.

The Board of Works is planning to relieve the Common Council of all work in connection with lights, sewers and water. The committee on expansion, which formulated the Board of Works measure, consists of Judge John E. Foster, Charles R. Snyder, W. L. Edwards, George Jenkinson, Jr., John L. Sweeny and E. H. Cook.

Patrolman Herbert Overbaugh has recovered from his illness and was out today for the first.

Mrs. T. F. Budlong, of Madison avenue, is entertaining Mrs. LeBoutillier, of High Bridge.

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FIFTY-YEAR-OLD NEGRO IS GROWING AT THE RATE OF SIX INCHES A YEAR

Philadelphia, Feb. 8.—Having grown more than six inches in the last year or so, though he is fiftysix years old, Edward Saunders, a colored man, living at 1313 Colorado street, has placed himself in the hands of Jefferson Hospital physicians in an effort to halt his unusual development. Always a man of average height, Saunders began to grow something over a year ago, and he is now six feet sinx inches tall. He is chiefly worried, however, over the abnormal size his hands and feet are attaining.

The man is afflicted with acromegaly, according to the diagnosis made at Jefferson Hospital, where he recently appeared at a clinic. The disease is extremely rare, but one other case having been reported in the last fifteen years. It manifests itself in an enlargement of the bones, and, so far as known, there is no remedy for it.

At his home yesterday Saunders, who is a porter, with rather vague ideas of figures, said he first began to notice something peculiar about himself a little more than a year ago, and called particular attention to the great size of his hands and feet. The hands are fully four times as large as those of ordinary mortals, while to cover his enormous feet shoes at least eighteen inches long are required. They do not appear to be swollen, but simply to have spread out in every direction.

"Pretty big, aren't they?" queried Saunders. Then he explained that he suffered no pain, except in his chest, for which he went to the hospital. His cheek bones have become very prominent, and his head is growing larger, but the man's general health is good, though he says he is growing noticeably weaker, and the size of his hands and feet interferes with his work.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Samuel P. Case, of Plainfield avenue, has leased Henry Leifke's house at West Front street and West End avenue, and will take possession April 1.

—The new benches have been installed at the trade school of the Boys' Club, Sycamore street, and all the classes are going with full registration. About sixty boys are in the enrollment lists.

—A Lincoln entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening, February 12, at 8:15. Samuel S. Swackhamer will give Abraham Lincoln in anecdote and story. Orchestral and vocal selections and the Musical Stewart will also be features of the entertainment. Tickets may be obtained free at drug stores. A silver offering will be received at box office.

Senator Reed Much Alive.

The Gazette in its last issue had some warm words to say anent ex-Senator Reed and, incidentally, told Senator Frelinghuysen what was expected of him. The source of the trouble was the attempt of the ex-Senator to "butt in" in the matter of the appointment of a new postmaster for Somerville. Our neighbor apparently does not approve of his hobnobbing at the White House with President Roosevelt and at the State House with Governor Stokes and Senator Frelinghuysen at a time when the nation is going through the throes of so momentous a crisis as the appointment of a Republican postmaster. Whether or not the former Senator "has been in political ignominy" for any length of time may be open to question, but there can hardly be any to the fact that he has "become very active." Senator Reed has something of a reputation as a hustler, has good advisers, and if The Gazette considers he has reached a stage of innocuous desuetude its barely possible it may find itself entitled to another guess.—Somerville Messenger.

Ready for School Dedication.

Though Superintendent Maxson has not succeeded in securing the speaker, all other details have been arranged for the dedication of the new High School on Washington's birthday. The formal ceremonies will take place in the afternoon and at night will be a reunion of the present High School graduates. The latter affair will be in charge of a committee composed of William C. Hubbard and Dr. Norman H. Probasco.

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GRANTS FOR THIRTY-THREE OR SIXTY-SIX YEARS.

Commission Urges Former Limit but Voters Decide for Latter as Maximum.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—The commission appointed to examine into the question of granting and limiting the grants of franchises for public utilities appointed in conformity with the Colby resolution, adopted by the Legislature of 1905, submitted its report to the Legislature through Governor Stokes yesterday.

The report was signed by former Governor Voorhees, chairman; former Governor Murphy, Frank T. Lloyd, John C. Payne and Eckard P. Budd. The document, which was a voluminous one, was submitted to Governor Stokes in a crude form Tuesday night, and materially revised at a conference which was not concluded until noon yesterday.

In substance the bill provides that "Power to make grants for public utilities shall remain where they are in control of the municipality, to be made for a period of not more than thirty-three years unless the legal voters of a municipality should provide a longer period, which shall not be more than sixty-six years.

"Repeal of the present law prohibiting the location of a parallel street railroad line within a thousand feet or two blocks, of any other trolley line.

"Enactment of a law vesting in the custody of some existing State official, preferably commissioner of banks and insurance, the right to prevent the over capitalization of public utility companies and with full power to investigate all issues of new stock.

"Repeal of all limitations as to where water companies shall obtain a supply or dispose of water within the State. Applies also to municipalities having water to sell.

"Present two per cent. franchise tax should continue with an amendment that in the case of trolley companies, the gross earnings on which tax is based should be on the mileage basis.

"Provides also that such tax may be extended to all other public utility companies."

The report of the commission was received by the House yesterday afternoon, and on motion of Leader Perkins was ordered spread in full on the minutes of the House and 500 copies ordered printed.

Cash Register Patent Suit.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—The National Cash Register Company has brought another suit for infringement against the Union Computing Machine Company, of Trenton. The Union Company are the manufacturers of the "Union" cash register, and this is the fourth suit brought against them by the National Company. The patent sued upon is the Bockhoff and Venepin, Patent No. 793,765, and the usual injunction, with accounting for profits and damages, is asked for.

Jerry Rossa to Hang.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—The Court of Pardons denied yesterday the application of Jerry Rossa for a commutation of death sentence. He will be hanged at Hackensack on Monday.

Calls a Pastor.

Rev. G. W. Bailey, of New York, has been chosen pastor of Calvary Baptist church to succeed the late Rev. Scott Wallace.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance Society will hold meetings for Bible study and prayer at the W. C. T. U. rooms every Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended.

PROTEST AGAINST BIRD SLAUGHTER

AUDUBON SOCIETY OPPOSES BILL TO PERMIT KILLING OF DOVES.

Rev. A. C. Nickerson and Miss Julia Scribner, as chairman and secretary of the New Jersey Audubon Society, have caused the following petition to be circulated where it will do the most good throughout the State:

The New Jersey Aubudon Society, which was organized for the purpose of protecting the valuable birds of the State, urgently appeals to you for aid in defeating a most pernicious bill which has been introduced in the Legislature. The bill referred to is known as Assembly Bill, No. 42, introduced January 22, 1906, by Mr. Buck. Its purpose is to remove the dove from the non-game birds, for which there is no open season, and to make it a game bird with an open season, when it may be killed, from August 20 to October 1, of each year.

There are several reasons why this bill should not be passed: First, because at the commencement of the proposed open season doves have not finished breeding and it is inhuman and cruel to kill the parent birds while they still have helpless young to care for. By killing the parents, the young are left to starve in the nest, therefore a double crime is committed. Second, doves are a part of the aesthetic life of every citizen of the State, representing all that is gentle and loving. They are the emblem of spirituality and religion. By far the larger portion of the men, women and children of this commonwealth wish to protect the dove; it is only a very small and restricted class of persons who desire to have the privilege of killing them. It is not good civics to legislate for the few at the expense of and against the wishes of the many. Third, doves are economically among the most valuable of American birds. They possess no harmful qualities whatever, but, on the contrary, have no peers as aids to agriculture. Their food consists almost entirely of the seeds of noxious weeds, to which is added some insect pests.

The value as food of the few ounces of flesh furnished by a dead dove cannot be considered for a moment when it is contrasted with the value of the live bird as an aid to the agriculturist.

SUMMIT MACHINE HIT.

Rich Re-elected City Engineer by Common Council.

Summit, Feb. 8.—The regular Republican organization, or, as it is generally termed, the "machine," met with a stinging defeat Tuesday night, when the Common Council voted to reappoint Edward D. Rich as city engineer. hTe organization fought Rich last year and renewed the fight this year, but the Republican councilmen divided evenly on the question in all the conferences held. Messrs. Thompson, Debevoise and Ely insisted on Rich's reappointment, while Vreeland, Franklin and Littell demanded his retirement. This division left the settlement of the question to the vote of the only Democrat in the council, A. W. Compton, from the Second ward.

Tuesday night all of the members fought the question out in the Mayor's office, delaying the regular meeting for almost tow hours. Compton decided to stay with the reformers, but only on condition that Rich's salary be reduced to $185 per month and that the assistants in his office be discharged. These assistants are so numerous that it led to much talk of extravagance. The only change was an increase of $50 per year to the city collector.

Wants Two-cent Railroad Fares.

Columbus, O., Feb. 8.—The House last night, with great display of enthusiasm, passed the Freiner two-cent railroad fare bill. The Senate has passed the Rathburn bill, the measure with almost like provision. It is predicted the Senate will agree to the Freiner bill and pass it. If the Governor then signs the bill, as confidently expected, the railroads of Ohio, after thirty days, must put railroad fares on a two-cent basis.

No. 399 Installed Officers.

At the regular monthly meeting of Plainfield Typographical Union No. 399, last night, which was largely attended, the following officers for the ensuing year were installed: President, G. E. Mowen; vice-president, William Bond; secretary-treasurer, James Kermode.

JUMPS OVERBOARD FROM STEAMSHIP TO TAKE A SWIM IN LOWER NEW YORK BAY

New York, Feb. 8.—With the thermometer at five degress above zero, the wind a stiff breeze from the North, and an ugly choppy sea, the weather condition Monday morning were not very pleasant for a swim. However, G. A. H. Schmidt, a second-cabin passenger on the steamer Blucher, just in from Hamburg, and riding at anchor off Quarantine, jumped overboard. An alarm was promptly given and two life buoys thrown into the bay. The quarantine boat, Charles F. Allen, which was alongside the Blucher, cast off and after considerable difficulty picked up Schmidt. At first Schmidt swam lustily and refused to grasp the buoys or accept assistance. He was hauled aboard the Allen by the crew without much loss of time, stripped and put to bed between blankets and given stimulants. After some time he was dressed and taken on board the Blucher. He appeared to have enjoyed his early morning plunge.

NEGRO WEDS ON PROBATION, TIRES OF HIS WIFE AND THEN MARRIES AGAIN

Camden, Feb. 8.—Nathaniel Ingram, a negro, when arraigned before Recorder Stackhouse here Tuesday on a charge of assault and battery on his wife, was charged by his father-in-law as having another wife living in Delaware.

When asked if that was true, Ingram said:

"I had a wife down there."

"Is she dead?" inquired the recorder.

"No, she ain't dead," replied Ingram. "I married her on six months' probation. A preacher named Ridgway married us and the understanding was that it was merely a trial. When six months was up I decided I didn't want her any longer. Why, they do that right along in Delaware," concluded Ingram.

Recorder Stackhouse, considerably surprised, told Ingram he could be held for a more serious charge than mere assault and battery. The defendant declared his present wife, whom he accepted after six months' probation, was fully cognizant of the existence of his other probationary wife.

Ingram was held in $300 bail for court on the charge of assault and battery and the Camden police will endeavor to locate the woman he married on six months' probation.

PERSONAL.

Miss Marion Bowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen, of Watchung avenue, is visiting relatives in New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. Danielson, wife of J. E. Danielson, M. D., of Brooklyn, N. Y., accompanied by her daughter, Miss Lillian, spent the day at the home of her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Force, Duer street.

Miss Josephine Allison, of Brooklyn, and her sister, Mrs. Burrill, both of whom are well known here as former residents, are visiting August Trust, another ex-Plainfield, in North Carolina.

Freeholder William A. Westphal is slowly recovering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism, which detained him at home nine weeks. He is now able to be out and attend meetings of the Board of Freeholders. Although his plans are definitely settled, he has decided not to continue the livery busniess.

WOULD BE HEARD ON BILL MENACING STANDARD OIL.

Richard V. Lindabury Asks Senate Committee for Opportunity if Measure Is Reported.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—Richard V. Lindabury, of Newark, visited the State House Tuesday and asked the Senate Judiciary Committee that in case it decides to report favorably Senator Minturn's resolution dirpcting the attorney-general to take proceedings to have the charter of the Standard Oil Company and its subsidiary companies annulled it give him an opportunity to be heard upon the subject.

The committee held a meeting at the close of the afternoon session of the Senate and decided to accede to the request.

High License As a Solution.

The Plainfield Press thinks that because high license and segregation of the saloons in that city have cut the number of places for the sale of liquor to ten retail and two wholesale in a population of 17,500 that has solved the liquor problem. For Plainfield, we grant, but that Plainfield has discovered a principle that when applied to a whole county, or the entire State, is disproven by Pennsylvania's experience. Pennsylvania's law ante-dates Plainfield's, and while where it is enforced it is beneficial, there are so few sections of the State in which it is enforced that the Brooks law has been put down by Pennsylvanians as a failure. And any State law for the solving of any municipal problem will fail.—Trenton True American.

Alderman Higgins Returns.

Elizabeth, Feb. 8.—Former Alderman Bernard J. Higgins, of this city, has just returned from a flying trip to Arizona, where he went to look up a mining claim as a lawyer for one of the interested parties. He spent only four days in going there and three in coming back. He found the weather in Arizona remarkably warm.

CLOSED PORTALS.

The annual statement for 1905 of the Independent Order of Foresters, just received, shows the order to be in a most flourishing condition. The accumulated funds of the Foresters, the surplus on hand after the payment of claims, which amounted to $8,534,177.03 at the close of 1904, had increased to $9,709,583.83 on December 31 of last year, an increase of $1,175,406.80 for the year 1905; of this amount $252,227.03 was accumulated during the month of December. The membership of the I. O. F. is now over 235,000. This excellent showing is most encouraging to the many members of the order in this section of the State. The Independent Order of Foresters is represented locally by three flourishing courts, Watchung and Plainfield in Plainfield and Dunellen at Dunellen.

SOMERVILLE DISSATISFIED WITH ITS POLICE FORCE.

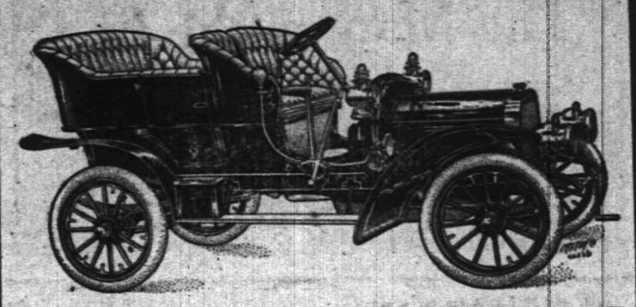
Petitions for More Pay Cause Residents to Make Statements Concerning the Patrolmen.

Somerville, Feb. 8.—Since the last meeting of the Board of Township Commissioners, at which it was decided to adopt a red light signal system for the police force, the members of the local force have put in circulation several petitions which they are asking residents to sign for the purpose of having their salaries increased. At present the police force consists of four men. One man is on duty during the day, the other three perform night duty. Their salary is $50 a month, and the policemen are furnished with two uniforms a year. Walter Durling, who is chairman of the police committee of the Board of Commissioners, is designated as chief of police. He receives no compensation for his service.

While the petitions are being circulated and signed by a number of residents, there is, howvef, a feeling among the townspeople that the policemen are being paid at the present time as well as the police of any other town of this size in the State. The three policemen who perform night duty are supposed to patrol different sections of the town and bicycles have been supplied for this purpse. Residents of East Somerville and the section of town lying south of the Central Railroad are much dissatisfied with the police protection given their respective sections of the town. It is a very difficult matter, the residents claim, to go out at any time of night without finding the three policemen engaged in a conversation together on Main street, or warming themselves by the fire of some grocery store, fire engine house or clubroom.

Mr. Quarnstrom Summoned Home.

Rev. G. Quarnstrom, who has been assisting in the special services at the Swedish Pilgrim church, was called to his home in Naugutuck, Conn., today, by the death of a member of his congregation. He will return in time to assist in the services at the local church Sunday.



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Governor Dines Members.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—Governor Stokes Monday evening gave a dinner to several members of the Legislature, the event being the fourth one of his series of dinners in his apartments in the Bloomfield. His guests were Senators Lee, of Atlantic; Wakelee, of Bergen; Cresse, of Cape May; Assemblymen Robbins, of Burlington, speaker of the House; Scovel, of Camden; Elvins, of Atlantic, and Everett, of Essex.

Water Company Sells Land.

Paterson, Feb. 8.—It was announced yesterday that the East Jersey Water Company had decided to sell the property known as the Passaic Falls and monument grounds, consisting of fifty-nine acres. William J. Nagle, a New York real estate operator, has an option on the property. It is said that it will be turned into an amusement park.

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OPPOSE NEW APPLICANTS

Common Councilmen Say They Will Only Renew Present Liquor Licenses,

VIEWS OF CITY FATHERS

Majority of Members Set Against Any More Saloons—The Liquor Zone Ordinance to Remain.

Unless there is a radical change of views among the city fathers between now and Friday night, Febraury 23, no new licenses will be granted by the Common Council. A poll of the members made by a representative of The Daily Press shows that the majority of councilmen will vote only in favor of renewals. Following are the expression of opinions obtained:

Ralph I. Tolles—I don't like to commit myself. As yet I haven't made up my mind on the matter, but I can say that I don't think any new applications will be considered. The place where Schanz wants to have a license is too near the Friends' meeting house. I think there is a general feeling against any more licenses. You know I am a high license man. If it could be done I would favor stopping the sale of liquor, but of course that is out of the question. As for that Goff application, I certainly wouldn't favor it. I am not inclined to favor Shay's.

William S. Tyler—The ordinance determines my views on the applications of Shay and Goff. As to Schanz, I think that on general principles there are enough saloons in the town. I don't want to be placed on record without hearing what is to be said when the applications are considered.

Daniel F. Ginna—When the licenses come up I would be better prepared to talk. There are one or two matters I would like to be better informed upon before I express an opinion. Speaking not as an official, but rather as a private citizen, I think the location Schanz has selected would be a very poor place for a gin shop. It is altogether too near the trolley station. I hardly think there will be any attempt to repeal the saloon district ordinance. Most people are satisfied to give it a fair trial.

Henry D. Hibbard—I haven't given the matter serious attention. On general principles, I think the less liquor traffic there is the better. I shall probably vote for the present licenses.

Charles C. Randolph—Goff certainly wouldn't get my vote even if we could grant him a license. I am not in favor of Schanz's application, for the place he wants is right there at the trolley station. I don't think I shall vote to increase licenses, and I certainly shall not vote to repeal the saloon zone ordinance. You can make that as emphatic as you like.

William L. Gloak—Well, I made up my mind at the beginning of the year that I would not vote for any new licenses. There is no use of talking about Goff or Shay. I wouldn't vote for either one. Schanz's proposed place would be a detriment. It is in front of the trolley station and too near the railroad station. If that saloon district ordinance could be repealed I would like to see it done, for I was against it last year and am of the same opinion now. It's unfair.

Francis L. Montgomery—So far as I am concerned, I do not favor renewing the Eastern Bottling Company's license. I don't see why there is need for two wholesale places. One is enough, and unless some very good argument is presented why I should change my mind I shall vote to refuse the Eastern Bottling Company's permit. As for Goff and Shay, the saloon zone ordinance makes any consideration of their applications out of the question. I don't know anything about Schanz, and would like to be better posted before I express an opinion.

George P. Mellick is in Georgia and Herbert W. Buxton is in Cleveland, consequently their views could not be ascertained by The Daily Press representative. Neither Leslie M. Daniel nor Frank D. Randolph could be located last night. Both Mr. Mellick and Mr. Daniel are very likely to oppose any additional licenses, and Mr. Buxton and Mr. Randolph, it is considered, will take the position held by President Tolles.

Will Appear at Sportmen's Show.

Several members of the Wanamassa Boat Club have entered the athletic events to be held at the Sportsmen's Show to be held in Madison Square Garden for three weeks, beginning February 20. Among the events in which they are entered include the canoe race, tug-of-war in boats and running races. Expensive prizes are offered this year, the cheapest being one valued at $40. The local young men hope to make a good showing.

—VanArsdale's February shoe sale is now on. •

ANNUAL RECEPTION TO PASTOR AND WIFE

REV. AND MRS. A. E. FINN HONORED BY CONGREGATION.

The second annual reception to Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Finn was given at the Park Avenue Baptist church, last night, and considering the weather, there was a large attendance. The affair was under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church, of which Mrs. Frank T. Ostrom is the president, and the members joined in making it a pleasant occasion.

Japanese drapings comprised the chief decorations, many of these things having been brought from Japan by one of the members of the society. There was also an arrangement of other drapings, rugs and banquet lamps which made the room very attractive.

Rev. and Mrs. Finn were assisted in receiving by the pastor's mother, Mrs. M. A. Finn; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore I. Runyon, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Cuming, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. David M. Runyon.

Mrs. Frank T. Ostrom had general supervision of the affair. The refreshment committee comprised Mrs. Wheaton S. Lowry, Mrs. A. D. Thompson and Mrs. Lottie A. Udell. The decorations were in charge of the flower and social committees, of which Mrs. Charles VanWinkle and Miss Nellie Miner are the chairmen. These persons acted as waitresses: Miss Cora Brokaw, Miss Grace Chamberlain, Miss Olive DeLany, Mrs. H. C. Runyon, Miss Florence G. Hawkins, Miss Peterson, Miss Violet VanWinkle, Miss Elizabeth VanWinkle, Miss Myra Runyon and Miss Giles.

A pleasant feature of the occasion was the attractive programme of music rendered throughout the evening by an orchestra of which G. W. V. Moy was the leader.

MYSTERIOUS FIRE CAUSES $300 DAMAGE

STARTED IN DINING-ROOM AT HOME OF CHARLES HEPNER.

From an origin as yet unaccounted for by Chief Doane, fire broke out at 12:50 this morning in the west half of a double house on West Fourth street, near Prescott place, occupied by Charles Hepner, a conductor of the street railway. An alarm was turned in from box 84, and the prompt arrival of the West End chemical engine, stationed bu three blocks away, prevented a serious blaze. The flames started in the dining room back of a couch and spread between the walls, compelling the firemen to put in an hour's hard work getting it out. The loss will reach $300, of which $100 is on furniture.

The family had only retired shortly after midnight when Mr. Hepner was aroused by smoke. He hurried downstairs and found flames lighting up the whole first floor. He hastily aroused bis wife and children and then running to the street shouted to men in the car barns to turn in an alarm. Box 84, at Grant avenue and Fourth street, was pulled.

Only the chemical stream was used in fighting the fire, thus preventing a heavy loss from water.

Two Applicants for Postal Jobs.

George Keen and Herman Klinsman were the only two persons to take the postal examination for the position of carrier on Wednesday afternoon. As Postmaster Bird is sadly in need of additional sub-carriers he hopes that the applicants may pass to be appointed to the position. Mr. Bird is handicapped in securing applicants by reason of the fact that other positions offer steady employment at more money. Sub-carriers are obliged to wait their turn for a steady position and in the meantime they are likely to sub for a considerable time.

Mrs. G. H. Woolworth Manager.

It is Mrs. H. G. Woolworth who has been the manager for Coons & Co.'s store in West Front street, and not F. W. Woolworth, as stated yesterday. F. W. Woolworth is the owner of the many stores bearing his name and he has no connection whatever with Coons & Co.

Sailed for Nassau.

Miss Chryssie Maag, of East Second street, and Miss Addie Dietrich, of Sandford avenue, sailed today for Nassau, B. W. I. Later they will go to Havana and other points in Cuba, the whole trip lasting a month.

Closing Dance.

The dancing class organized among the High School pupils closed its season last night with a dance at the Casino. The affair was a delightful one.

MEMORIES OF THE WAR

Stirring Entertainment For Old Soldiers at the Reform Club.

TALK BY CAPT. HAND

He Takes Lecturer's Place on Platform to Tell of His Part In Battle of Gettysburg.

Pictures, memories and songs of wartime were the features of an entertainment tendered to Plainfield veterans by the Reform Club last night. The affair attracted a large audience, which included close to 150 old soldiers.

The principal number on the programme was a lecture on the great battles and generals of the Rebellion. Charles M. Raybert, of this city, was the lecturer. The illustrations were graphic and numerous—sixty-one in all being shown.

One of the groups illustrated the battle of Gettysburg. When the first slide in the series was thrown on the screen, Mr. Raybert called on Capt. William Hand, who was in the battle, to take his place on the platform. Capt. Hand told an unusually interesting story of his part in the fight in a conversational way that had a charm of its own. He described the forced marches that preceded the engagement of his brigade, and his somewhat humorus hunt for a variety in rations the night before he went into battle. Capt. Hand was only in the second day's fighting, going to the rear with a wound in the foot. Fire Chief Doane, who was his tentmate, was wounded in the head that day. He lost so much blood, the captain said, that it was feared he would not live to receive treatment.

Among the musical numbers was a robust rendition of "Army Beans," the old camp song in celebration of the perennial bean, by Capt. W. C. Smith. The Capt. also sang "Marching Through Georgia." Miss Lydia Edgar accompanied him.

The other musical numbers included solos, "Just Before the Battle, Mother," and "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," by Miss Edgar; "Massa's In the Cold, Cold Ground," by Miss Nan Ackerman; and "The Star Spangled Banner," by Mrs. John Manley. Naylor's orchestra played several selections.

The affair was arranged by Capt. W. C. Smith, Mrs. Hattie Gibbons and Alexander McMunn. Other entertainments of similar character are being planned by the club.

SCHIPPER RESIDENCE BOUGHT BY ORANGE MAN.

Other Fine Properties Disposed of Through E. M. French Agency.

The handsome residence of Miss Emilie Schipper, located on the corner of West Seventh street and Spooner avenue, nas been sold through the agency of Elston M. French, to Nicholas Mauger, a retired New York merchant, who will remove here shortly from Orange, where he resides at present.

Mr. French has also sold the property on Mercer avenue formerly owned by Oscar S. Teale, of New York, who built the house. The purchaser is Thomas G. Clynes, a prominent New York broker, who intends making Plainfield his home in the future. Mr. Clynes will make extensive improvements on the property before taking possesssion.

Many lots are being sold by Mr. French in Highland Park, the new tract being developed near the Netherwood station and on the East Second street trolley. Among the recent purchasers are William T. Sharpe, of Scotch Plains; Louis Gerstman, of New York; Miss Maude Donaldson, of Brooklyn; Mrs. Helen P. Gill, of New York city, and Thomas Randall and W. C. Chamberlin, of this city.

Here is a Chance for Everybody.

Owing to the extensive alterations being made by the People's Credit Clothing Co., of 131 East Front street, they are offering the entire balance of winter stock, consisting of ladies' suits, skirts, jackets, furs and men's and boys' suits and overcoats, at cost price and will cheerfully extend credit to all. We must dispose of this stock in order to give the builder a chance to work as we are aiming to have for the coming spring season one of the finest and most complete ladies' cloak department in this vicinity. Don't miss this opportunity. •••

—Great assortment of rubbers at M. Abrams, West Front street. Prices marked down for few days only. •

Court Plainfield, Independent Order Foresters, will initiate several candidates tonight, after which there will be an informal entertainment.

BIRTHDAY SOCIAL DELIGHTED MANY

ANNUAL ENTERTAINMENT OF FIRST M. E. CHURCH AID SOCIETY.

An attractive entertainment including charades and other novel features comprised the programme presented at the annual birthday social held in Vincent chapel, last night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church. There was a large attendance of members of the church and not only was the entertainment greatly enjoyed, but a substantial sum was realized from the envelopes collected from among the members of the society. This money will be used to make needed improvements in the kitchen at the chapel.

The chapel was decorated with varied colored crepe paper, rugs, sofa pillows and flowers, while several cozy corners added to the comfort of many. Mrs. Judd Stewart was chairman of the decorating committee and was assisted by several members of the society.

The programme, the various numbers of which were announced by Henry A. McGee, opened with piano solos by Miss May Vincent Whitney; followed with a recitation, "Thanksgiving at Grandma's," by Miss Bertha Whitney. In connection with this the birthday envelopes were collected by children representing "John Alden" and "Priscilla."

The first part of a charade was then given. This was called "Incompatibility," and the audience was supposed to guess the correct answer. The characters were as follows:

"Father," William Gilbert; "Daughter," Miss Nan Wilson; "Her Lover," Arthur Humble; "Hattie," a little sister, Jubilee Rowley; "Billy," a small brother, Chauncey Stewart; "Martha," a maid, Miss Helena Huber. In carrying out the title of the charade, the word was divided up, the participants representing "income," "pati," "bill," "ty," the last two words being interpreted by a wedding scene meaning a "tie."

Interspersing this charade there was a soprano solo by Miss Bertha vanNuis Willis, and various young people represented the months of the year in costume. Miss Margaret Robley, as winter, represented December and January; February and March, Katherine Bingaman and Blanche McVoy; April, Muriel Corson; May, Charlotte Skiff; June, Mildred Burnett, seated in a small wagon being drawn by Donald and Chauncey Stewart; July, Chester Alpaugh, Charles McCrea, Donald Stewart, Chauncey Stewart and Elton Greenleaf, dressed as "Uncle Sam." The representations were all very clever and faithfully portrayed the different months.

The programme was concluded with a piano duett by Miss Frances Rittenhouse and Miss Muriel Collins. Refreshments were then served and a social time had. Much credit is due Mrs. George H. Whitney, as chairman of the entertainment committee, for the success of the affair, and she was ably assisted by Miss Bertha Whitney. Mrs. G. H. Rittenhouse was chairman of the refreshment committee and assisting her were Mrs. Mary Winter, Miss Gertrude Sharp, Mrs. C. H. Rugg and Miss Stafford. The novel invitation was written by Miss Helen Whitney, in which all were asked to bring as many pennies as there were years old.

DECLINES PULPIT FOR Y. M. C. A. WORK.

C. B. Brown Likely to Refuse Assistant Pastorship at Orange.

Charles B. Brown, brother of Tax Collector George F. Brown, of the borough, and formerly assistant to the late Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes in the pastoral work of the First Baptist church, this city, has been honored with a call to be assistant to the Rev. Dr. William M. Lawrence, of the North Baptist church, of Orange. It is understood, however, that Mr. Brown will decline the call, and remain in his present position as associate State secretary of the Young Men's Christian Associations of New Jersey.

Mr. Brown, who has been prominent in Y. M. C. A. work, both in the West and East for some thirteen years, will be remembered by many Plainfielders, in connection with the large Bible class which he conducted in the First Baptist church, the enrollment of which contained nearly 250 men, representing about every line of business.

Rubber Tires for Aerial Truck.

A set of rubber tires for the aerial truck at fire headquarters has been ordered by the fire committee of the Common Council. They will be forwarded within a few weeks and installed as soon as the vehicle undergoes a thorough overhauling.

NEW AUTO OWNERS' CLUB

Dr. F. C. Ard is Chosen President of the Local Association.

TO RETAIN COUNSEL

Senator Reed to Represent Club at Hearing on Frelinghuysen Auto Bill—Committee Appointed.

Upon the invitation of Dr. F. C. Ard, a large number of automobile owners gathered at his home last night and formed the Plainfield Automobile Association. The objects of the organization are identical with those of the American Automobile Association, and its efforts will be devoted to fostering and protecting the interest of automobiling and to prevent arbitrary legislation. It is believed that the association will have a membership of 150.

A committee comprising Dr. F. A. C. Perrin, W. H. P. Veysey and F. W. Yates were appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws to be presented at a meeting to be held at Dr. Ard's Tuesday night, February 13.

The association decided last night to engage former Senator Charles A. Reed to represent it at the hearing on the Frelinghuysen auto bill at Trenton, Tuesday, February 20, and to do all in his power to eliminate such features of it as seem to be detrimental to owners of autos.

The new association elected these officers: President, Dr. F. C. Ard; first vice president, Dr. P. J. Zeglio; second vice president, J. P. Stevens; secretary, Allen B. Laing; treasurer, George J. Tobin.

ENGINE-JAMMERS FREE AFTER COURT'S LECTURE.

Boys Who Caused Factory Shutdown Get Suspended Sentences from Judge Runyon.

Roland McCrea, Charles Norwood, Anderson Harris, colored, and Joseph Carroll, white, the juvenile quartet arrested last week under a charge of having caused the Spicer Universal Joint Company to shut down by jamming the engine in fooling with it, were released by Judge Runyon this morning under suspended sentence. The hearing was postponed from last Monday to enable the police to get at the truth of the matter, but the two witnesses produced knew nothing of value as evidence, and the denial of the four accused boys went at face value.

Carroll was said to have done the damage, and Judge Runyon was somewhat openly skeptical of his denial at the first hearing. John Gleason and Edward McNee were produced by the police as witnesses in the case this morning, but their testimony was of no value. They couldn't say whether or not the quartet did fool with the engine, and the magistrate could do nothing but suspend sentence. He gave the boys a strong warning to keep out of places where they hadn't been invited, particularly when they are locked factories.

S. ST. JOHN McCUTCHEN TO BE TOASTMASTER.

List of Speakers for College Men's Smoker Tonight.

The college men of the city will hold a smoker at the Casino tonight. The festivities will start promptly at 9 o'clock. The Casino will be decorated with American and college flags. Professional music will be interspersed with songs by a local double quartette of the best male voices in Plainfield. Samuel St. John McCutchen will be the toastmaster, and among those expected to speak are James R. Joy, William L. Saunders, McCready Sykes, Henry L. Hall, William N. Runyon, A. L. Otterson and Owen H. Fleming.

The committee in charge assures a most novel and entertaining affair and it will afford all an opportunity to shout for their alma mater as well as to get better acquainted with the college men in town. There will be lots to eat, drink, smoke and lots of good fun.

"West Point Night."

The quarterly meeting and banquet of the New York Commandery, Military Order Loyal Legion, was held at Delmonico's, New York, Wednesday night. It was called "West Point Night," and after the banquet addresses were made by Captain Charles Larned, Col. Dudley and Captain Franklin, of West Point, and Gen. O. O. Howard. The Plainfield members attending included Captain S. C. Peck, Major W. D. W. Miller, Rev. Dr. Hubbell, DeWitt Hubbell, Captain M. C. Dobbins, Walter C. Dobbins and John Stewart.

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CITY SCHOOLS OBSERVE LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

TALKS, ESSAYS AND SONGS RECALL GLORY OF THE EMANCIPATER.

Lincoln's memory was honored by the school children of the city this morning. The emancipator's birthday is three days away, but the schools close today until after Monday, so they had to celebrate ahead of time.

None of the programmes in the city schools was elaborate. At the High School the feature was an address on Lincoln by Rev. L. R. Howard, of Hope chapel. He touched on Lincoln's characteristics—his justice, his mercy, and his unfailing faith in God. Mr. Howard's father, who knew Lincoln personally, came in close contact with the martyr-president, and the speaker spoke of their friendship. The rest of the exercises comprised patriotic songs.

Essays and sketches on Lincoln, besides songs by the pupils in chorus, made up the programme at the Irving School. The pupils who took part were Edith Ayers, George Lee, Herman Theis, Harold Storr, Herbert Hillman, Millard McAfee, Bertha Knowlton, Grace Graves. The girls of Class 4 A sang a chorus.

At the Lincoln School exercises were held in the different class rooms separately. The observance at the Washington School was informal, with brief talks by the teachers and patriotic songs. A more elaborate celebration of Lincoln's Day will be combined with the Washington's birthday observance. The Bryant School pupils sang patriotic songs and marked the day in other appropriate ways, but there was no set programme. Superintendent H. M. Maxson spoke on Lincoln at Whittier School, and the pupils sang patriotic choruses. The Franklin School celebration was postponed to Tuesday.

GOFF TO FACE JURY ON TUESDAY MORNING.

Man Fined for Running Speak-easy to Answer Another Charge.

The Union County Court took an adjournment this morning until Tuesday, February 13, when it was announced that the case of John J. Goff, indicted on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, will be the first one called. The defendant is represented by William R. Wilson, Esq.

In the case of the State against John P. M. Joseph, of Cranford, charged with cruelty to animals in shooting a dog owned by Mrs. Adelaide Stevenson, also of Cranford, which was tried yesterday, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the defendant.

The second trial of Harrison Goldstein against the Public Service Corporation, which was on yesterday before Judge Heisel in the District Court, resulted in a victory for the company. The plaintiff brought suit for damages, claiming that a trolley car hit his wagon in Richmond street some time ago. He lost the first suit and appealed, the second trial being held yesterday, when Goldstein again lost his case.

STRUCK JURY CALLED.

Formally Declares Mrs. Elsie Murr, of Elizabeth, An Insane Person.

For the purpose of formally declaring Mrs. Elsie Murr, of Elizabeth, an insane person, a struck jury was secured in this city, yesterday by Sheriff Weaver at the request of Craig A. Marsh, Dr. Endicott and H. O. Neuman, commissioners in chancery. Mrs. Murr is half owner of some property at Elizabeth and it was to have her declared mentally unfit to care for it that the action was taken. The rents will now be secured for her and paid over to the State to aid in paying the expense of her treatment at the Morris Plains hospital.

The jury was composed of B. F. Coriell, Cornelius vanHerwerden, Robert H. Cook, Henry Liefke, W. McD. Coriell, F. T. Woodhull, J. Hervey Doane, Cyrus D. Boice, V. L. Frazee, A. E. Jenkins and J. W. Faulkner.

To Sail from Burma.

Miss Julia G. Shinn, of the Kemendine Girls' School, Burma, whose engagement to Professor Wallace St. John, of Rangoon College, was recently announced, will sail for America March 12, for a much needed rest. Miss Shinn was connected with the mission work of the First Baptist church, of this place, previous to entering a foreign field.

—The local barber shops will be closed at 12 noon on Monday, Lincoln's birthday.

—VanArsdale has placed on sale this month all odds and ends of stock, and some regular lines of shoes at prices worth your while to take advantage of. •

LIGHT USERS ORGANIZE

Will Form Protective League, to Keep Tabs on Public Service Corporation.

LED BY R. HENRY DEPEW

Comparison of Bills Leads Him to Conclusion That There is Something Wrong in Public Service Corporation.

Organized effort against the P. S. C. is being planned by gas and electric light consumers of Plainfield. A jump in the light bills for January has led to a lot of kicking and an impression in some quarters that the lighting trust deliberately boosted the total on the bills. R. Henry Depew, of Hillside avenue, is one of those whose bills went up with a get-poor-quick leap. He conceived the idea of a consumers' protective league, and set to work immediately to discover if such an organization could be formed.

Encouragement enough was found. The average householder approached by Mr. Depew seemed to regard an anti-lighting trust league as one of the things for which he had been living and praying for years.

Mr. Depew drew up an agreement to be signed by leaguers, and in one day's search for signatures among his friends and neighbors got fifty names on the league roll. That was on Wednesday. Yesterday Mr. Depew sent a general invitation to join the league to several hundred consumers, in every part of the city. The invitation and agreement were laid before them in the following circular letter:

"Dear Sir:

"My electric light bill was increased this month to $17.39 from $12.07 last month and $13.47 for February 1 last year. As I was not aware of any reason for the increase, I began inquiries to see whether the bills of other people had also been raised and and I found that in most cases they had been. You can draw your own inference.

"As individual protests in the past have rarely been productive of satisfactory results. I believe that the only way to handle the situation, will be to form a strong permanent organization, and employ such experts as may be necessary to sift the matter to the bottom, in a way which could not be done by a few individuals.

"To that end I have drawn up the following agreement, and though I only commenced yesterday, I have already obtained about fifty signatures. If you approve of this movement and are willing to join it, will you kindly sign and forward by return mail, if possible, the enclosed agreement, as we wish to organize with as large a number and as quickly as possible?

Agreement.

"'In view of the increase of our bills for electricity and gas, and particularly the great increase in the bills of February 1, which increase seems to be more or less general, and also in view of the poor quality of the gas and the insufficient power of the electricity; we, the undersigned, consider it advisable to form an association to be known as the Plainfield Protective Association.

"'The purpose of the association shall be to work together as a body, and individually, for the thorough investigation of the situation and the correction of any errors which may have been made by the Public Service Corporation, or others.

"'And it shall be the further purpose of the association to take up, from time to time, such other questions as may be deemed advisable for the general welfare of the property owners and residents of Plainfield, and to have corrected any abuses which may be found to exist.

"'We agree to become members of the said association and to pay the sum of ten dollars ($10.00) each for the purpose of employing experts and counsel, when necessary, and for the general expenses of carrying on the work.'

"Also will you kindly ask as many of your friends as possible, to forward their names. When a sufficient number of signatures have been secured, a meeting will be called to complete the association. This is a situation in which we must stand (or fall) together and I earnestly appeal to you to lend your support.

"In returning the agreement, will you kindly give me any particulars in regard to your bills which may be of use. Also are you aware that the Public Service Corporation has two ways of charging—one way for those who know and the other for those who do not? On one plan (the pink bills) they charge 18 cents per 1,000 Watt hours with 10 per cent. discount for payment in 10 days. On the other plan (yellow bills) they charge 18 cents per 1,000 for the first 34,000 Watt hours if the meter

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50c **Ladies' Fine Black Hose,** all sizes, 25 dozen to be sold Saturday, on bargain table in main aisle, per pair **29c**
Four pairs $1.00.

$3.00 $5.00 **Heavy Walking Skirts and Mackintoshes,** about 25 in all, to be sold Saturday while they last at **98c**

50c **Fancy and Plain Colored Silks,** 19 to 24 inches wide, in a variety of styles, to close, per yard **25c**

75c **Fancy and Plain Colored Silks,** 19 to 27 inches wide, to close, per yard.. **50c**

65c and 75c **Corset Cover Embroidery,** all new, special lot of 25 pieces, will be found on bargain table in main aisle, while it lasts at, per yard..... **39c**

25c and 35c **Wool Gloves, Ladies' and Children's,** plain and fancy, in a variety of styles and colors, on bargain table in main aisle, per pair **12½c**

Cups and Saucers—Decorated manufacturers' sample line in several sizes, no two decorated alike, value 35c to 50c, on bargain table for **19c**

19c **India Linon,** 30 inch, fine and sheer, for waists and dresses, one of the best values ever offered at **12½c**

$1.25 **Kid Gloves,** in black, white and all colors, Paris point back, all sizes, per pair **1.00**

19c **Ladies' Pure Linen Hemstitch Handkerchiefs,** only 25 doz. to be sold Saturday, on bargain table, at **10c**

15c **Insertion and Edgings,** from 2 to 4 inches wide, about 500 yards, will be found on bargain table in main aisle at per yard **8c**

50c **Men's Fancy Socks,** fine cotton and lisle thread, silk emb. in black and fancy colors, all sizes from 9½ to 11, pair **25c**

50c **Men's Fleece Lined Underwear,** drawers and shirts, gray mixed, in all sizes, best value ever offered, per garment **39c**

$9.00 **Young Men's Suits,** single and double breasted, sizes from 16 to 20 years only, 25 to sell Saturday at **4.49**

New Goods at Regular Prices of Special Interest.

Muslin Underwear, a new line of Corset Covers, Gowns, Drawers, Chemise and Skirts are on sale from
25c to 5.00.

New Corsets in all the popular makes from
1.00 to 2.50.

Ladies' Underwear, knit goods in light and heavy weights, from
25c up.

Ribbons, new stock, in satin and taffeta, in all the new shades and all widths
3c to 35c.

Ladies' Neckwear, collar and collar and cuff sets
15c to 59c.

Laces and Embroideries in a big range of the newest effects. Val. Laces 5c to 25c; Embroideries
10c to 50c.

White Goods for waists and dresses in a big range of styles and weaves, from
12 1-2c to 35c.

Comforts and Blankets, new line now in, at all prices from
50c to 1.98.

New line of **Napkins, Table Linen and Towels** at all prices.

Wash Goods, mercerized taffeta checks, black, white and all colors
25c.

Printed Silk Organdies in a variety of floral designs
25c.

Printed Batiste, Printed Swisses Printed Percales in all the latest effects at
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Gloves—New line in black, white, tan, gray, beaver, brown, at
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Following the plan it has pursued with regard to almost every municipality along its line, the Central Railroad has given notice to the township collector of an appeal for a reduction in its taxes for second class property in the township, lying between Bound Brook and the borough line. It asks that $8,000 be lopped off the valuation.

Bartholomew Kelly was still alive yesterday afternoon; the doctors told the family in the forenoon that he had a faint chance of recovering. That he had rallied at all from the shock of his injuries was regarded as remarkable and every day he lived added to his chances.

To make the necessity for furnishing tuition at the Plainfield High School clear to the citizens, the school board will hold a public meeting at which the county superintendent will explain the mandatory law. The meeting is being arranged by the president.

Chicken thieves got at Mr. De Brigard's heanery in the village several days ago and made off with twenty-five choice fowls. No clues to the marauders were discovered.

Mayor Wyckoff has instructed the borough marshal to check the practice of riding bicycles on the sidewalk, which has been growing into a nuisance.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church were entertained by Mrs. J. H. L. Peters Wednesday afternoon.

The trustees of the M. E. church held a monthly business meeting Wednesday night. Routine business was transacted.

While in shape for use, the fire escapes on the Lincoln School have not been wholly completed yet by the contractor.

Sociables will be held by the Young People's Societies of both the Presbyterian and Baptist churches tonight.

After a visit to her sister, Mrs. Lester Meseroll, Miss Esther Fryer, of Hightstown, has returned home.

Robert Johnson, for several years W. H. Cole's assistant, is now engaged in mason work in Plainfield.

Miss Mabel Hutchens, of Baltimore, has returned home after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lapham.

Miss Edna McLoughan, of Lebanon, has ended her visit at Mrs. Sarah Fisher's home.

Mrs. Bernard Siriski returned home yesterday from a visit to friends in New York.

Jacob Schneider and Walter Elliott have cut the wood on the Mahlon Vail place.

The P. S. C. has made plans to lay a new switch on Lincoln boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Phillips have moved to Plainfield.

The young son of A. J. Hamley is ill.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Over fifty couple enjoyed the reception and dance given last night by the Suburban Athletic Club in the club's hall, Fanwood. While dancing was the feature of the evening, still those who tired of this had the freedom of the club's bowling alleys and billiard room. At midnight a short intermission was had while refreshments were served, after which dancing was resumed and continued until a late hour. The series of dances the club's entertainment committee arranged for the winter are very popular among the young people not only here but from Plainfield and Westfield. Each dance proves to be even more enjoyable than its predecessor and last night's reception held the rule good. Music was furnished by Suhr's orchestra.

Funeral services of Mrs. Lynus Walpole were held this morning at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's church, Plainfield, a short service being held at the home at 8 o'clock. Rev. Father Bogan, rector of the church, was in charge of both services. The obsequies were attended by a large gathering of relatives and friends. The floral offerings, expressions of kind sympathy, were many and included a number of handsome set pieces. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery, Plainfield, the pall bearers being William H. Lee, Ferdinand Schmidt, John Alberts, Louis Morel, John Schmidt and George H. Johnston.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church has presented Mrs. J. H. Parks, who has been identified with the work of the circle for a number of years, with a "Sunshine Bag." Mrs. Parks recently broke an ankle by making a misstep coming down stairs. The bag contains a package or kind remembrance from every member of the circle, one of which is to be taken out each day during her long and tedious wait while the bone knits once more.

The Township Committee meets tonight in the town rooms. Any bills to be paid at this meeting should be presented to Township Clerk Edward L. Hand before 8 o'clock.

A. N. Alpaugh and family, who have been residents of the borough for the past year, will remove to Westfield shortly.

A. L. Frentz has the contract for building several new houses which will be erected at Westfield shortly.

Rev. T. Moore-Smith will lead the weekly prayer and praise service tonight at the Baptist church.

Mrs. William Larue, of Matawan; Mrs. John Emmons and daughter, Mrs. Andrew Findley, of Jersey City, were guests of Plainfield relatives yesterday.

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Olives, Plain or Stuffed (10c kind), bottle	8c
Jello, Assorted Flavors (10c kind), a pkg	8c
Karo Corn Syrup (10c kind), a can	8c
Shredded Wheat Biscuit, a package	10c
Quaker Puffed Rice, a package	8c
American Mixed Candy (10c kind), lb	7c

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Salt Mackerel, choice white fish, each	8c
Cromarty Smoked Bloaters, 2 for	5c
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Soused Mackerel, 1 lb. tin	14c
McCann's Irish Oatmeal, 5 lb. tin	53c
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3 lb. package B. B. Buckwheat	15c
3 lb. can Syrup	15c
1 package Macaroni	10c
1 bottle Scheuer's Catsup	13c
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1 bottle Vanilla	15c
1 can Baked Beans	10c
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Grandma's Cookies, lb	12c
Sultana Fruit Crackers, lb	15c
Fig Bars, lb	12c
Graham Crackers, lb	12c
2 packages Cracker Jack	10c
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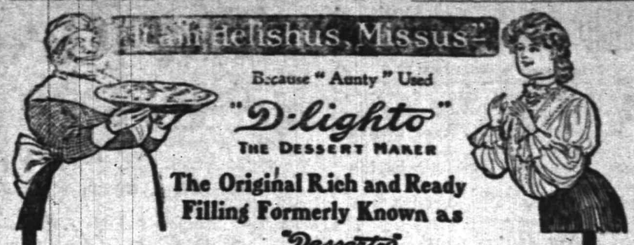

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Charles Frohman will present William Collier, who has but lately returned from a famous success in London in Augustus Thomas' witty comedy, "On the Quiet," for one performance at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night. Mr. Collier's opening bill in London was "The Dictator," and he scored at once with a hit that attracted crowds and finally royalty itself, the King and Queen witnessing his performance and calling upon him to accept their thanks and approval. In the height of its success Mr. Frohman decided to replace "The Dictator" with "On the Quiet," just to show London that Mr. Collier was not a one-part actor and that he did not depend on any one vehicle. The success of "On the Quiet" was even more decided than the opening bill, and the American comedian became a fad.

The entire interest of the local theatregoing public is now centered in the approaching engagement of the extraordinary New York and London musical success entitled "The School Girl," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Monday for two performances, matinee and night. As is well known, the music of "The School Girl" is by the composer of "Florodora," and is generally said to be that author's best work. The production was first presented at the Prince of Wales theatre in London, where it ran for more than four hundred nights, and was then brought to Daly's theatre, New York City, where it was enthusiastically received for one hundred and fifty nights. "The School Girl" is now making its first road tour, and comes here just as presented in the cities mentioned.

"The Walls of Jericho," a play in three acts, written by Alfred Sutro, which has been the chief dramatic success in New York this year, having just closed a season of over six months in that city, will be presented by Mary Mannering and an excellent supporting company at the New Plainfield theatre next Wednesday night for a single performance. "The Walls of Jericho" was first produced in London at the Garrick theatre two years ago, and enjoyed a long run at that house.

One of the events of the local theatrical season will be the appearance of "Under Southern Skies" at the New Plainfield theatre next Friday night. So great has been the success of this beautiful play throughout the East that four entire seasons have been played there, many cities being visited four and five times. The play is in the author's most delightful vein and when it is remembered that Mrs. Parker, who wrote "Under Southern Skies," also wrote "Way Down East," much may be expected of this her latest drama.

The announcement that Thomas Dixon, Jr.'s, Southern play, "The Clansman," would be shown here at the New Plainfield theatre on Monday, February 19, has excited intense interest. Thousands of those who have read Mr. Dixon's novels, "The Leopard's Spots" and "The Clansman," and the vastly greater number of newspaper readers who have followed the sensational progress of the play throughout the country, await the promised production as the one big event of the dramatic season.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 9, 1906.

John D. Rockefeller need not worry over the threatened coal strike or an advance in the price of ice next summer, though an estimate of his dividends for the last year approximates a paltry $40,000,000.

In requesting that no present be sent his daughter in the name of any government, President Roosevelt acts in good taste and displays his usual good common sense. What reason there could be for any nation to feel that it is called to send a present every time a member of the family of a Republic's executive is married is very hard to discover.

Much good can come from the suggested Plainfield Protective Association if it exerts its efforts in the right direction and does not have such a passive existence as usually characterizes a board of trade. One of its first objects, according to Mr. Depew, will be to investigate lighting bills in the interest of householders generally. In this it should receive hearty support, but judgment should be suspended until the company which supplies this utility is given a hearing. Because bills are higher than customary does not warrant anyone jumping at a conclusion that the lighting concern is dishonest. The fact that it is the P. S. C. should not prejudice the case and will not in the eyes of sober-minded people. It is a common practice nowadays for reformers to hit at corporations right and left. So long as they keep within the law there should be no difference in treatment between an incorporated body and a collection of individual citizens. If the P. S. C. is charging exorbitant rates it should be brought to book in short order, not because it happens to be a huge corporation but rather because it is robbing its customers.

AND NOW SOMERVILLE'S ASSISTANT P. M. GETS OUT.

Beckman Resigns Rather Than Work For His Salary.

The latest development in the Somerville postoffice muddle is the resignation of Assistant Postmaster Azariah M. Beckman. Mr. Beekman is a member of the law firm of Beekman & Vosseller and he declares that the Postoffice Department at Washington, D. C., recently issued an order requiring him to work eight hours each day in the postoffice, and as he could not afford to sacrifice his large law practice in order to comply with this regulation he forwarded his resignation.

Mr. Beekman is continuing to assist Acting Postmaster John G. Gaston and will do so until his successor as assistant postmaster is appointed. Among those prominently mentioned for the position are Bogart T. Conkling, Ezra H. Weldon and Abram A. Reger.

The investigation of the affairs of the Somerville office has given cause for many very sensational rumors, and, from the best information that can be obtainted until the result of the recent investigation by two inspectors from Washington is made public, Postmaster Cooper will not be reinstated.

It is also said that the inspectors will return here and continue their investigation in the near future.

Former Resident Dies at Newark.

Mrs. Angelina W. Woodland, wife of Hiram B. Woodland, died at her home in Newark yesterday, after a long illness. The family formerly resided in the borough, and is well known in this locality. There are surviving two daughters, the Misses Sue D. and Alice Woodland, and one son, Herbert Woodland, who lives in New York. The funeral will be held from the late residence, 272 North Sixth street, Newark, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and the interment will be in this city at the convenience of the family.

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MATTY'S GREAT CONTROL.

The Giants' Crack Pitcher Hit but One Batter All Season.

Pitching records of the National League for the season of 1905 are interesting to New York fans because of the fact that the twirling staff of the champions figures prominently, and for the further reason that "Noodles" Hahn, who will pitch for the Yankees next season, averaged less than one base on balls a game, a wonderful showing for a left hander.

Christy Mathewson looms up as a champion among champions. He hit but one man during the entire season and allowed the smallest average of runs. Leon Ames struck out more men on an average than any other twirler in the league, and Elliott allowed the smallest average of hits, though his record is not to be seriously considered, as he showed in the box only a few times.

Union Officials Laid Up.

Some of Union County's prominent officials are now in bad shape physically. Sheriff William H. Lawrence, of Summitt, has been in Florida for the last three weeks recuperating, and County Registrar Frank H. Smith, of this city, who has been ailing for some time, started last Saturday for Florida, where he will spend a month trying to pull himself together. County Clerk James C. Calvert, of Elizabeth, still sticks to his post, although he says he is not feeling very well himself and would also like to make a trip to the Land of Flowers.

Arnold Won Kicking Contest.

The championship of the city having been claimed by one of them, H. G. Black, mamager of the Plainfield beef house, and Charles Arnold, the well known butcher, engaged in a high kicking contest, yesterday afternoon. Edward Kinsey was appointed referee and declared Arnold the winner with a reach of seven feet, six inches, against Black's record of an even seven feet. The loser is anxious for another try and a second match is being arranged for next week.

Entertained Whist Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard S. Smith, of Duer street, entertained a whist club at their home last night. There were the usual number of tables, four, and the playing was enjoyed very much. Mrs. Frank E. Woodruff and Percy Dayton acted as substitutes, and each won first prize for women and men, respectively. Mrs. F. S. Cutter won second prize for the women and Hiram Woodruff the second for the men. Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar, of Craig place, will entertain the club on Thursday night, March 8.

To Make Voorhees Judge.

Governor Stokes will next week send to the Senate the nomination of his old-time friend and fellow-Senator, former Governor Foster M. Voorhees as an additional Circuit Court judge, a position created by the last Legislature and not yet filled. It is expected that the Senate will confer on the former Governor the distinction that is usually accorded former members of the upper house—that of confirming the nomination without going into executive session.

Entertained the Flinch Club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hervey Doane, of East Seventh street, entertained the Flinch Club at their home, last night. This club is comprised of people from Dunellen and this city, there being twelve couples. The evening was spent in playing "Flinch," after which Mr. and Mrs. Doane served refreshments.

Disregard Lincoln's Day.

The grocers of this city have reached a closing agreement as to Washington's birthday and Lincoln's birthday. They will close all day on February 22 and they wont close at all on February 12.

—The third annual banquet of the Wanamassa Boat Club will be held at the Broadway Central, New York, Saturday night, February 17. Covers will be laid for fifty.

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This sale has created a flurry in our Carpet business. Never has the department been so pushed at this season of the year. People are crowding to share in the low prices now prevailing before removing stock to main floor. The time is growing short. Wise buyers will act quickly.

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1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
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10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
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Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

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There will be a meeting of special importance to the young people at the First Baptist church tonight. Miss Florence Wohlfert will lead.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold a temperance meeting tonight. Charles VanWinkle will be the leader.

Miss Louella C. Harris, soprano soloist at the First Baptist church, who has been detained at home by illness, expects to return to her place on Sunday.

The officers of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school have decided to continue the running of a stage between Netherwood and the church on Sundays during the present month.

B. Carter Millikin, the youngest secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, will speak at the Young People's Society meeting in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tonight.

Adjutant Hopkins and Captain McDonald, the new officers assigned to the local Salvation Army work, have arrived and are now in charge. Ensign and Mrs. Magee, who were sent to Albany, N. Y., have taken up their residence at 132 South Pearl street, that city.

Home Mission Social.

The members of the Women's Home Missionary Society of Grace M. E. church and their friends to the number of forty enjoyed a social and entertainment at the home of Mrs. Edward Vermeule, of Jackson avenue, last night. In addition to an informal programme of vocal and instrumental music, Miss Ham, conference corresponding secretary for the Women's Home Missionary Society, gave a talk on the subject of "Will It Pay?" referring to home mission work.

Mrs. Walpole's Funeral.

Funeral services over the body of Mrs. Johanna Walpole, wife of Lynus Walpole, were held this morning. At her late home in Scotch Plains a prayer was offered by Rev. T. Moore-Smith and later a requiem mass was conducted at St. Mary's church by Rev. Father Delehanty. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery, the pall bearers being George Johnson, William Lee, Frank Rapp, Louis Morrell, Fred Smith and Joseph Alberts.

The Moon in Eclipse.

There was a total eclipse of the moon at 1:58 o'clock this morning, but nobody saw it. Amateur observers who had figured on witnessing the phenomenon were doomed to disappointment by the snowstorm which began early last evening and continued throughout the night. The eclipse was itself eclipsed by a curtain of densely falling white flakes which screened the heavens from earthly eyes.

Former Pastors to Attend.

Among the former pastors of the German Reformed church who have promised to attend the eighteenth anniversary celebration planned for next Monday night are Rev. F. Koechli and Rev. John Justin. Choral singing by the Gesang and Turn Verein's Singing Section will be a feature. The preliminary celebration at the church Sunday will be marked by special sermons by Pastor Schneegas.

Pavilion Demolished by Wind.

An extra heavy gust of wind at 10:30 this morning blew down the long pavilion in the rear of W. W. Warnock's bakery, built many years ago by C. K. Compton. The structure was fifty feet long and in falling made a crash that roused the entire neighborhood. One of Warnock's delivery wagons barely escaped being struck by the heavy timbers.

The Storm No Barrier.

The band concert fair in Saengerbund Hall continues to draw big crowds. The attendance last night was gratifying despite the storm and the entertainment provided by "Billy" Murray, Eddie Weston and Louis Anderson was highly satisfactory. Several new features will be introduced tonight.

QUEEN ESTHER CIRCLE OF GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

Girls Organize an Auxiliary to Women's Home Missionary Society.

The Queen Esther Circle, an auxiliary to the Women's Home Missionary Society of Grace M. E. church, was formed yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. P. Stevens, on Grandview avenue. It is composed of young girls, and thepurpose is to assist the older society in doing home mission work. Mrs. Stevens took the initiative and the organization was completed yesterday by Miss Ham, of Cranford, conference corresponding secretary for the Women's Home Missionary Society, and Miss Weeks, of Elizabeth, secretary for young people's work.

These officers were elected: President, Miss Lillian Nicholson; first vice-president, Miss Stella Kline; second vice-president, Miss Marion Mager; recording secretary, Miss Edna Stout; corresponding secretary, Miss Alice Vroom; treasurer, Miss Grace Beeching; committee on literature, Miss Stella Kline, Miss Jennie Hummer; committee on music, Miss Marion Mager and Miss Katherine Peney.

After the organization was completed there was a social time and remarks were made by Miss Ham and Miss Weeks encouraging the new society in the work it is about to undertake.

Prosecutor Asks Tolla Affidavits.

Hackensack, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Antoinette Tolla, under sentence of death in the county jail at Hackensack, was told yesterday morning of the third reprieve granted her. Prosecutor Koester seemed much surprised when he read some of the affidavits of new evidence on which Governor Stokes granted the reprieve. The prosecutor has written to Mrs. Quackenbos, counsel for Mrs. Tolla, asking for a copy of each affidavit.

P. H. S. Organizations Elect.

The musical organizations of the Plainfield High School met this morning and elected officers as follows: President, Malcolm Davis; vice president, Eleanor VanTuyl; manager, Weston Gavett. Miss M. E. Pound, Miss Antoinette Aalholm and Weston Gavett were appointed to provide a constitution for adoption.

Borough Officials' Thoughtfulness.

Long before residents were ready to leave their homes this morning, Mayor Smalley and Street Commissioner Emmons had men and horses out with plows breaking sidewalk paths. They made it possible for teachers and children to get to school in comfort and business men to reach offices and stores without climbing over drifts.

Seniors to Present Play.

The senior class of the city High School will shortly present a German play by Schiller entitled, "The Nephew as Uncle." The parts will be assigned by competition.

—Allen B. Laing has leased the property on Sycamore street, known as the Olympia, and will soon open an auto garage there.

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DIED.

WOODLAND—At Newark, N. J., on Feb. 8, 1906, Angelina D., wife of Hiram B. Woodland.

Funeral services at her late residence, 272 North Sixth street, Newark, N. J., on Sunday, February 11, at 4 p. m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Interment at Plainfield, N. J., at convenience of family. 2 9 2

RUNYON—At Elizabeth, N. J., on Wednesday, Feb. 7, 1906, Jane, widow of Ephraim J. Runyon, in her 92d year.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. E. V. Burrows, 138 Chilton street, Elizabeth, N. J., on Saturday, Feb. 10, at 1:30 p. m. Interment at Plainfield, N. J., at 3 p. m. 2 8 2

Classified Advertisements

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MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, 211 North avenue. 2 5 6

$4,000.00 to loan on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 5 31 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 3 31 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. 2 23 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue. tf

Lost and Found.

WILL gentleman who picked up three pairs of gloves on Park avenue and Second street, yesterday, return to Daily Press office? Reward.

LOST—On the 9:45 car from Plainfield to Westfield on Tuesday, February 6, a pocketbook containing money. Reward at 751 Midway Ave.

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WANTED — Assistant chambermaid and waitress. Apply evenings, 123 West Seventh St. 2 7 tf

EXPERIENCED waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once. Call Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 2 8 3

WANTED—Strong, willing girl for general housework; good references required. Apply 34 Harrison avenue, Westfield, N. J. 2 8 3

WAIST and skirt hands. Mme. Boutes, 325 West Second St. 2 8 3

WANTED—Competent white woman as cook and laundress. Apply Mrs. William C. Kinney, 828 Arlington avenue. 2 7 tf

WANTED—Colored girl to do laundry work and assist with other work. Mrs. West, 120 Crescent Ave. 2 7 4

OPERATORS, tuckers and lace runners wanted on muslin skirts; good and steady work to good hands. Apply Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street. 2 9 2

WANTED—Young white girl to assist in housework. Apply 205 Watchung avenue, North Plainfield. 2 9 2

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WANTED—A competent white waitress. Apply evenings, 511 West Seventh street. 2 7 3

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 tf

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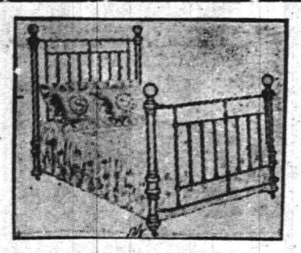

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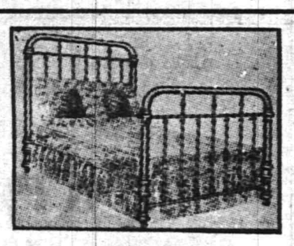

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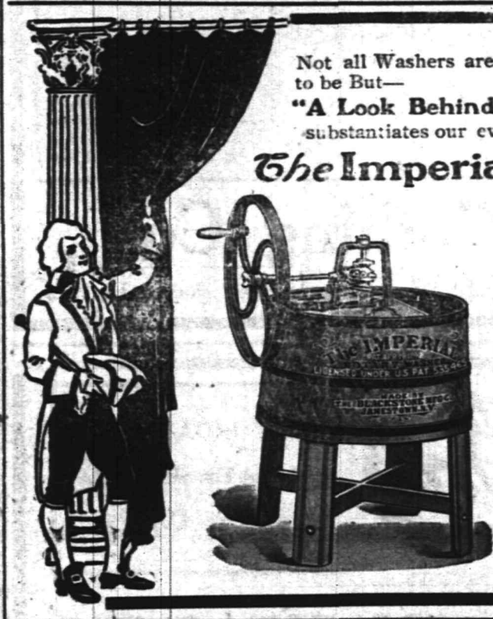

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Carlton Avenue, from the northerly curb line of Putnam Avenue to the southeasterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Kensington Avenue, from the northerly curb line of Watchung Avenue to the southeasterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Randolph Road, from the easterly curb line of Plainfield Avenue to Cedar Brook;

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U S Bnds to Secure Circulation		150,000 00
Due from U S. Treasurer		7,500 00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures		71,202 50
Cash on hand and in Banks		253,917 05
		$1 845,255 17

LIABILITIES

Capital	$ 150,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits, (earned)	195,757 02
Circulation	144,600 00
Deposits	1,354,898 15
	$1,845,255 17

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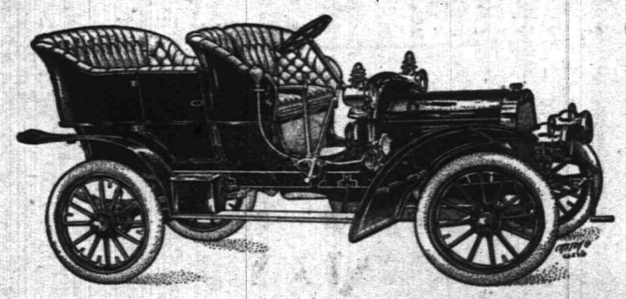

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PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haurand are happy over the arrival of a young son.

Mrs. A. P. Drew, of West Front street, is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Baltus Melick, of North Branch, are now residing at 124 East Front street.

Edmund Embury, of Summit, formerly of Washington avenue, has been in town on business.

Councilman and Mrs. George P. Mellick, of East Seventh street, are sojourning at Hotel Bon Air, Georgia.

PERSONAL.

Bernard Brady, formerly of Liberty street, who recently purchased Robert A. Meeker's house on West Front street, has taken possession.

W. G. Besler, vice president and general manager of the New Jersey Central, is expected home within a few days. He sailed this week from Jamaica.

Mrs. Earl, formerly Miss Ella Gilligan, now of New York, but for many years a resident of this city, has been visiting friends in town for a short time.

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President for Rutgers.

Prof. W. H. S. Demarest was elected yesterday president of Rutgers College at New Brunswick, at a special meeting of the trustees. He had been acting president ten months, Dr. Austin Scott resigned ten months ago, the resignation to take effect on Jan. 1. Dr. Demarest was made acting president and Dr. Scott given a vacation until his resignation was effective, owing to ill health.

Hoch's Last Hope Gone.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 9.—The Supreme Court yesterday denied a rehearing in the case of Johann Hoch, sentenced to be hanged in Chicago February 23 for wife murder.

Ticket Agents Change.

William Pace, formerly ticket agent at the Grant Avenue station, has taken a similar position at the westbound North Avenue station. Mr. Billett, who previously held this position, has left the employ of the New Jersey Central to engage in mercantile business.

Minister Tries Suicide.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—The Rev. J. G. Wade, pastor of the First Congregational church at Waukegan, Ill., arrested Wednesday for sending obscene letters, attempted suicide yesterday by throwing himself in front of a railway train. He may recover.

—The February meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will be held on Tuesday morning, Feb. 13, at 11 o'clock, in the small hall of the Y. M. C. A. The change from Monday is made on account of Lincoln's birthday.

JOHNSON TO BE HANGED.

Murderer of Miss Allinson Convicted —Denied Assault.

Mount Holly, Feb. 9.—Rufus Johnson, tried yesterday for the murder of Miss Florence Allinson, insisted that he did not assault the woman. The jury returned a verdict of guilty in the first degree. Johnson was sentenced to be hanged on February 23.

Johnson took the stand and told his own story, being particular to impress upon the jury that there was no criminal assault. This course was pursued in the hope of getting a second degree verdict. Johnson said that when he grappled with Miss Allinson in the barn she fell against the door and cut her head.

The prisoner's counsel said there was no evidence to show assault, and asked for a verdict of murder in the second degree.

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COLLEGE MEN UNANIMOUSLY FAVOR A CLUB

Two Hundred and Ten Graduates of Institutions of Learning Gather at the Casino.

HAVE A JOLLY TIME

Mr. McCutchen Toastmaster—Humorous Speeches—Plenty to Eat and Drink—Committee is Appointed.

So successful was the college smoker held at the Casino last night that steps were taken to form a college club here. The proposition, as presented by its originator, Owen H. Fleming, to whose efforts the success of the smoker was largely due, was received with great enthusiasm by every representative, and before the festivities were over a committee of ten was appointed to undertake the work at once and to devise ways and means for establishing a permanent organization.

In many respects the gathering last night was notable. It was the first time that representatives of so many colleges have been brought together here, and, as stated by Mr. Fleming, when it is realized that Plainfield has a larger proportion of college men, according to its population, than any other place in the State, there is every reason why a club should be organized. The higher institutions of learning have 415 graduates here, and 210 of these attended last night's meeting. Many others will join the movement at the next meeting.

From the start true college spirit was in evidence and continued until the last man left the place. Every man whooped it up for his alma mater and that of his fellows, and one would have imagined that the entire assemblage was graduated from the same college, save for the good natured jollying that was a feature of the several speeches. Intermingling the talks the occasion was enlivened by the singing of college songs and lively airs by Van Eps Brothers' banjo orchestra. Frequently the college men would burst out in singing one of their favorite songs and all would join in the chorus.

In the decoration of the hall the arrangement of American and college flags was unique. Everyone of the fifty-six colleges represented had its colors displayed. Perhaps greater prominence was given to those of the "Big Four"—Yale, Princeton, Pennsylvania and Harvard, while encircling the large room were the various flags of other institutions, surmounted by a broad band of gold embroidery. The entire front of the stage was covered with various colors, while the ceiling was attractively festooned with bunting.

Numerous round tables were placed about the room and the college men gathered about to enjoy their pipe and mug of liquid refreshments and pretzels. Later in the evening a buffet supper, consisting of salad, coquettes and other good things, was served.

Samuel St. John McCutchen was toastmaster. He made a few pleasant remarks, in which he jollied Owen H. Fleming, chairman of the committee, explaining that he was "the whole show." Mr. Fleming was introduced, and explained his plan of forming a permanent organization among the college men. Everyone caught the idea and unanimously pledged his support to such a movement.

Harry L. Hall, Columbia, was introduced as the exponent of the "New Jerusalem." He hailed with delight Mr. Fleming's idea and hoped that such gatherings would find a permanent place in the calendar. He felt sure it "would result in the betterment of Plainfield and her winsome sister across the brook." Incidentally he remarked that college men are a factor in politics, citing the fact that a graduate of Amherst, now a member of the Common Council, is relieving the policemen by supplying them with rubber heels, so that they would not awaken each other.

In introducing City Judge William N. Runyon, Yale, Mr. McCutchen remarked that he does lose his records occasionally, but, believing that his memory is just as good, Mr. Reed would rather have his memory than the records.

Mr. Runyon paid his compliments to fair Harvard, and in referring to Columbia for her action in abolishing football said, "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall inherit the earth." He was glad that Princeton had taken the initiative in the smoker, for he loved her as a proud possession of New Jersey. He said that Mr. Fleming had done his work well, and in speaking for Yale said that her graduates here would enthusiastically support the movement to form a club.

McCready Sykes, Princeton, addressed the gathering as the "fifty-seven varieties," and then in turn he passed out hits on Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, Evarts Tracy, Harry L. Hall, Councilman W. S. Tyler. He corrected Judge Runyon's quotation of Scripture, adding that it is "Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth." Mr. Sykes gave a brief review of the founding of Yale and Princeton and concluded with an amusing story.

William L. Saunders, Pennsylvania, was introduced as a manufacturer of compressed air, and the former Mayor added that he represented that "weaker sister across the brook." He touched up Yale, saying that he would stand being called down by anyone but a man from New Haven. He said that somehow Yale men always have cold feet when they meet Pennsylvania. While Yale is noted for her preachers and lawyers, Pennsylvania is equally noted for her doctors and politicians. He remarked that Benjamin Franklin founded Pennsylvania in 1749, and that today she is fifth in seniority with a student body of 3,500 and a more varied list of studies than any other institution of learning. He also expressed pleasure at joining in the movement for a college club.

In introducing the next speaker, Charles A. Reed, of Rutgers, the toastmaster humorously remarked that it was a race between Mr. Marsh and Mr. Reed as to who should acquit Chief Kiely, but there was no question as to who got the stuff. Mr. Reed welcomed the idea of a college club, adding that it might be as good as the order of Elks and that he considered the best in the town. He thought such a club could accomplish much good and he hoped that all the college men would get together and do something.

At this time H. C. White made a motion that the chair appoint a committee of ten to consider a permanent organization and take such steps as it seems best in the matter. The motion was unanimously adopted and this committee was appointed: J. M. Snellabarger and Owen H. Fleming, Princeton; Charles A. Reed, Rutgers; Harry L. Hall, Columbia; William N. Runyon, S. St. J. McCutchen, Yale; Archibald Cox, Harvard; William L. Saunders, Pennsylvania; W. C. Kinney, Dartmouth; Dr. F. C. Ard, University of Maryland.

The college men present were as follows:

Princeton—C. B. Andrews, Dr. J. Hervey Buchanan, J. Whitney Baker, Dudley H. Barrows, A. D. Beers, Irving W. Clark, H. J. Cochran Owen H. Fleming, Augustus Faber, Dr. Ellis W. Hedges, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, Langdon Howard, Philip Langdon, James P. Murray, Dr. W. H. Murray, H. C. Munger, Harry O'Donnell, Edward J. Patterson, Charles W. Scribner, McCready Sykes, Joseph M. Shellabarger, William Schoonmaker, Duncan W. Taylor, Knox Taylor, L. L. Tweedy, O. G. Waring.

Yale—Gordon Abbott, C. W. Abbott, A. H. Atterbury, W. M. Alling, P. H. Bailey, Harold Brown, H. E. Butler, E. V. Cox, Thomas M. Day, George Dupee, Charles Dupee, C. B. Eddy, Charles H. Frost, George H. Fountain, Augustus R. Fisk, James A. Hutchinson, Rev. Dr. W. S. Hubbell, Howard Huntington, Lemuel R. Hopton, James R. Joy, Reuben Knox, Harry B. Lovell, Samuel St. J. McCutchen, Clifford W. McGee, Raymond A. McGee, Effingham Pinto, Carroll Runyon, William N. Runyon, Edward A. Stevenson, F. R. Stelle, Evarts Tracy, Howard C. Tract, William B. Tyler, F. W. Wallace, John M. Whiton, H. H. Williams, L. A. Williams, Jr., J. Williams, H. K. White, Dr. A. K. Brennan.

Pennsylvania—Stephen Aldrich, Dr. P. B. Cregar, G. H. Condict, Dr. Charles Davis, Dr. F. J. Hughes, F. W. Iredell, Dr. Charles Moore, Dr. C. W. Montfort, William L. Saunders, Dr. A. F. Van Horn, Fullerton Weaver.

Harvard—Roy Cox, Leighton Calkins, Archibald Cox, Victor McCutchen, Frank Talmadge, Willard Wadsworth.

Cornell—Wylie Brown, Cyrus Kinsman, G. H. Mourning, Frederick Overton, Frank W. Runyon, Walter Teagle.

Columbia—Clinton Burke, Jr., Charles H. Detwiller, W. L. Glenney, J. R. Greenleaf, Harry L. Hall, Harold Hall, Charles King, C. Powell Karr, Andrew McClean Parker, Rev. Erskine M. Rodman, Charles Robert, Ralph Schoonmaker, Harry Schwed.

Clinton Hall—Dr. P. J. Zeglio.

Amherst—William M. Clark, Frederick W. Goddard, W. F. Merrill, A. L. Otterson, W. L. Righter, W. R. Rushmore, Mason W. Tyler, William S. Tyler, C. B. Tyler, F. D. Warner.

New York University—E. W. Bulkley, Leslie M. Daniel, Dr. Frank W. French, Dr. M. O'M. Knott, John R. Evans.

Dartmouth—Alson M. Abbott, Otis E. Hovey, W. C. Kinney.

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Y. M. C. A. IS LAGGING

Secretary Smith Makes Blunt Statement to the Local Association.

NOT UP TO THE AVERAGE

Workers Must Throw Themselves Into Spiritual Work, He Says, or See Association Go Back Further.

Fred B. Smith, international secretary of the Y. M. C. A., gave the directors and members of the local association one of the plainest talkings-to they have ever received on their organization last night. He told them some blunt truths about their association, without any sweetening. For one thing, he declared the organization was spiritually weak, and not up to the acerage of other associations.

Mr. Smith was the guest of honor at a banquet. He has been speaking to large audiences on Y. M. C. A. work in big cities, and when the local association learned that he would come here for a conference the dinner was arranged in order to bring the directors and members in closer contact with him than would be possible at a general meeting of the usual kind. The banquet was attended by about fifty of the most active Y. M. C. A. workers, including practically all the directors, and a number of clergymen. Among the latter were Rev. A. C. McCrea, Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons, Rev. L. R. Howard, Rev. G. W. Mooney and Rev. Phil Parsons. The dinner was a very good one, served perfectly. It was held in the upstairs hall, which wore a cosy, homelike look with softshaded lamps at the half-dozen small tables.

After the demi-tasse stage President J. W. Gavett introduced Mr. Smith. The latter began his speech with a strong declaration of the power of the association movement. He returned recently from a trip to Europe and Australia, and could speak of the world-wide force of the association idea at first hand. He pictured strong love for Christianity and the movement to evangelize the world everywhere. Even among the Sioux Indians of the Rosebud agency he found it, where he met a young Redman graduate of Carlisle School who had traveled forty miles every Sunday for a year to attend religious meetings. Mr. Smith said he asked that young Indian to travel with h him merely to tell of his weekly journeys. He wanted that Indian, he said, to give his message "to weakhearted, gingerbread white men who had never learned to be faithful to any ideal or thing."

Everywhere in his journeys abroad he was struck by the strength and virility of the Y. M. C. A. movement. He told of impressive meetings in Paris, Rome and Switzerland. "I want you to know," he said, "that when you are working, praying and giving, you are striking a blow for the betterment of the whole world.

"We are engaged in a great work," he said, "and I am glad I am alive to take part in it. I am satisfied with the times in which it has pleased God to have me live. The twentieth century will be full of marvels, and the wise man does not attempt to prophesy what shall come to pass in it, but I am certain of this, that the mightiest movement of the century will be the taking of the world for God by the old church.

"The Y. M. C. A. has a great opportunity before it, and one great danger. The danger lies not in a lack of money, not in a lack of buildings. No; the danger is that in one hour of affluence we may forget the fundamental principles that made us what we are. It is an awful test of spirituality to prosper in business. Only a very few men can prosper and remain true to God. It is an awful test for a church to prosper financially. I have seen churches garbed in stone and all architectural beauties outside, like cathedrals, that were in rags spiritually.

"I want to speak carefully tonight, but I cannot help thinking of some Y. M. C. A.'s that are impotent spiritually because of financial ease. We are getting popularity and praise. Men praise us today who scorned us ten years ago; we are popular with those who but recently had only contempt for us. Can we stand such praise and popularity and keep true? The issue before the Y. M. C. A. is this: Can we make the spirit dominant? Can we make it produce what we promised? We are under a double covenant to make and keep this a spiritual movement—under covenant with God and with the church. The power and strength of the Y. M. C. A. has come from only one source—the movement has reached its present strength because God has seen fit to give it His benediction.

"If I am certain of anything, it is that the one ordained institution for the salvation of the world is the church. We must keep our covenant with the church and do her work.

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RECOMMEND P. M. BIRD FOR ANOTHER TERM

HIS ADMINISTRATION FORMALLY ENDORSED BY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE.

Postmaster Bird's reappointment to office received the formal endorsement of the Republican city organization last night. The city committee, meeting in regular session, passed resolutions commending his administration, and recommending that he be continued in office.

The action is equivalent to a reappointment. There is no opposition to Mr. Bird's desire for another term, and his administration has been of such a high order of merit from every standpoint that there is no doubt the President will send his name to the Senate again as soon as it is laid before him by Congressman Fowler. The formal reappointment may not be sent in by the President for several weeks. Mr. Bird's term will not run out until June 1.

The committee endorsed Jesse Lawson, colored, whose legal residence is in this city, for the position of recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia. Resolutions were passed asking the Congressman and Senator to further Lawson's candidacy. Lawson is now in one of the departments at Washington.

The additions to the committee were not decided upon. The list will not be made public until next month.

PENNSYLVANNIA RAILROAD CONTROLS THE P.S.C.?

PERSISTANT RUMOR OF CHANGE OF TROLLEY INTERESTS.

A rumor is current today that the Belmont-Ryan interests, together with those of the Pennsylvania Railroad, have secured control of the Public Service Corporation and that the banking house of Pierpont Morgan will finance the deal. It is further said that details will be made public within two or three weeks.

Some time ago it was announced that the Public Service Corporation would build an express line between Jersey City and Newark. Since then the Pennsylvania Railroad has declared that it will build this line, and it is said that there is a community of interest whereby the trolley company will use the Belmont tunnel system between Jersey City and New York. During the past few weeks Public Service Corporation stock has experienced a sharp advance and it is the general opinion that new interests will have the trolley company's holding before long.

AUTO CASE DISMISSAL.

Nathan Sachs Securing Money Settlement with F. F. Bulkley.

Criminal action against F. F. Bulkley, the Westfield automobilist whose machine smashed up Nathan Sachs' buggy on Front street last week, was dropped this morning. The defendant's counsel, F. J. Blatz, said his client had instituted civil action, was willing to get all his satisfaction on those lines, and asked that the case be dismissed.

Mr. Blatz brought suit for $200 against Mr. Bulkley in Justice Hand's court a few days after the accident. In moving for a dismissal, Mr. Blatz told the court that he and Mr. Bulkley's counsel, Walter L. Hetfield, had almost reached a settlement of the claim and expected to close it very shortly. Judge Runyon, as is usual in cases of the kind, granted the motion to dismiss.

NOT GENERALLY OBSERVED.

Merchants Will Keep Stores Open on Monday.

Although Monday, Lincoln's birthday, is a legal holiday in this State, it will not be generally observed in this city. The circulating department of the Public Library will be closed, but the reading room will be open from 2 until 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

The barber shops will close at 12 o'clock noon. All of the merchants in the city will keep their stores open as usual. The drug stores will also keep open, there being six holidays during the year when they close at 1 o'clock in th afternoon.

A Birthday Surprise.

Miss Ethel Reynolds, of Somerset street, was tendered a surprise party last night in honor of her birthday. Thirty friends were in attendance and passed a most enjoyable evening.

—Harper, of 411 Park avenue, will be open all day Lincoln's Birthday.

Paul Taylor Brown, of Belvidere avenue, who recently went South for his health, has not improved and a trianed nurse left Plainfield yesterday to accompany him to his home.

ELKS MINSTREL PROGRAM

Side-Splitting Performance in Three Parts in Which Fifty Artists will Appear.

LOCAL HITS AND SONGS

"I've Changed My Mind," the Original Song by Judge Runyon—"Comedy Quartette" Also Original.

After weeks of painstaking preparation, the members of Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., are in readiness to make their initial bow as black-face artists. Their final rehearsal will be held next Thursday afternoon and on the succeeding night the local public will be permitted to see what promises to be the most successful amateur minstrel show ever given in the city. Fifty artists have been drilled into shape by City Judge William N. Runyon, whose ability in this direction remains unparalleled, and no expense has been spared in providing the proper surroundings. When the curtain of the New Plainfield theatre goes up it will reveal an introductory first part that will rival many that have been put on by professional companies.

The show is to be in three parts, the conventional circle at the beginning, a professional olio and an afterpiece. In the first named the entire troupe will be seen and for an hour and a half, the principals will give songs, jokes and figure effects. John A. O'Keefe will occupy the interlocutor's seat and his end men will be Judge Runyon, Herbert Brooks and Charles J. Ward, handling tambos; and George O. Stevens, Thomas M. Muir and William J. Counihan, providing bone music. Each one of the six has been supplied with a bunch of gags and will render songs guaranteed to cure the blues. Judge Runyon will sing the topical selection entitled "I've Changed My Mind." It was written by himself in his best vein and has an air that will linger with the audience for weeks after hearing it. The "hits" it contains are such as can be recognized by everyone and even the unfortunate victims will have to laugh.

Other soloists in the first part are Harry Roberts, Elmer D. Cutting, James Dodd and Joseph O'Keefe, who will render pretty ballads. All the singing will be accompanied by a picked orchestra of twelve pieces, composed of men familiar with professional work at the Newark and New York theatres. They will be stationed on the stage at the opening and will assist in a surprising electrical display at the conclusion of the first part.

The olio will be headed by "Bob" Whittaker, Plainfield's well known circus performer, who will exhibit his trained horse, "Dahl," in this city for the first time in fourteen years. The act he has arranged requires the entire stage and is practically the same as he has been putting it on for circuses and vaudeville theatres throughout the country. "Dahl" is one of the prettiest white equines in the "professional" ranks and obeys the slightest command of his master without bit or bridle as he canters about a regulation ring.

The only amateur number in this part will be the "Comedy Quartette" arranged by W. J. Counihan. It is composed of the arranger, Herbert Brooks, Charles Ward and Thomas M. Muir, and they have an act that will "bring down the house." The afterpiece will end the show and is counted upon to bring the curtain down amid rounds of applause.

While Judge Runyon has been indefatigable in his work to bring the troupe up to a proper state of proficiency, his chief assistant has been W. J. Counihan, who is chairman of the committee. He has arranged many of the situations and has left nothing undone that would add to the success of the undertaking. The remaining members of the committee are Elmer D. Cutting, John H. Cose, Thomas M. Muir, B. Frank Boss and Joseph O'Keefe.

Miss Minnie Smalley a Bride.

Friends in the city and borough received announcement cards today telling of the marriage of Miss Minnie Elizabeth Smalley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert I. Smalley, of Lake Waccamaw, N. C., formerly of Somerset street, and George Lawrence McGwigan, of Lake Waccamaw. Th eceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents Thursday and was witnessed by a large gathering of friends. Harry Smalley, of East Front street, was among the attendants and arranged the house decorations.

Holiday Shoot.

The Alton Gun Club will hold a holiday shoot on its new grounds at Colburn's farm, near the Plainfield Country Club, on Monday.

—Get right with God.

BOUGHT FURNITURE WITH PLAY ROYALTIES

LITERARY TINGE TO A RIGHT OF A PROPERTY TRIAL.

There was a literary tinge to a trial for right of property in Justice Hand's court this morning. The plaintiff, Mrs. Rose Tillotson, is the wife of a one-time playwright, and the royalties on his works figured in the trial.

The case grew out of an attempt of S. F. Apfel, of New York, to collect on a judgment against J. K. Tillotson, the plaintiff's husband, by levying on their household goods at the Tillotson home, 1038 Park avenue. Mrs. Tillotson set up a claim to the goods, and a jury heard her case in the Hand court this morning.

She testified to bona fide ownership of the goods, which were purchased five years ago. The money for them came from royalties on plays written by Mr. Tillotson about fifteen years ago, who wrote for the stage as a business at that time. After a time he made over the royalties to his wife, and she maintained the money so received is a separate account.

Tax Collector John W. Murray, Jr., was put on the stand to testify by his books as to the recognized ownership of Mrs. Tillotson, and Armstrong Mulford, an agent, was sworn to prove that the insurance had been in her name for the past three years. The jury found in favor of Mrs. Tillotson after five minutes' deliberation. Mrs. Tillotson's case was conducted by Lawyer L. A. Clement.

Mr. Tillotson does not write plays now. He is a promoter. He has been seriously ill all winter and was in bed, at death's door, it was said this morning, when the constable came to the house to attach the goods.

NEW AUTO ASSOCIATION PLANS IMPORTANT MEET.

Former Senator Reed Secured to Speak on Frelinghuysen Bill.

Announcement is made by the Union County Automobile Association, formed Thursday night here, of an important meeting to be held Tuesday night, February 13, at the Y. M. C. A., when matters relative to the proposed Frelinghuysen auto bill will be discussed. Former Senator Charles A. Reed, who will represent the association at the hearing to be held at Trenton on February 20, will probably be present and have something to say regarding the measure.

In speaking of the bill, Mr. Reed says that no doubt in many respects it is a good one, especially the license feature. "I believe that some satisfactory form of license should be imposed on all automobile owners, but there are other features about the bill that appear arbitrary. I believe that in amended form, it will be passed."

WEDDED AT RECTORY.

Quiet Ceremony Unites Miss Margaret Harding and J. W. Graham.

With only immediate relatives in attendance, Miss Margaret Harding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Harding, of John street, and Joseph W. Graham, local superintendent of the Metropolitan Insurance Company, were married at St. Mary's rectory Thursday night. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Delehanty, and Miss Catherine Harding and Thomas Harding, sister and brother of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and best man.

Owing to the recent severe illness of Miss Harding, a quiet reception was held at her parents' home. Mr. and Mrs. Graham afterward left for Liberty, N. Y., where the latter will remain until she has fully recovered her health. She is widely known in the city and borough and has been prominent in the social affairs of St. Mary's parish.

NEW CHAPEL PLANS.

Warren's Proposed Structure to be of Brick Covered With Stucco.

The Session and trustees of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church in their consideration of the new building for Warren chapel have decided to erect one main structure at present, instead of two—a church auditorium and a Sunday-school room. This action obviates the necessity of a mortgage, and does not preclude the possibility of changing the proposed building, at some future time, into a church and adding to it a Sunday-school room.

It has also been decided to build the structure of brick covered with stucco, and cannot in the nature of things be ready before November of this year. Under these conditions the work will probably not be started before late spring or early summer.

Mrs. Samuel Porter Williams, of Hartford, Conn., has been visiting at the home of her brother, Irving W. Clark, of Webster place.

SAMUEL H. HADLEY DEAD

Supt. of Jerry Mc Auley Mission, Well-Mnown Here, Dies From Appendicitis.

A CONVERTED GAMBLER

Brother of Late. Col. H. H. Hadley—Spoke at Meeting in This City—His Life Work.

Rev. Samuel H. Hadley, superintendent of the old Jerry McAuley Water Street Mission, New York, and widely known in Plainfield, died in the Presbyterian Hospital, yesterday, following an operation for appendicitis. He was a warm, personal friend to Secretary Manning, of the local Y. M. C. A., where he has spoken at regular intervals and also to Superintendent Henry C. Squires, of Hope chapel. In recent years he has appeared at one-half the churches in Plainfield, conducting evangelistic services or leading single meetings. The body is now at an undertaking establishment in New York, pending the funeral arrangements.

Mr. Hadley was born in Malta township, Morgan county, Ohio, on Aug. 27, 1842. He was a descendant of Jonathan Edwards, the great divine. His father founded the Hopkins Academy, at old Hadley, Mass. His mother was the daughter of a Congregational clergyman. His brother, Col. H. H. Hadley, was the founder of the Church, Army in America.

Mr. Hadley was a converted drunkard and gambler. In a pamphlet called "My First Drunk and My Last" he tells how, after spending the first eighteen years of his life in a log cabin out West, a "friend" coaxed him to drink some whiskey. Soon after this his mother died and, as he says in the pamphlet, "in one year I was a confirmed drunkard. I gave up my studies, took a travelling position, became a professional gambler and for fifteen years rarely went to bed sober."

In 1870 Mr. Hadley came to New York and got a position at $300 a year. His firm failing, he was thrown out of a job.

On Tuesday evening, April 18, 1882, he sat in a Harlem saloon, a homeless, friendless, dying drunkard. That night he vowed he would never drink again. To keep from temptation, he had himself locked up. Finally he found his way to Jerry McAuley's Mission and was converted.

Four years later he was called by the trustees of the old Jerry McAuley Mission to carry on the work Jerry began in 1872.

The old mission down in the slums under Brooklyn Bridge carried on, perhaps, the most noteworthy missionary work in the city. Mr. Hadley used to say that more thieves and drunkards had crossed the threshold of the mission than any other spot in the city, except the Tombs prison. The mission was said to be the first in the world where the drunkard was more welcome than the sober man.

"Who will take care of my poor bums when I am gone?" repeatedly asked Mr. Hadley during his illness.

The actual work of the mission was carried on entirely by converts—men who were once highway robbers, tramps, or sandbaggers. One of the most useful helpers at the present time is an ex-opera singer who lost his position through drink.

These workers, once steeped deep in sin and crime themselves, are almost invariably listened to by prisoners in their cells. Mr. Hadley is said to have been as gratefully welcomed by the jail birds in Sing Sing, whom he often visited, as is Mrs. Ballington Booth.

Many of the converts of the mission have since reached responsible positions in life. F. M. Smith, of Auckland, N. Z., who was converted in the Water Street mission, is now a millionaire. The Rev. William Bruce, of Lexington, Ky., brother-in-law of Frank Moss, ex-Police Commission, is another man who once entered the mission "down and out." So is the Rev. John R. McConica, of Norfolk, Va., superintendent of the Union Mission.

Mr. Hadley, who was regularly ordained four years ago, founded the Wesley Rescue Home, 293 Bowery. The Water Street mission work was absolutely undenominational.

Local Option Law.

Alexander Millar will speak on "Local Option" at the Congregational church tomorrow night. He is well acquainted with the workings of local option in Massachusetts. A general invitation to all those interested in temperance to attend the service has been issued.

"The Smile that Won't Come Off."

Counselor and Mrs. Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., of Grant avenue, are the parents of a nine-pound baby boy, who came to their home last night. Mrs. Hetfield was formerly Miss Mabel Firstbrook.

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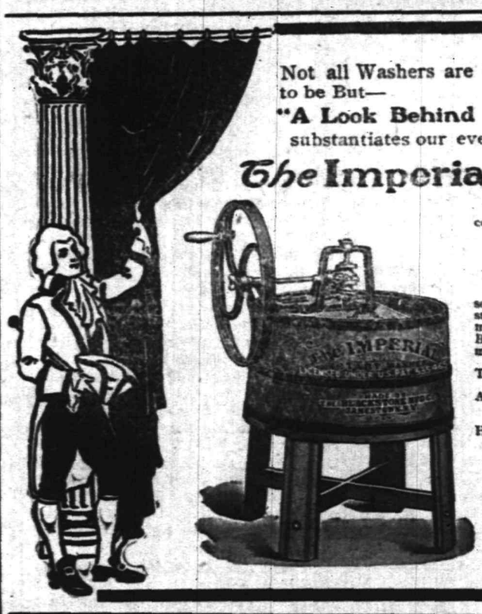

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Monday, which is Lincoln's Birthday, will not be generally observed as a holiday in town. The commuters and school children will enjoy a holiday, but the majority of the residents will work as usual.

"On the Quiet" is the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre tonight. This is one of Manager Counihan's best bookings of the season and will be attended by many from here.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be as usual: Sunday-school, 9:30; morning preaching, 10:45; B. Y. P. U. meeting, 7:15; evening sermon, 8 o'clock.

The Women's League held a meeting yesterday afternoon in Meyers' Hall. Business relating to the work of the Industrial was transacted.

Ice is reported as being 5½ inches thick at the "Back Pond." If the weather is favorable the work of cutting will begin the coming week.

The Public Service Corporation has about completed the work of erecting the new electric light poles through town.

William D. Johnston has the mason contract for several new houses being erected at Westfield.

Mrs. Louis B. Coddington, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, tinues to improve.

Miss Josephine Ingram is visiting over Sunday at her home in Trenton.

The Township Committee met last night in the town rooms.

Stephen Perretta is erecting a new house on Hunter avenue.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Rev. F. W. Overleiser, of Bedford, N. Y., will preach morning and evening at the Baptist church tomorrow in exchange with the pastor at 10:30 and 7:45. Sunday-school will commence at 11:45 and Christian Endeavor at 7:00.

A settlement has been made by the trolley company with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dayton, who were injured by a car running into their carriage some weeks ago on the Bound Brook and New Brunswick road.

A water pipe in the new house built by Frank Faulks recently burst by reason of the cold, and some of his rooms were flooded with water. Mr. Faulks has not yet moved into his new home.

William Hamilton has finished building two bob-sleds for Peter McDonough. When sufficient snow comes they will be put into use for ice and coal carting.

Miss Imogene Smith has recovered from her recent illness and is again engaged in her duties as teacher in the local school.

Assemblyman W. R. Drake was in town Thursday on borough business.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a literary and social meeting in Vincent chapel on Friday night, February 16.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church will be entertained at the parsonage on Tuesday, when a report of the recent birthday social will be made and the amount received from the envelopes announced.

James F. Parker will address the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Miss Grace J. Carroll, contralto of the choir of the Crescent Avenue church, will sing, and Otto Muller will be the 'cellist. All men are invited.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church, New York branch, will hold a day of prayer on Thursday next at the mission rooms, 150 Fifth avenue, New York. The Plainfield churches are members of this branch and will be represented at the meeting.

Hearing on Franchise Bills

Trenton, Feb. 10—The House Committee on Municipal Corporations will give a hearing at 4 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon on the municipal franchise bills now in its hands.

—The Common Council will hold an adjourned meeting on Friday night, February 23, to take action on the various applications for liquor licenses and to consider other matters of importance.

PERSONAL.

Miss Marion Bowen, of Watchung avenue, is visiting relatives at New Haven.

Mrs. George Saums, of West Front street, who has been quite ill, is convalescing.

Mulford Estil, of Park avenue, left today for Atlantic City. He will be away two weeks.

Philip Jahn returned yesterday after a week's trip south as far as Wheeling, W. Va.

Mrs. Randolph, of West Fifth street, is undergoing treatment at Muhlenberg Hospital.

Miss Josephine Tomer, of High Bridge, has returned home after a visit with relatives here.

Archie Davie, of Manning avenue, has returned from a visit with friends at Bayshore, L. I.

Mrs. John Helmer, who has been visiting friends in town, has returned to her home in Raritan.

The Misses Elsie and Myra Dunavan, of North avenue, were recent visitors with relatives at Somerville.

Mrs. Benjamin Fritts and Miss Grace Seals, of West Fifth street, have gone to Philadelphia to visit relatives.

Miss Clara Hunter, of West Fourth street, who has been ill with appendicitis, was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday for treatment.

Auto Bill Foes' Meetings.

Trenton, Feb. 10—The presidents of the nine automobile clubs of New Jersey met Wednesday afternoon in this city at the office of Wilbur F. Sadler, chairman of the law committee of the Associated Clubs, to map out a campaign of opposition against the Frelinghuysen Auto bill and other drastic auto measures. The definite method of procedure was not arranged beyond the decision to hold a series of meetings previous to Tuesday, February 20, when a hearing on the Frelinghuysen and Jackson Auto bills is to be given by the Judiciary Committee of the Senate. These meetings will be called by Mr. Sadler.

Pardons Court Displeased.

Trenton, Feb. 10—Members of the Court of Pardons yesterday were much displeased because the rules it had prepared for the control of future petitions for clemency had been published before being officially promulgated. After discussion the rules, as published, were adopted, with but one or two minor changes.

—The Somerset County Board of Freeholders will meet at Somerville on Tuesday.

SUFFRAGE HELP TOWARD PEACE

WOMAN'S NATIONAL SOCIETY REPORTS PLAN TO AID IN ABOLISHING WAR.

Baltimore, Feb. 10.—The sessions of the annual convention of the Woman's National Suffrage Association were resumed yesterday. Miss Florence Howe Hall, of Plainfield, N. J., is in attendance. Reports from State presidents were read, showing the progress of the woman suffrage cause in the following States: Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire and New Jersey.

Mrs. Priscilla D. Hackstaff, chairman, read the report of the committee on improved election methods. Mrs. Lucia Ames Mead, chairman of the department of peace and arbitration, read a report, of which the following is an abstract:

The work which the local suffrage clubs are expected to undertake in the coming spring in getting a widespread celebration in the schools on May 18, the anniversary of the opening of The Hague conference in 1898, is outlined. Last year schools in the States of Massachusetts and Ohio, with the city of New York, were recommended by their educational authorities to celebrate the day and give appropriate instruction. This year every State in the Union will be requested to follow this initiative. A similar movement is on foot in European schools. At an international congress of teachers in 1905 one whole day was devoted to considering what schools could do to promote peace.

Chancellor MacCracken, of the University of New York, in a recent address said that as a lifelong advocate of the study of the history of Greece and Rome he should be willing to have a history of arbitration substituted in its place in the High School curriculum. An education movement is on foot which is big with promise. A manual for teachers, entitled "Patriotism and the New Internationalism," is about to be published in Boston, to be sold at cost price, which has been specially prepared to aid teachers in promoting a better spirit of internationalism. This includes programmes for May 18.

Much harm has been done by the sentimental presentation of the peace question. The key to world peace is world organization. Suffragists will aid their cause the most by intelligently working to abolish war. Where brute force rules women are always discounted. Let them spend less time on palliatives and poultices on the evils of the body politic and far more on prevention. One-half of all our charities would be unnecessary were the world's war burdens extinguished.

EX-POLICEMAN GUILTY OF STEALING CHICKENS.

Elizabeth Patrolman Was Arrested on a Fowl Charge.

Elizabeth, Feb. 10.—Frederick Hand, who, many years ago, was an Elizabeth policeman, but was removed for cause, was placed on trial yesterday afternoon in the Union County Court here, before Judge Vail and a jury, on a charge of stealing game chickens on New Year's eve, out of the poultry house of George Weimar, a liveryman, who resides at 354 Elizabeth avenue, Elizabethport. Mr. Weimar's hennery had been raided three times before, and he lost, in consequence, a number of valuable fowls.

He then decided to set a trap to catch the thief, and placed wires on the floor of the poultry house which were connected with an electric bell in his bedroom. When the alarm sounded on the night in question Weimar jumped out of bed, and only partly dressing himself, hastened to the hennery and found the door open. He saw a man walking slowly along Elizabeth avenue, a short distance from his house, pursued and quickly overtook him. He says the man proved to be Fred Hand, and he had concealed under his coat, so Mr. Weimar testified, three of the latter's fancy breed of chickens. It took the jury only a few minutes to find the accused man guilty. He will be sentenced on February 21, and meanwhile was released on bail for his appearance on that date.

Thomas Slattery, who was tried yesterday by a jury in the Union County Court, on a charge preferred by Elizabeth Gaspe, was found guilty yesterday afternoon. He will be sentenced February 21.

Will Give Cabmen a Hearing.

Councilman F. L. Montgomery, chairman of the license committee, will soon appoint a time when a hearing will be given the licensed cab drivers to present their grievances as outlined in a petition to the Common Council.

Camera Club's New Lantern.

The Plainfield Camera Club has purchased a fine new lantern for exhibition purposes. A committee from the club having charge of a series of illustrated lectures to be given this winter will soon announce the dates.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Knox, of Rockview avenue, are entertaining out of town friends.

A BUILDING AND LOAN MEASURE NOW.

Senate and House Bills, Raising Loaning Capacity Limit, Identical.

Trenton, Feb. 10—Senator Cresse, in the Senate, and Assemblyman Hildreth, in the House, Tuesday introduced bills affecting building and loan associations. The bills are identical. Each amends the building and loan association act of 1903 by raising the limit of loaning capacity from fifty per cent. to sixty-six and two-thirds per cent. of the cash value of properties on which loans are made to persons other than members or whose stock is not pledged as collateral security.

The ways in which the funds of such associations can be invested according to the bill are:

"One—In the purchase of lands or building lots and erecting building and improvements thereon, or in the purchase of lands already improved within this State and shall be already contracted to be sold to the members of such associations payable in the shares of the association.

"Two—In loans to members on bonds secured by mortgage, which shall be a first lien on real estate in this State, not to exceed eighty per cent. of the cash value thereof, payable in shares of the association, or by periodical instalments.

"Except where any association holds a mortgage on real estate which is a first lien, such association may increase its loan thereon and secure the same by a second or subsequent mortgage; provided, the total indebtedness to the association, less the amount of dues paid on the shares pledged for such loan, shall not exceed eighty per cent. of the cash value of the real estate loaned on, and all the mortgages held by said association shall be prior to any other encumberance on said real estate.

"Three—In the redemption of shares of the association.

"Four—In loans upon the pledge or collateral security of the shares of such association, not to exceed ninety per cent. of the withdrawal value of such shares.

"Five—In bonds issued by the United States of America.

"Six—In bonds issued by this State.

"Seven—In bonds of any county, city, borough, town or township of this State, issued pursuant to the authority of any law of this State, where the total indebtedness of such county, city, borough, town or township does not exceed in the aggregate fifteen per cent. of the assessable valuation of all taxable property within such county, city, borough, town or township; in notes of any board of education issued according to law.

"Eight—In loans to persons, not members, or to members without pledge of their stock as collateral security, on bonds secured by mortgage, which shall be a first lien upon real estate in this State, not to exceed two-thirds of the cash value thereof. A purchase money mortgage given to such association upon real estate sold by it shall not be considered a loan within the meaning of this subdivision.

"Nine—In the purchase of any or all of the securities in which savings banks of this State are authorized by law to invest, or as a loan upon any of such securities as collateral, not to exceed eight per cent. of their market value, provided investments or loans authorized under paragraphs five, six, seven, eight and nine of this section shall only be made from moneys on hand, not required for any of the purposes specified in paragraphs one, two, three and four hereof, or for the payment of withdrawals or matured shares, or for the purpose of creating a fund for the payment of maturing shares."

Special Music at First M. E.

At the morning service in the First M. E. church, tomorrow, Miss Bertha vanNuis Willis will sing "Rest," by Parker, and the choir will sing Schilling's "Jubilate." In the evening Mr. Skiff will sing "The Publican," by Van De Water; Mrs. Stephen H. Tugwell will sing "Aide With Me," by Liddle, and the choir will sing "Lovely Appear," from Gounod's "Redemption."

Censor Theatrical Posters.

Trenton, Feb. 10—To minimize the evil of indiscreet billposting, a bill introduced by Senator Price requires that all circus, theatrical, or other advertising sheets shall be submitted to the Mayor or other executive officers of cities before being publicly displayed.

Mrs. Michael J. Hickey, of Raritan, who has been spending the past week with relatives in Plainfield, has returned home.

MRS. APPLEGATE WELL AGAIN!

"I have had a bruised leg and foot for several years, caused by the brass eyelets of my shoe, which became very sore and painful especially at night. It itched, burned and ached me till it nearly set me crazy. I used everything I found and was suggested to ease it and nothing gave me any relief till I found and applied Azienza Cream, which I think is a wonderful remedy for all sores and inflammation of the skin. The hard knots on my legs were as painful as bee stings, with discolored and purple spots. A running sore on my instep size of a half-dollar; the top of my foot a seething sore clean around to my heel. The bone was sore for a whole year and very painful. I used five and one-half jars of Azienza Cream and healed the sore all up. The foot remained tender and I continued to use to strengthen and toughen the skin until now it is entirely well." (Signed) Mrs. Hannah Applegate, Evergreen Ave., Avon, N. J., Sept. 3rd 1905. 50 cents. Ask the druggist or by mail. Azienza Specialties Co., Jersey City, N. J.

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Mrs. Julia Molloy, of 740 West Front street, Plainfield, N. J., says: "Many so-called cures for backache and kidney disease have been taken by me, but no medicine ever stopped my aches and pains until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Randolph's Pharmacy. I took the pills according to directions, and found before finishing the first box that they were far more healing and brought even more relief from backache than their owners claim for them. I continued with the treatment and was cured, and now do not suffer from aches or pains or kidney troubles."

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Corporation Notice of application of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to the Court of Common Pleas of Union County for the appointment of Commissioners to assess benefits for street improvements.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to authorize improvement of Streets and Highways in Cities of this State and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same," approved June 13th, 1898, and amendments and supplements thereto, that application will be made by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union, at the Court House, in the City of Elizabeth, on the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the said court can hear the said application, for the appointment of three commissioners, who shall be freeholders and residents of the City of Plainfield, as commissioners to estimate and assess benefits respectively conferred by the permanent improvement of streets under the ordinance of said city whose title is hereinafter specified, and to perform the duties and execute the powers conferred by said Acts of the Legislature. The title of the ordinance above referred to is as follows: "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield, with permanent and durable macadam pavement, and to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collection of assessments for benefits," approved September 6, 1904, and the streets and parts of streets macadamized under said ordinance are as follows:

Monroe Avenue, from the southeasterly curb line of South Second Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Spooner Avenue, from the southeasterly curb line of West Third Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Eighth Street;

Lee Place, from the southeasterly curb line of South Second Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Carlton Avenue, from the northerly curb line of Putnam Avenue to the southeasterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Kensington Avenue, from the northerly curb line of Watchung Avenue to the southeasterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Randolph Road, from the easterly curb line of Plainfield Avenue to Cedar Brook; Norwood Avenue;

New Street, from the southeasterly curb line of West Front Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Berkeley Avenue, from the easterly curb line of Ravine Road to the southerly curb line of Park Terrace;

Denmark Road, from the easterly curb line of Belvidere Avenue to the proposed macadamizing on Berkeley Avenue.

By order of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

Dated, February 6, 1906.

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Alfred Sutro, the author of that brilliant play, "The Walls of Jericho," which Mary Mannering will bring to the New Plainfield theatre next Wednesday for a single performance, has jumped into popularity at a bound in London, for since the production of "The Walls of Jericho," which was his first play to be presented and produced, he has had many offers from the prominent managers of both America and England for works from his pen.

One of the most successful plays to be presented in our city this season is "Under Southern Skies," which will appear at the New Plainfield theatre next Friday night. "Under Southern Skies" is one of the largest and most expensive dramatic companies now traveling, as the company numbers twenty-seven people, twenty-three of whom appear in speaking parts, and every piece of scenery used in the production is carried with the company. "Under Southern Skies" is now in its fifth season, having had four phenomenally successful seasons in the East. "Under Southern Skies" is from the pen of Lottie Blair Parker, who also wrote "Way Down East," and it is as true and interesting a picture of the South as that now famous play is of New England.

Thomas Dixon, Jr.'s great play, "The Clansman," shows realistic stake pictures of the days when courage, self-sacrifice and chivalric deeds removed the fetters which held a brave people in temporary bondage. For the first time in the history of the drama the workings of the famous Ku Klux Klan will be shown on the stage. "The Clansman" will appear at the New Plainfield theatre on Monday, February 19, following its recent triumph at the Liberty theatre, New York City.

Says the New York Tribune of May Irwin and her new play, "Mrs. Black Is Back," the notable comedy success of New York last season, which is to be given at the New Plainfield theatre a week from Tuesday: "In a farce by George V. Hobart, called 'Mrs. Black Is Back,' Miss May Irwin last night made her re-entrance upon the New York stage at the Bijou theatre, where a crowd of friends and well wishers had assembled to give her ungloved welcome. Miss Irwin has not diminished in the last two years, nor has the fact that she has made her will in anywise "gloomed" her beaming countenance or lessened the supply of her irresistible good nature. She is still the May Irwin of old, coming down to the footlights to take the audience into her confidence in an aside, or to sing them a song, quite regardless often of her fellow players or the illusion of character.

Scene in "The Clansman," at New Plainfield Theatre, Monday, Feb. 19.

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Plainfield should be able to build up a college men's club that would rival any in the State of New Jersey. It is quite safe to say that there is as large a proportion of graduates of the various institutions of learning as is to be found in any other city. In the main they are the representative men of the community and are largely responsible for making Plainfield what it is—one of the finest places of abode in New Jersey. By all means let there be a college club here.

It is very satisfactory to know that the Common Council will undoubtedly vote against increasing the number of saloons. The poll of the members published exclusively in these columns yesterday shows a decided feeling against licensing any greater number of retail places, the thought of the majority of the city fathers being that the present number, ten, is sufficient for all purposes.

It is quite certain that the petition of the hackmen will not be granted in its present form at least. There does not appear to be so much objection to allowing the slight increase in rates of fare as there is to its other features. From what can be learned, the majority of the councilmen will not vote to do away with the badges worn by the cabbies or with the numbers placed on the lamps.

SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

Baptist.

First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, Rev. C. L. Goodrich will preach; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Park Avenue—Rev. A. E. Finn, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "A Normal Man;" 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:45, evangelistic service, subject, "The Great Salvation."

Faith chapel—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—10:45, preaching by Rev. George B. Shaw; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching by Rev. George B. Shaw.

Mt. Olive Baptist—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Calvary Baptist—11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; 3:00, Sunday-school.

Reformed.

Trinity — Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor—10:30, subject, "Nine to One;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:15, evening prayer meeting; 7:45, subject, "Lincoln, the Emancipator."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching by pastor in German; 8:00, preaching.

Marconnier chapel—3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian—Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "The Physical and Mental Side of Spiritual Life;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, subject, "The Elements of Religious Manhood."

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—Service, 10:30 and 7:45.

Hope Chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—Services 10:30 and 8, evening.

Warren Chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—Service 10:30 and 8.

Bethel Chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 and 8 p. m.

Episcopal.

Grace church—Rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson; rector-emeritus, Rev. E. M. Rodman—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 10:30, morning prayer, litany and sermon, 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, sermon.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Charles H. Doupe, rector—9:45, Sunday-school, 11, morning service.

St. Stephen's—Rev. Arthur S. Peck, rector—Sixth Sunday after Epiphany; 9:45, Sunday-school; 4:00, evensong.

Holy Cross—Rector, Rev. George A. Warner—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., Sunday-school meets in parish house (except first Sunday in the month); 10:00 a. m., rector's Bible class for young men and women in the parish house; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon (except first Sunday in month); 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Rev. E. E. Miller, curate—11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8:00 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Methodist Episcopal.

First—Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor—10:30, sermon by Rev. C. W. Parsons, D. D., of Grace M. E. church; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:00, Epworth League; 7:45, sermon by the pastor, subject, "The Gospel in An Age of Pleasure."

Grace M. E.—Rev. Charles Wesley Parsons, D. D., pastor — 10:30, sermon by Rev. A. C. McCrea, of the First M. E. church; 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth League; 7:45, preaching, subject, "What Think Ye of Christ?"

Monroe Avenue—Rev. George Mooney, pastor—11, sermon; 3:00 p. m., Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. H. C. Ashley, pastor—11:00 a. m., preaching; 3 p. m., preaching.

Roman Catholic.

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3; Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 3:30.

Congregational.

Congregational church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss will speak; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, Rev. Alex. Millar will speak on the Local Option Law.

Swedish Evangelistic Pilgrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—4:00, Young people's meeting.

Friends.

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street, meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

Unitarian.

All Souls—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching; 11:50, Sunday-school.

Lutheran.

German Lutheran—Swedish service, 8 p. m.

St. Peter's German Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street—9:30, Sunday-school, German and English classes; 10:30 a. m., preaching.

Christian Science.

Services 11 a. m., in room 407, Babcock building.

Not Classified.

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank Place—7:30 p. m.

Disciples of Christ.

Christian church—Rev. Phil A. Parsons, pastor—11:00 a. m., prayer and communion service; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45 p. m., subject, "Truce of Victory."

Grove Street Rescue Mission—Meeting at 4 p. m.

W. C. T. U.—John Manley will lead.

Y. M. C. A.—4:00 p. m.

Death of Mrs. Raphius W. Smith.

Mrs. Maida M. Smith, wife of Raphius W. Smith and daughter of the late John Blimm, died at her home in Watchung, yesterday morning, after a brief illness. She was in her thirty-second year and leaves three childen, one an infant but two weeks old. She and her husband formerly resided in the borough and they have a host of acquaintances locally. The funeral will be held from her late home, Valley road, Watchung, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Seek Endowment Fund.

For the purpose of having a ready fund to meet certain expenses that are incurred from time to time, a movement has been started in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church which seeks bequests of various amounts. It is believed that in this way there should grow up a fund which, while in no way paralyzing the present giving habit of the church, would enable the officers to do some things not otherwise possible.

Home From Florida Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dreier, of West Front street, returned last night after spending four weeks in Florida. The passed most of the time at Daytona and Ormond Beach, where they witnessed the automobile races and also enjoyed the breezes at St. Augustine and Miami. Mr. Dreier took a side trip up the Indian river and used his rifle in its game haunts.

Eddie Weston Tonight.

Eddie Weston will be the soloist at the band concert fair in Saengerbund Hall tonight. He will sing several of Theodore Morse's newest song successes illustrated by handsome slides. The fair will continue over until Monday night. The attendance last night was large.

Judgment for Plaintiff.

Judgment for the plaintiff was given in Justice vonMinden's court at Dunellen, yesterday, in the contract case of VanZandt & Voorhees against Samuel Johnson. Charles M. Dolliver, Esq., represented the plaintiff.

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Beginning Saturday at 8 a. m., and will continue for the next four days. A skirt made of fine Panama Cloth, black only, was sold at $3.98, for this announcement only will sell at

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Boys' Arctics, sizes 3 to 6	85c
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The purchase of our Italian Olive Oil is a positive guarantee of quality and purity. It is made from the best selected olives grown in the orchards of Italy where the properties of the soil and climate are especially adapted to olive culture. It is the finest Olive Oil for table use, salads, etc.

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We use the greatest care in their selection, they are pure and excel in strength and richness. Prices reasonable.

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The City Pharmacy,
143 West Front St.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

In "The Choir Singer," which will be here a week from today, Manager Counihan has secured one of the best melodramatic offerings of the season.

To make sure the singers in the Elks' minstrel show have plenty of good accompaniment, an orchestra of twelve pieces has been engaged, all professional men.

The sale of seats indicates that Richard Carle will play to a capacity house again. When he appeared at the New Plainfield last November the audience was a record-breaker and the impression he and his company made has not been forgotten.

Blanche Walsh and Viola Allen, two of the most prosperous stars now in evidence, made their first noteworthy Broadway triumphs in opposite parts in Bronson Howard's "Aristocracy." Miss Walsh is to visit Plainfield soon in "The Woman in the Case," written for her by Clyde Fitch.

Lew Dockstader, the minstrel man, was fined $15 in the Court of Special Sessions in New York last week for using Walter Walcott, a four-year-old colored boy in a theatrical performance without a permit. During the action of a sketch the youngster was buffeted around the stage so that women in the audience complained.

No Change in Coons & Co. Affair.

There are no new developments in the Coons & Co. affair since the serving of the landlord's distress warrant and the closing of the store. As yet no attempt has been made to settle the rent, it is said, and nothing is likely to be done until a meeting of the directors of the company is held. This will probably be early next week. It cannot be learned as yet whether the local store will be opened again or not.

Pastors Will Exchange.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, of the First Baptist church, and Rev. C. L. Goodrich, of the Congregational church, will exchange pulpits tomorrow morning. In the evening Dr. Chambliss will occupy his own pulpit and preach.

—Harper, of 411 Park avenue, has a fine display of card, lace and celluloid valentines at remarkably low prices.

Y.M.C.A. IS LAGGING

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And the church is not in the business of running playhouses. She has a solemn purpose. Now, I am not one to overlook the value of any department of the Y. M. C. A. I believe in it from the roof to the last pin in the bowling alley. But I do not want to hear of social strength, of physical department triumphs, of strong educational classes; I want to hear of soul-winning power. Tell me, you men of Plainfield, of an increased power to draw men to God!

"Do you want to send Plainfield up a step spiritually? If I were to ask each of you here that question, calling you all by name, you would hasten to say 'yes;' that is what you are here for. Well, to do it, some of you must put your lives in the work. It takes men to save men.

"Let us face the truth; we are here to look at it squarely and not to conceal it. The Plainfield association is far from being what it should be spiritually. This association doesn't begin to measure up to the average association in other places. You are far behind the procession. Do you want to back still further? Well, attend the meetings about once a month. Then, when you meet Mr. Manning on Monday morning, and hear that yesterday's meeting was a good one (that is one of the things we always tell our secretaries to keep in mind—optimism—they must not appear dissatisfied or downcast), tell him how glad you are; then add that thrilling statement which I have heard so often: 'Well, I wasn't at the meeting myself, but I was with you in spirit.'

"We don't want your spirits. We want men. A gentleman who knows you well said to me today, 'In that Plainfield association they have the finest personnel to be found anywhere in the world, a fine body of men. I can't understand why Plainfield is lagging so, spiritually.' God grant the Plainfield association will get men, and let us hear that scores and scores of young men have been taught to love Jesus Christ through the efforts of the young men of this association."

The speech produced a strong impression. Mr. Smith is a forceful orator and his arraignment of the association, climaxing a brilliant address, sparkling at times with humor and wit of high order, caught his hearers in a spell that was not to be shaken off. There was something subdued and hushed, as though the weakness of the association, made plain with no attempt to gloss it over, had shamed and grieved him, in President Gavett's tone and manner, when he said the few words of closing after Mr. Smith's address.

Afte rthe banquet, Mr. Smith met the directors in conference in the parlors.

Services for Old Soldiers.

Divine services for old soldiers will be held at the Christian church tomorrow night at 7:45 o'clock, to which the following named orders have arranged to attend: G. A. R., Union Veteran Union, Women's Relief Corps and the Ladies' Auxiliary. Theme for the evening will be "Truce or Victory." An orchestra will conduct a song service.

M. E. Pastors Will Exchange.

Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons, of Grace M. E. church, and Rev. A. C. McCrea, of the First M. E. church, will exchange pulpits tomorrow morning. Both pastors will preach in their own churches in the evening.

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In baking powder Royal is the standard, the powder of highest reputation; found by the United States Government tests of greatest strength and purity.

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COLLEGE MEN FAVOR CLUB

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Jefferson Medical—Dr. G. W. Endicott.

Lehigh—B. S. Drake, Harwood Frost, Dr. G. D. Herring, W. Lathrop, James Middledith, Everett Peck, Herbert Rogers, J. P. Reynolds, A. C. Tomkinson.

Rutgers—Charles A. Reed, C. M. Titsworth, M. J. Thompson.

New York Medical—Dr. F. W. Cornwall.

Trinity—William G. Wright, Boardman Wright, J. P. Welles Taylor.

Boston School of Technology—Henry D. Hibbard, Leon R. Thurlow, C. H. Tompkins, Sidney Williams, Harry K. White.

Brown University—Arthur Chamberlain, A. D. Stout.

Union College—Blanchard Fosgate, S. B. Howe.

Stevens—F. O Ball, Robert E. Hall, Burton P. Hall, Harold H. Millar, Earl Stockton.

University of Maryland—Dr. F. C. Ard, Dr. W. C. Boone.

Lincoln University—Dr. J. C. Anderson, Rev. F. D. Tildon.

Philadelphia Dental—Dr. D. G. Atwood.

Swarthmore—Louis M. Booth.

University of Tennessee—J. L. Brownlee.

Hamilton—Lindsey Best.

Hahnemann—Dr. W. Kempton Browning.

Brooklyn Polytechnic—F. W. Butler.

Baltimore College of Physicians and Surgeons—Dr. J. H. Carman.

University of Michigan—Edwin Caldwell, William W. Wherry.

Hobart—Millard Fillmore Elderton.

University of London—Howard Fleming.

Bellevue Medical—Dr. J. T. Fritts.

University of Buffalo—Dr. G. H. Hillman.

University of Berlin—R. M. Huse.

Wesleyan—DeWitt Hubbell, Arthur S. Maclay.

Colgate—Frederick G. Leary.

Durham University (Eng.)—Arthur M. Masters.

Northwestern University—Joseph Noonan, John O'Keefe.

Georgetown—Dr. H. H. Lowerie.

Manhattan—William J. O'Keefe.

Williams—L. H. Palmer, Ira W. Travell.

Annapolis—Captain James F. Parker.

University of Glasgow—J. A. Simpson.

Rensselaer Institute of Technology—W. B. Travell.

American College of Osteopathy—Dr. F. F. Wilcox.

University of Colorado—Lucius H. Wightman.

Lafayette—R. D. Williams.

University of Illinois—C. W. Hawes.

Among the guests present were Charles J. Fisk, L. G. Timpson, Morris J. Dumont, George S. Ring, A. Willis West, Walter C. Dobbins, Marion S. Ackerman, William Truesdale.

Home from the Sunny South.

F. L. C. Martin, of Park avenue; John M. Young, of Madison, and P. A. Cook, of Westfield, returned home this morning from Florida. While away they witnessed the auto races at Ormond and the motor boat races at Palm Beach.

Co. K Will Meet Tonight.

Co. K will meet tonight at the armory in West Front street to consider several important matters, including the banquet, fair and details regarding the termination of the five year service of a number of members.

Students Home From College.

Among the students home from college for a few days are Robert Abbott, Gordon Abbott, of Yale; Frank Curtis, William Smith and Clinton Ivins, Princeton; Leslie Hallock, Swarthmore.

Rev. G. B. Shaw at Faith Chapel.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. W. Musson, the pulpit at Faith chapel tomorrow morning and evening will be occupied by Rev. George B. Shaw, of the Seventh-Day Baptist church.

Court Plainfield, I. O. F., held an informal smoker last night, after its meeting. Several candidates were initiated.

TROLLEY CAR CRASHES INTO A BREWERY WAGON.

Ira Gregg, Driver, Severely Injured, Taken to Hospital.

One of the Rising Sun Brewery Company wagons returning from this city to Elizabeth, last night, about 8 o'clock, was struck by a main line trolley car on Westfield avenue, Elmora, and completely wrecked. Ira Gregg, the driver, of 836 Martin street, Elizabeth, and an Italian, who accompanied him, were thrown out. Gregg was severely cut about the head and shoulders and is now under treatment at the Elizabeth General Hospital. The Italian escaped injury.

The wagon was drawn by four mules. The pair nearest the wagon were cut about the flanks and otherwise injured. The fender and vestibule of the car were wrecked, but the motorman was not injured. He was taken into custody and the accident is being investigated. As yet the responsibility has not been determined.

David Krymer Buried.

The funeral of David Krymer was held from his late home on Liberty street yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiated in the presence of a large gathering of friends, which included a delegation from the Juniors. Interment was made in the Plainfield avenue cemetery.

Company K Meetings.

Company K will have a business meeting at the armory tonight. The fair committee will also meet and arrange details in connection with this event.

F. O. Herring, of Park avenue, who has been detained at home six weeks with a severe attack of erysipelas, is able to be out again.

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Townsend's Granite Works,
Fourth and Richmond Streets.
Tel., call 2214. Westfield Trolley passes my office.

DIED.

WOODLAND—At Newark, N. J., on Feb. 8, 1906, Angelina D., wife of Hiram B. Woodland.

Funeral services at her late residence, 272 North Sixth street, Newark, N. J., on Sunday, February 11, at 4 p. m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Interment at Plainfield, N. J., at convenience of family. 2 9 2

SMITH—On Friday, February 9, 1906, Maida M., wife of Raphius W. Smith, aged 32 years, 2 months, 26 days.

Funeral services at her home, Valley Road, Watchung, N. J., on Monday, Feb. 12, at 2 p. m.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

HELP WANTED — 200 MEN WANTED TO HARVEST ICE; GOOD WAGES. INQUIRE SUNDAY AFTERNOON, 222 MADISON AVENUE, NATURAL ICE CO. 2 10 tf

WANTED—A superintendent and an assistant, at the Woman's Exchange. Apply by letter to Mrs. O. T. Waring, 900 Park Ave. 2 10 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 909 West Front St.

WANTED — Assistant chambermaid and waitress. Apply evenings, 123 West Seventh St. 2 7 tf

EXPERIENCED waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once, Call Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 2 8 3

WANTED—Strong, willing girl for general housework; good references required. Apply 34 Harrison avenue, Westfield, N. J. 2 8 3

WAIST and skirt hands. Mme. Boutes, 325 West Second St. 2 8 3

WANTED—Competent white woman as cook and laundress. Apply Mrs. William C. Kinney, 828 Arlington avenue. 2 7 tf

WANTED—Colored girl to do laundry work and assist with other work. Mrs. West, 120 Crescent Ave. 2 7 4

OPERATORS, tuckers and lace runners wanted on muslin skirts; good and steady work to good hands. Apply Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street. 2 9 2

WANTED—Young white girl to assist in housework. Apply 205 Watchung avenue, North Plainfield. 2 9 2

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen N J. 1 29 tf

For Rent.

STORE, 187 North avenue, for rent from April 1. Apply room 2, 102 North Avenue. 1 8 tf m w s

FOR RENT—Nice home CHEAP. Seven rooms. Hot and Cold water. HOT WATER HEAT. $20 month. DOANE & DOANE, 221 Park Avenue. Telephone 49. 2 10 2

TO LET—Seven-room house, centrally located; all modern improvements. Inquire at Neuman Bros.' grocery. 2 10 tf

TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

TO LET—Six-room house; also part of house, with all improvements; furnished or unfurnished. Apply 243 Somerset street. 2 5 6

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

TO LET—Four rooms and bath. Enquire 148 East Fifth street. 2 5 6

FLATS to let, $9, $12, $16 per month; improvements. Inquire Adam Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 1 10

Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. 10 3 tf

Miscellaneous.

U NEED IT—Nash's $5.00 Pea Coal. 1 30 10

LIQUID electricity cures all pains, sore throat, diphtheria, malaria and rheumatism; hundreds can prove for it. George Belcher, 402 East Fifth street. 2 6 6

BROWN, Plainfield's popular watchmaker, 202 Watchung avenue, trolley station. 2 6 3 eod

BROWN—Ladies bring your jewelry to be repaired and cleaned up as new. 2 6 3 eod

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BROWN'S specialty is fine watches and French clocks. Tel. 573-W. 2 6 3 eod

WASHING and ironing done at home or by the day; reference. 545 South Second street. 2 5 6

P. H. LATOURETTE, autioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

FOR FLORIDA and the South, the Clyde Line is direct and offers superior service and accommodations. Tickets and full information at office, No. 197 North Avenue, William D. Thickstun, agent. 1 19 1mo

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FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 5 4 tf

IT WILL give you satisfaction—Nash's $5.75 Coal. 1 30 10

IS YOUR property listed with DOANE & DOANE? It should be. TELEPHONE 49. Representative will call. 221 Park Ave. 2 10 2

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. 4 6 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St tf

CALL telephone 357-W when you need coal. 1 30 10

THE highest cash price paid for house hold goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second St. Phone 1722.4 25 tf

Rooms and Board.

WANTED—Four rooms for dressmaking; central location; first floor preferred. 40 Craig place. 2 9 2

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms, about April 1. Address Central, Daily Press. 2 9 3

GOOD board, warm room, for gentlemen; bath; telephone; $5 to $10 per week. 1103 Putnam avenue, corner Carlton. 2 6 1mo

FURNISHED rooms to let. 403 East Fifth St 1 31 tf

FURNISHED rooms to let with board; also table board, at 219 East Fifth street. 1 22 tf

FURNISHED room to let; board near by. 303 East Fifth. 1 22 tf

FURNISHED rooms to let with board; also table board, at 219 East Fifth St. 1 20 1mo

ROOMS with board at 312 East Seventh street. 1 11 1mo

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. 12 19 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

INCUBATOR in good order; answer, stating kind, price and year made. B. G. Elliot, Scotch Plains, N. J.

WANTED—Chicken brooders. Address C. W., care Press. 2 6 3 eod

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, 211 North avenue. 2 5 6

$4,000.00 to loan on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue. Plainfield, N. J. 5 31 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 3 31 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. 2 23 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue. tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—If you have $3,600 that is not working we can show you how it will bring you in 14 per cent. net on your investment.

FOR SALE—Seven-room house; WEST END, near factories, trolley and depot. Large lot and barn. Price $2,300. YOU NEED ONLY $600 cash.

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FOR SALE—Cutter in good condition. J. E. Martine, 954 Kensington avenue. 2 10 3

HOUSE, barn, 18 acres land, $1,800; house and 4 acres land, ½ minute from depot, $1,000. Address X., care Daily Press. 2 10 3

For Sale.

JEFFERY'S "FOR SALE" LIST. 'PHONE 44.

STORE property. Possession April 1. Now rented $300 year. Price $3,000. Easy terms, monthly payments.

HOUSE, seven rooms, city water, barn. Price $2,350, mortgage $1,600 at 5 per cent. Lot 40x150 ft.

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FINE old house, ten rooms. Lot 101x130. Price $4,500. Mortgage $2,000. All improvements.

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CENTRALLY located house, seven rooms and bath. Lot 40x200. Price $4,500.

FINE residences near Park Ave. Baptist Church. Prices right.

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HOUSES in the Borough, all sizes and prices.

HOUSE centrally located, seven rooms, all improvements, hot water heat. Price $3,200; mortgage to suit.

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HOUSE, eight rooms, all improvements. Price $3,500, mortgage to suit.

HOUSE, four rooms, near Plainfield. Good sized lot. Price $1,050. Sell on monthly payments.

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HOUSE, six rooms, all improvements, on fine street. $3,000.

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WHITE Leghorn Cockerel, five pullets, for $10; Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, extra size, five pullets, all laying, for $14; settings Rock Eggs, $2. 669 West Seventh street. 2 8 3

FOR SALE—Lot 130x148 feet; five dollars a foot; Highland avenue and Pine street. A. Swalm, Plainfield, N. J. 2 8 3

PIANO for sale; $30. 126 West Fifth street. 2 8 4

PIANO BARGAINS—$75, $100, $125—in slightly used high grade upright pianos; like new; why pay the agent's enormous profits; see us; terms to suit; open evenings; terms to suit. Hadley's, 315 West Front St. 2 7 tf

FOR SALE—Beautiful tract of five acres, on Woodland avenue, between the properties of Messrs. Arens and Dufion. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 6 tf

FOR SALE—$1,600 buys a house rented for $168 per year. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset St. 2 8 3eod

OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. 6 7 tf

FOR SALE at one half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. 4 2 tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Fine corner residence, Franklin place and Putnam avenue. For particulars address E. Rowley, 346 Franklin place, or agents. 2 10 6

PRIVATE sale of furniture, commencing today. 610 Liberty St. 10 6

FOR SALE—10-room house, Woodland avenue, near Netherwood station, only $7,000; nice 12-room house; good location; open plumbing; only $3,800; building lots; good locations; very low prices; liberal terms; houses to rent, $18, $20 and up. Ira L. LaRue, 109 Park Ave. 2 10 tf

PIANO FOR SALE—Beautiful $350 mahogany upright; nearly new; must sacrifice for one-third price; prominent manufacturers' 10 year guarantee receipted; great bargain. Mrs. Winters, 12 Somerset place. 9 3

HEPBURN BILL IS PASSED

Carried Through House by Vote of 346 to 7, the Latter All Republicans.

THOSE WHO SAID NAY

Success of Plan of Administration Members and Others to Push Railway Rate Regulation Measure Through.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Before voting on the railroad rate bill yesterday the House passed a Senate bill authorizing the national bank at Graham, Va., to change its location to Bluefield, W. Va. The passage of the Hepburn bill was taken up at 12:15, and announced at 12:40 as having been carried by a vote of 346 to 7.

The following is a summary of the Hepburn bill:

The bill, according to Mr. Hepburn's statement, in closing the debate on the measure, was intended, and did, so far as it could be made, he said, comply specifically with the recommendations of President Roosevelt on the rate question. It gives the Interstate Commerce Commission authority, when a rate has been complained of an "unreasonable" by a shipper, to investigate that rate, state whether or not it is unreasonable, and if found to be unreasonable to name a rate which is to be just and reasonable and fairly remunerative, which is to be the maximum rate to be charged.

This rate so fixed is to go into effect thirty days after it is announced by the commission, subject during that time to be set aside or suspended by the commission or by the courts. After it has gone into effect it is to remain the rate for three years. During this time the opinion has been expressed by those who have participated in the debate that the rate may also be reviewed by the courts, and if found to be in conflict either with the terms of the act or with the Constitution, by being confiscatory, can be set aside by the courts.

Another important feature is the definition of the word "railroad" and "transportation" in a manner to include all auxiliary instrumentalities of the common carrier and to bring them within control of the commission. This power to name a reasonable rate and the inclusion of the auxiliaries within the jurisdiction of the commission, are said to be the new features. All other provisions are modifications of existing law. They include publicity of railroad methods which is to be aided by prescribing a system of bookkeeping and enlarging the commission to seven members and increasing salaries of members to $10,000 a year.

MOURNED AS DEAD HE SENDS HIS DUES.

Trenton Grand Army Man Shocks Mount Holly Post by Spook-like Conduct.

Mt. Holly, Feb. 10.—A dead man from Trenton threw a shock into Mt. Holly yesterday morning. On November 14, 1905, notice was received by General Shiras Post, No. 26, G. A. R., of which he was a member, stating that William H. Cox, of Trenton, and formerly of Florence, had died on that day. When action was taken at the post meeting the matter was ordered spread on the minutes, and the charter was draped for a period of thirty days.

The matter took a different turn this morning, well calculated to jar the old members of the post, who have been mourning their comrade as dead. Going to the postoffice this morning, Quartermaster John Shockmorton, Sr., received a letter from the alleged dead man, who sent money to the post to cover one year's dues. An investigation of the matter will be ordered at a meeting of the post to be held this evening.

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Fagan Plans a Public Protest on Hillery Law.

Mayor Fagan, of Jersey City, issued a call yesterday for a public meeting in the City Hall on Wednesday night of next week to protest against the Hillery act. In his call for the meeting Mayor Fagan says:

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GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

The Rogers Brothers, in their new musical play, "The Rogers Brothers in Ireland," is the attraction at the New York theatre for a brief engagement, beginning next Monday evening. This piece was presented earlier in the season at the Liberty theatre. The company numbers 125 people, and the scenery and costuming are superb. The story is told in three acts with scenes which show Glendalough, the Lakes of Killarney and Blarney Castle. The Rogers Brothers play the roles of Heinrich Vunk and Nicholas Knox, two public spirited young German-Americans who visit Ireland to purchase the blarney stone and place it on exhibition in the United States, to raise a fund to release Ireland from the British government. The Germans become involved in a series of comic complications which introduce a varied selection of Irish types. All characters but those played by the Rogers Brothers speak with a brogue. The principal supporting role is played by Corinne, formerly widely known as "Little Corinne." Other noted players are Josie Intropodi, Bessie de Voie, Charles McCarthy, Edward O'Connor, John Conroy, Ethel Intropodi, Julia Eastman, William Torpey, Arthur V. Gibson, Grace Grindell and Pauline Thorne.

William H. Thompson will make his first appearance in "The Bishop" at the Princess theatre on Monday. He will begin with a matinee performance. Seats are now on sale at the box office, Broadway and Twenty-ninth street. At the Lyric theatre, Forty-second street, west of Broadway, the comic opera success, "Mexicana," is playing to full houses and is making one of the greatest hits of the season. An extra dollar matinee will be given on Monday. Evenings at 8:15. Another Shubert success, "The Earl and the Girl," has struck the popular chord at the Casino. It has long since passed the hundredth performance and will undoubtedly have a long run, for Eddie Foy to furnish a laugh a minute. An extra matinee will also be given at this house on Monday. Evenings at 8:15. At Fields' Forty-second street, west of Broadway, Louis Mann and Clara Lipman are delighting big audiences with "Julie Bonbon." Matinees Lincoln's birthday, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

The biggest comedy hit of the year in New York is Fay Templeton in Geo. M. Cohan's music play, "45 Minutes from Broadway," at the New Amsterdam theatre, where she is now in her fourth week. Miss Templeton is undoubtedly the cleverest comedienne on the American stage. Her versatility was never more strongly tested than in this play, wherein she has serious and emotional as well as broad comedy situations. Her work is particularly pleasing to women. She is a women's comedienne, always refined in all that she does and never resorting to the slightest suggestion of coarseness to make her comic points. Victor Moore, who plays the opposite role, "Kid" Burns, has madea hit second only to that of the star. Mr. Moore, too, belongs to the quiet, unctuous and refined school of comedy, and in him Miss Templeton finds a most able second, in full sympathy with her stage methods. It is a pleasure to witness the situations between these really great artists, who make their points through refreshingly natural methods. As for the piece itself, it far surpasses expectation and any one who sees it cannot leave the theatre disappointed. It is a very effective conglomeration of different schools of theatrical entertainment into a powerful story of human interest, staged with novelty, variety and snap. "45 Minutes from Broadway" is quite the real thing in New York.

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Former Assemblyman Now Controls the Three Papers.

An important newspaper transaction was consummated in Orange yesterday afternon when the control of "The Orange Journal," "The East Orange Gazette" and "The South Orange Bulletin" was transferred to ex-Assemblyman Edward D. Birkholz, of Orange, the papers being signed and the stock of the Orange Journal Publishing Company, which publishes "The Journal" and "The Bulletin," and the East Orange Publishing Company, which gets out "The Gazette," turned over to Mr. Birkholz.

City Clerk Edgar Williams, who is an ex-Assemblyman, has controlled The Journal and The Bulletin for about twenty years, and last fall he obtained the majority of the stock of the East Orange Publishing Company. Mr. Birkholz has taken the properties over as an investment and Mr. Williams will continue to guide the editorial columns of "The Journal" and "The Bulletin" while Principal Charles I. Webster, of the Franklin Public School, in East Orange, will write editorials for "The Gazette.' The three papers have always been Republican, and their policy will be unchanged by the transfer of ownership.

Schley Mustered In.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Rear Admiral W. S. Schley, retired, was Wednesday night mustered in as a member of Col. Theodore Roosevelt Garrison, No. 74, of the Army and Navy Union.

"The Man on the Box"

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CHAPTER VIII.

ANOTHER SALAD IDEA.

When they found him missing, his bed untouched, his hat and coat on the rack, his inseparable walking-stick in the umbrella-stand, they were mightily worried. They questioned Jane, but she knew nothing. Jack went out to the stables; no news there. William, having driven the girls home himself, dared say nothing. Then Jack wisely telephoned for me, and I hurried over to the house.

"Maybe he hunted up some friends last night," I suggested.

"But here's his hat!" cried Nancy.

"Oh, he's all right; don't worry. I'll take a tour around the city. I'll find him. He may be at one of the clubs."

Fortunately for Mr. James Osborne I returned home first, and there found his note awaiting me. I was at the court by noon, armed with $35 and a suit of clothes of my own. I found the clerk.

"A young man, dressed as a groom, and locked up overnight," I said cautiously. "I wish to pay his fine."

"James Osborne?"

"Yes, that's the name, James Osborne,"—reaching down into my pocket.

"Fine's just been paid. We were about to release him. Here, officer, show this gentleman to James Osborne's cell, and tell him to pack up and get out."

So his fine was paid! Found the money in his clothes, doubtless. On the way to the cells I wondered what the deuce the rascal had been doing to get locked up overnight. I was vastly angry, but at the sight of him all my anger melted into a prolonged shout of laughter.

"That's right; laugh, you old pirate! I wish you had been in my boots a few hours ago. Lord!"

I laughed again.

"Have you got that $35?" he asked

"Why, your fine has been paid," I replied, rather surprised.

"And didn't you pay it?"

"Not I! The clerk told me that it had just been paid."

Warburton's jaw sank limply. "Just been paid?— Who the deuce could have paid it, or known?"

"First, tell me what you've been up to."

He told me snatches of the exploit as he changed his clothes, and it was a question which of us laughed the more But he didn't say a word about the stolen kiss, for which I think none the less of him.

"Who were the women?" I asked.

He looked at me for a space, as if deciding. Finally he made a negative sign.

"Don't know who they were, eh?"—incredulously.

He shrugged, laughed, and drew on his shoes.

"I always knew that I was the jackass of the family, Chuck, but I never expected to do it so well. Let's get out of this hole. I wonder who can have paid that fine? . . . No, that would not be possible!"

"What would not be?"

"Nothing, nothing,"—laughing.

But I could see that his spirits had gone up several degrees.

"The whole thing is likely to be in the evening papers," I said. He needed a little worrying. And I knew his horror of publicity.

"The newspapers? In the newspapers? Oh, I say, Chuck, can't you use your influence to suppress the thing? Think of the girls."

"I'll do the best I can. And there's only one thing for you to do, and that is to cut out of town till your beard has grown. It would serve you right, however, if the reporters got the true facts."

"I'm for getting out of town, Chuck; and on the next train but one."

Here our conversation was interrupted by the entrance of a policeman.

"A note for Mister Osborne,"—ironically. He tossed the letter to Warburton and withdrew.

Mister Osborne eagerly tore open an end of the envelope—a very aristocratic envelope, as I could readily discern —and extracted the letter. I closely watched his facial expressions. First, there was interest, then surprise, to be succeeded by amusement and a certain exultation. He slapped his thigh.

"By George, Chuck, I'll do it!"

"Do it? Now what?"

"Listen to this." He cleared his throat, sniffed of the faintly scented paper and cleared his throat again. He looked up at me drolly.

"Well?" said I, impatiently. I was as eager to hear it as he had been to read it. I believed that the mystery was about to be solved.

"'James Osborne, Sir: I have been thinking the matter over seriously, and have come to the conclusion that there may have been a mistake. Undoubtedly my groom was primarily to blame. I have discharged him for neglecting his post of duty. I distinctly recall the manner in which you handled the horses last night. It may be possible that they ran away with you. However that may be, I find myself in need of a groom. Your horsemanship saved us from a serious accident. If you will promise to let [illegible] bringing me a recommendation, and are without engagement, call at the enclosed address this afternoon at three o'clock. I should be willing to pay as much as $70 a month. You would be expected to accompany me on my morning rides.'"

"She must have paid the fine," said I. "Well, it beats anything I ever heard of. Had you arrested, and now wants to employ you! What name did you say?" I asked carelessly.

"I didn't say any name, Chuck,"—smiling. "And I'm not going to give any, you old duffer."

"And why not?"

"For the one and simple reason that I am going to accept the position,"—with a coolness that staggered me.

"What?" I bawled.

"Sure as life, as the policeman said last night."

"You silly ass, you! Do you want to make the family a laughing-stock all over the town?" I was really angry.

"Neither the family nor the town will know anything about it,"—imperturbably.

"But you will be recognized!" I remonstrated. "It's a clear case of insanity, after what has just happened to you."

"I promise not to drink any whisky," soberly.

"Bob, you are fooling me."

"Not the littlest bit, Chuck. I've worn a beard for two years. No one would recognize me. Besides, being a groom, no one would pay any particular attention to me. Get the point?"

"But what under the sun is your object?" I demanded. "There's something back of all this. It's not a simple lark like last night's."

"Perspicacious man!" —railingly. "Possibly you may be right. Chuck, you know that I've just got to be doing something. I've been inactive too long. I am ashamed to say that I should tire of the house in a week or less. Change, change, of air, of place, of occupation; change—I must have it. It's food and drink."

"You've met this woman before, somewhere."

"I neither acknowledge or deny. It will be very novel. I shall be busy from morning till night. Think of the fun of meeting persons whom you know, but who do not know you. I wouldn't give up this chance for any amount of money."

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THOMAS W. CAULDWELL, Executor.

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ESTATE of Felix Francis Genot, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the twenty-ninth day of December, 1905, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber. ARTHUR H. DUNDON, Executor.

CARLOS C. GALLUP, Proctor.

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Kirby, carrying on a wholesale and retail tobacco business at One Hundred and Six (106) Park Avenue, City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate for the equal benefit of his creditors; and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims under oath or affirmation to the subscriber at his office, number One Hundred and Thirteen (113) East Front Street, Plainfield, New Jersey, within three (3) months from the date hereof, or the same will be barred from coming in for a dividend of said estate.

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For New York—2.17 3.37, 5.36, 6.02, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.28 7.48, 7.55, 8.02, 8.11, 8.30, 8.36, 8.46, 9.24, 9.59, 10.26, 11.00 a. m., 12.02, 12.44, 1.18, 2.31, 2.42, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.29, 6.43, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40, 10.17, 11.28 p. m. Sunday—2.17, 3.37, 5.05, 7.41, 8.01, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.00 m., 12.58, 1.45, 2.40, 3.17, 3.30, 5.41, 6.46, 6.52, 8.13, 8.72, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Newark—5.25 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.48, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.24, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.33, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 2.17, 3.30, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.33, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.33, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.52 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Flemington—7.12, 11.00 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.19 p. m. Sundays—8.42 a. m., 5.37 p. m.

For Phillipsburg and Easton—5.25, 8.21, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.41 p. m. Sunday—5.45 a. m., 2.02, 6.35 p. m.

For Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.25, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

For Wilkesbarre and Scranton—5.25, 9.54 a. m., 5.48 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03 p. m.

For Long Branch and Ocean Grove, etc.—8.11, 11:00 a. m., 2.44, 4.13, 4.47, 6.22, 11.28 p. m. Sunday (except Ocean Grove) —8.52 a. m., 3.30, 8.13 p. m.

For Red Bank—8.11, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.44, 4.47, 5.42, 11.28 p. m. Sundays—8.52 a. m., 3.30, 8.13 p. m.

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For Toms River and Barnegat—8.11 a. m., 1.18, 3.44 p. m. Sundays—8.52 a. m.

For Philadelphia—5.17, 7.11, 7.44, 8.51, 9.39, 10.44, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 12.42, 1.39, 2.45, 3.42, 6.45, 7.46, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.17 night. Sunday—5.17, 10.39, 10.44, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 2.45, 3.42, 4.55, 5.39, 6.45, 7.46, 9.46 p. m., 11.25, 1.17 night.

For Trenton—5.17, 7.44, 8.50, 9.46, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.46, 3.42, 6.45, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.71 night. Sunday—5.17, 9.53, 10.39, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 3.42, 4.55, 6.45, 9.46, 11.25 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Reading and Harrisburg—5.17, 5.25, 8.38, 9.54, (10.44, 11.44 Reading only), a. m., 2.11, (5.48, through train), 1.17 night. Sundays—5.17 a. m., 2.08, 5.27, 6.35 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Pottsville, Sunbury and Williamsport—5.17, 5.25, 8.54 a. m., 2.11, 8.21 p. m., 1.17 night. Sundays—5.17 a. m., 2.03 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington—1.17, 8.51, 10.51 a. m., 2.45, 6.45, 7.47 p. m. Sundays—10.51 a. m., 2.45, 6.45 p. m., 1.17 night.

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STATEN ISLAND HAS WATER.

Company Tells Gov. Stokes That Jersey Supply Is Unnecessary.

Trenton, Feb. 10—C. C. Verinnele, consulting engineer, and H. I. Brightman, secretary of the Staten Island Water Supply Company, called on Governor Stokes yesterday and presented a statement that it was unnecessary for New Jersey to grant the request of Mayor McClellan, of New York, to amend the potable water law.

Mayor McClellan's letter to Governor Stokes a few days ago stated that Staten Island was without an adequate water supply and asked a modification of last winter's law, which prohibits potable water being conveyed outside of the State. A contract had been made with the Hudson County Water Company by New York city to supply Staten Island. This contract was enjoined in the courts here.

The statements presented to the Governor yesterday contends that the Staten Island Water Supply Company stands ready to supply Staten Island with 6,000,000 gallons of water a day, the water to be obtained from driven wells on the island.

SAYS CITIES MUST RULE.

Dr. Draper Declares Farmers Need to Readjust Themselves.

Geneva, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Dr. Andrew S. Draper, State commissioner of education, in an address before the State Grange yesterday, said:

"More than 70 per cent. of the people of this State are living in cities. New York City is doubling in size in thirty years. This means that city interests and theories must predominate in the political, social, religious and industrial life of the State. Then farmers will have to readjust themselves.

"What is needed is farming on a larger scale, a better chemical knowledge of the soils, and the adaptation of crops to soils; a better understanding of the demands of the markets, good relations with the railroads, and more courage.

"Every resident of New York City has interest in the prosperity of every New York farmer."

$300,000 Gifts to Columbia.

New York, Feb. 10.—Gifts to Columbia University to the amount of nearly $300,000 were announced at the meeting of the trustees of the university Monday afternoon. The most important contributions were the sum of $150,000, given by Mrs. Maria H. Williamson, of New York, to establish a professorship in memory of the late Edward R. Carpentier, and $100,000 from George R. Blumenthal, of New York, for the endowment of a chair of politics. The resignation was received of James Brown Scott, professor of law, who has accepted the appointment of solicitor of the Department of State, at Washington. The trustees adopted in final form the agreement with the National Academy of Design, which has already been adopted by the academy and its council, and which will go into effect immediately. By the terms of the agreement the university and the academy will co-operate in the establishment and maintenance of a faculty of fine arts.

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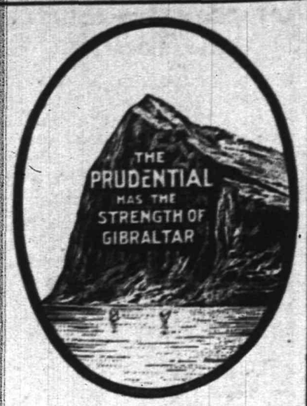

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SPORTS HERE AND THERE

BASKET BALL.

St. Christopher Tigers, of the New York Church League, will play the Y. M. C. A. first team on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the association gymnasium. The St. Christopher Tigers is one of the best teams in the New York Church League.

SHOOTING CLUB OFFICERS.

Independent Club Will Install Next Monday Night.

The Independent Shooting Club will install the officers elected at the last meeting, next Monday night. Arrangements for the event include preparations for a collation of the sort beloved by disciples of Gambrinus and robust gunners.

The officers to be installed are as follows: President, Henry Haurand; first lieutenant, C. W. Krausse; second lieutenant, C. A. Saebocker; corresponding secrtary, F. J. P. Huff; financial secretary, L. M. Van Dyke; treasurer, B. F. Leonard; sergeant at arms, Titus Laury; captain of the rifle range, B. F. Leonard; captain of the traps, L. M. Van Dyke; property man, Mathias Menzenbach; trustees, Henry Haurand, C. W. Krausse, F. J. P. Huff, L. M. Van Dyck, B. F. Leonard.

Other matters of importance besides the installation will come up at the meeting Monday night.

Costly to Marry Minors in Jersey.

Paterson, Feb. 10.—Suit has been begun, under the law recently passed, against Rev. A. S. Biddle, an Episcopalian clergyman of Jersey City, by the parents of seventeen-year-old Mrs. Daisy Reus-Winters. Mr. and Mrs. Reus ask for damages on the ground that the clergyman married their daughter to James Winters without their consent.

Gambling Case Adjourned.

The case against the eight negroes accused of gambling in a resort alleged to have been run by Peter Simmons, on West Front street, was adjourned in the city court this morning, for a week. The adjournment was taken at the request of the police, who want more time to work up their case.

Removed to Hospital.

Charles Koefoed, of Franklin place, who recently sustained a serious injury by slipping on a banana peel as he was about to step on a car, was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital, yesterday, for treatment. His shoulder blade was broken and he suffered a severe nervous shock.

Mizpah Lodge, No. 1, U. O. of I. O. O. L., will hold a Martha Washington supper on February 22.

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

A special meeting of the Men's Club of the Congregational church will be held tomorrow morning at the close of the service to consider an important resolution.

Rev. George A. Warner, rector of Holy Cross church, is detained at home with a slight attack of tonsilitis. If unable to preach tomorrow, Rev. Mr. Egar, of the borough, will conduct the services at the church.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—You can buy valentines at Harper's all day and evening Monday.

—Samuel S. Swackhamer will speak of Abraham Lincoln, the pricne of story tellers, at the Y. M. C. A. entertainment on Monday evening. Edson C. Martin will sing and and the Musical Stewart and members of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra will provide special music. A silver offering will be received at the box office.

SEEK STATE PRISON JOBS CAUSING MUCH TALK.

Prediction That Kirkbride Will Be Next Supervisor—Contest for Clerkship.

Trenton, Feb. 10.—It seems to be definitely settled that former Assemblyman Samuel W. Kirkbride, of Monmouth county, is to be appointed supervisor of the State prison to succeed the late Major Edward J. Anderson.

As Major Anderson came from Somerset the leaders of that county took it for granted that the appointment belonged to them, and they lost no time in coming forward with former Assemblyman Peter V. D. Van Doren as their candidate. Senator Brown and other influential Monmouth leaders did not take the same view of the situation Somerset did, and laid before the Governor the claims of Mr. Kirkbride. They told of the services he had rendered to the party in his county, of the years when he unselfishly labored for the success of the Republican candidates when their fate was very much in doubt, and referred to the sacrifices he had made in order that their success might be assured.

These representations, the Monmouth men declare, have been successful and predict that Mr. Kirkbride's name will go to the Senate next week.

Horace B. Tobin and Colonel Charles A. Reed, of Trenton, are waging a lively contest for the appointment as clerk to the supervisor of the State prison. William Hall is the present incumbent and the place pays a salary of $1,800 a year.

Hall, who served for many years under the late Major Anderson, will, it is said, be replaced, and both Tobin and Reed have influential Mercer county Republicans supporting them for the place.

The fact, however, that Mercer county already has so many of its citizens employed at the prison is likely to operate against a man from this county in the selection for the place.

In view of the fact that Somerset had the supervisorship so many years, and has put up such a strong fight to retain it, many persons think, the clerkship may go to that county.

Jersey City Policeman Moved.

Jersey City, Feb. 10.—Complimented at Princeton by President Roosevelt on the occasion of the West Point-Annapolis football game for his excellent handling of the crowd, Thomas Lynch, one of the local policemen who had been doing mounted duty, was transferred to ordinary patrol duty Thursday by the police commissioners. The ground announced for this action was that he was not active enough for the mounted detail.

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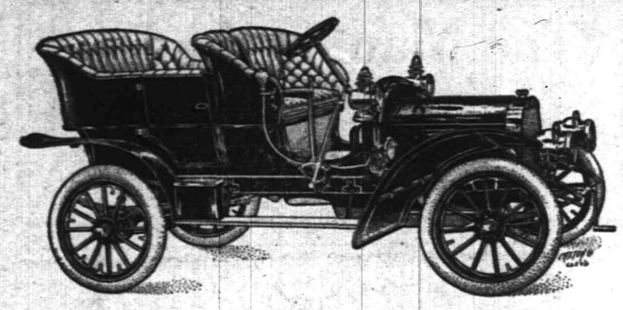
PERSONAL.

The Misses Shreve, of Grove street, have gone to Conshohocken, Pa., to visit friends.

Dr. F. W. Cornwall, who spent his boyhood days here and is well-known among Plainfielders, has returned here, where he will begin the practice of medicine. He is stopping at Truell Inn.

NOTICE.

The Daily Press will be issued at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon on account of the holiday.



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DISTRUSTS COUNCIL, WANTS LOCAL OPTION

Alexander Millar Speaks Strongly For Pending Bill at Congregational Church.

RESOLUTION BY CLUB

Organization Asks Passage of Option Bill and Opposes Any New Licenses in the City—The Moral Commuter.

Speaking before the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church, last night, at the regular temperance meeting of the organization, Alexander Millar strongly advocated the passage of the local option bill now pending in the Legislature. He argued for the measure with particular reference to this city, and some of his statements were not without interest for the local political powers.

The day might almost be said to have been given over to local option and the license question by the church. The Men's Club held a special meeting after the morning service to pass strong resolutions in favor of the option bill, and against the granting of any more licenses by the Common Council. Emphasis was laid on the Goff application.

Mr. Millar's argument for local option was long and earnest. He had been interested in the temperance question since early youth, he said, and had never wavered in his hatred of the saloon business. He had nothing against the saloon keeper as an individual, excepting that the law put him on a different footing from every other business man. No other business man was compelled to get endorsers on his application for a trade license, in order to make it certain that he was fit to be trusted in the traffic in which he sought to engage.

Even with the safeguarding endorsements, licensing authorities made mistakes. The Council had made a mistake in granting a license to a certain place on Grant avenue, because they could not prevent illegal selling there except by that action. It was a matter for wonderment that such an applicant could get twelve satisfactory endorsers.

The liquor curse was not new. Patriarchs of the Bible had fallen under it, and people of all times had been under its shadow. The Anglo-Saxon race and kindred peoples seemed to be particularly susceptible to it, and markedly awake to its gravity. Its power for evil did not change. Rum was always a curse and no sort of license made it anything else. A license did not change the character of rum.

It was true that men did not have to drink, and that argument against sumptuary legislation was well enough as far as it went. But so long as there were weak brothers who would be tempted by the sight and smell and proximity of liquor, their fellows had the right as citizens to protect them through the strength of the law. Society recognized its right to pass laws governing the sale and use of nitro-glycerine and other explosives; they were dangerous to the well-being and safety of the citizenry. The case of liquor was exactly parallelm liquor was dangerous. No one had ever suggested that the coal business or the wheat business be checked—the difference in the general attitude toward such lines of trade was suggestive in itself. Ie was to be noted in this conection that liquor dealers were apparently readier to break the law than any other class of business men. A year in the saloon business seemed to have a tendency to make men bad, or, at any rate, worse than they had been.

There were three kinds of liquor laws that the speaker had in mind: prohibition, license law and local option. He was a prohibitionist personally, but he did not favor prohibition where it could not be enforced, and he did not believe it could be in this State. As for the license law, he did not believe in giving the power to create saloons to a small group of men, such as the Council. Bodies of that kind could not be trusted. There was more or less politics in the Council, which was perhaps natural, and men from certain districts would feel impelled to vote for license under the impression that they were pleasing the people who put them in office. There were eleven men in the Plainfield Council, and it might easily happen that the license question would bring about an even division of votes among the rank and

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BAR ASSOCIATION HAS ANNUAL DINNER

PRESIDENT CRAIG A. MARSH ACTS AS TOASTMASTER.

The annual dinner of the Union County Bar Association, held at the Hotel Astor, New York, Saturday night, was attended by several legal lights from this city, including Craig A. Marsh, president of the association; Charles A. Reed, William R. Codington, Samuel S. Swackhamer, William Newcorn, William G. DeMeza and Francis J. Blatz. Former Sheriff B. Frank Coriell attended as a guest. In all there were forty present from all parts of the county. William A. Coddington, who was to have been one of the speakers, was detained by illness, and his partner, Mr. Reed, spoke for him on the toast, "Our Profession." Vice-Chancellor J. J. Bergen, who was to have spoken on "An Unreliable Master," was also unable to attend on account of illness.

Craig A. Marsh, as president of the association, was the toastmaster, and his introductory remarks were thoroughly enjoyed by all. The toasts were as follows:

"The State of New Jersey," Hon. Foster M. Voorhees; "The Judiciary," Judge F. J. Swayze; "The Law," Judge Wilbur A. Heisley; "Our Profession," Charles A. Reed; "Any Old Subject," Frank Bergen. The last named passed out hits on the toasts in a humorous manner.

In speaking on the toast "Our Profession," Mr. Reed maintained that it should be upheld on the highest plane. He cited the fact that seventy-five per cent. of the New Jersey legislators are lawyers and he urged that laws be enacted and enforced compelling every legal voter to cast his ballot at election time. He said that in some of the rural districts and in the cities as well there are many who will not vote unless a $5 bill is put in their hand, and in his opinion everyone entitled to a vote should be made to cast it, under the penalty of losing his right to do so. Mr. Reed also devoted his attention to other important features of the profession of a lawyer, presenting many interesting facts. He also referred to the growth of the Union County Bar Association and urged that the members do all in their power to increasing its efficiency and standing.

The committee having charge of the arrangements for dinner comprised Judge Edward S. Atwater, Elizabeth, chairman; William R. Codington, Plainfield; Paul Q. Oliver, Westfield; J. A. Kiernan and Samuel Schleimer, Elizabeth.

J. P. MORGAN GETS CONTROL OF THE P.S.C.

PENNSYLVANIA AND THE U. G. I. ALSO INTERESTED IN THE DEAL.

A preliminary agreement was entered into Friday whereby a two-thirds interest in the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey passed into the hands of New York and Philadelphia capitalists, as stated in The Daily Press on Saturday. The stock of the company will probably figure on the New York Stock Exchange.

The financial control has been transferred from the Fidelity Trust Company, of Newark, to J. P. Morgan & Co., who represent the Pennsylvania Railroad and the United Gas Improvement Company.

The same influences which compelled the Public Service Company to surrender its high-speed plans to the Pennsylvania, it is said, are potent factors in the present deal. The Pennsylvania will probably control the transportation facilities of the company, while the various gas and lighting companies will be under the supervision of the United Gas Improvement Company.

The "treasury stock" of the company, amounting to $12,500,000, which has not yet been issued, will be disposed of by Morgan & Co. for cash, if the present plans are carried out, thereby raising the total of the stock issue to $25.000,000.

Part of the proceeds is to pay floating indebtedness and part is for extensions and development. It will be divided so that one-third will be controlled by Morgan & Co., while the balance will be in charge of Newark and Philadelphia capitalists.

Lodge Receives Applicants.

Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., at its meeting Saturday night received several propositions. Grandview Council, No. 55, of Mt. Bethel, and Golden Rod Council, of New Brunswick, with the State councillar, will be invited to attend the initiation February 21.

DR. SCHENCK ON LINCOLN

Trinity's Pastor Dwells on the Martyr-President's Nobility of Character.

WAS NOT AN ATHEIST

Contrasts Him to Washington—Sketches President's Life and Achievements.

Taking for his theme "Lincoln, the Emancipator," Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, addressed his congregation last night on the Christian virtue and manly characteristics of the Martyr-President. During his discourse the speaker rebutted the allegation that Lincoln was not a Christian. "He was no more of an atheist than I am," said he, in emphasizing the great President's love of God. "He depended on the Lord for help in every important act of his administration, particularly when he signed the Emancipation Proclamation," added the preacher.

After declaring that the man was undoubtedly born of God, Rev. Mr. Schenck compared Lincoln with Washington. He pointed out to his congregation the great differences in early beginnings, dispositions, advantages and characteristics of America's two greatest chief executives. Washington, he said, was born of wealthy parentage, was aristocratic, and had every opportunity to make himself great. On the other hand, Lincoln was born of humble parentage, and had to strike out in life for himself. Both were Christians, he said. Washington's part in the church was well known, but it was only recently learned that Lincoln had been at all active. It is said that the latter was once a Sunday school superintendent.

Rev. Mr. Schenck dwelt at some lenght on the life of Lincoln, telling of his birth in Kentucky and his boyhood days. He briefly sketched his rise to national prominence and his achievements as President.

NEW GAS COMPANY INCORPORATED HERE

BETTER AND CHEAPER LIGHT PROMISED FOR PLAINFIELDERS.

The Siche Gas Company, incorporated by citizens who are interested in securing cheaper and better light for Plainfield, has leased the property at 149 East Fourth street, and will employ thirty hands regularly. The company will be capitalized at $100,000, divided into one thousand shares of $100 each. Of this 500 shares will be set aside for obtaining the rights for the United States and Territories and to provide a charter.

The Siche gas machine has displaced nearly all of the acetylene machines on the market during the past five years in the Dominion of Canada and received the highest award and gold medal at the National Exhibition held in Canada last year. The Siche system does away entirely with the objectionable storage tank or gasometer, and the gas being made under very low pressure and in minute quantities just as the lights demand it, and being cold, dry and clean when arriving at the burners, gives a soft, white brilliancy not found in any other artificial light.

William L. Perrin and L. R. Arnett, of this city, are representatives here for the incorporators, and further information can be obtained from them.

"CLANSMAN" NOT COMING.

Extension of Run in New York Postpones Local Appearance.

Having extended the run of the play in New York for one week, Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger notified Manager Counihan today that "The Clansman" would not appear at the local theatre next Monday, as announced. It remains at the Liberty theatre until February 26, and the road tour will begin then. All the dates arranged for the week previous are accordingly postponed until spring, but it will positively play each of the cities as arranged.

The postponement was a disappointment to Plainfielders, as many playgoers had anticipated witnessing this interesting production. It is drawing big crowds nightly in the metropolis, and this fact will make it a still more potent drawing card.

Out of Jail Quickly.

James McCauley, drunk and disorderly, was arrested Saturday afternoon. He recovered rapidly, and Saturday night he was sober enough to be arraigned before Judge Runyon. Sentence was suspended.

BREEM WAS EXCITED BY SLEIGHING PARTY

SEMI-MUTE DEAF MAN ON A WILD RAMPAGE.

Exhilarated by the wintry air and possibly some things taken to counteract its nipping effect, William Breem returned from a sleighing party Saturday night in a mood for excitement. He started to hunt for it as soon as he reached his father's home, 139 East Second street, shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Breem, who is deaf and almost mute, is sensitive to reproof, and felt hurt when his father tried to restrain him.

He showed how his feelings had been harrowed by mauling the old man and knocking down a stovepipe. He made such a row that the firemen, returning from a run, piled into the house in a body. They found the father preparing to defend himself with a scantling, and decided that the police were needed. In answer to a 'phone message, Sergeant Frederickson sent Officer Saffron around.

Breem heard of the cop's coming and bolted to the street. Saffron met him, and Breem turned the other way. There was some lively doubling and dodging before Saffron caught him.

At police headquarters, the officers say, a revolver was found in Breem's pocket. He will be arraigned before Judge Runyon this afternoon. He has been arrested before for the same sort of escapade.

Company K Fair.

Company K's fair, only five days off, and already the armory is assuming a bee-hive look. Among some of the good things in store for the fair patrons is the first appearance in Plainfield of the popular song artists, Clifford J. Werner and Edward Meeker. Mr. Werner is an author and composer of note and will sing some of his own compositions. They will appear Saturday night, February 17 and Monday night, February 19. The armory will be lighted by electricity.

"Larry" in Toils Once More.

"Larry" Wallace, who is now waiting sentence in the Union County Court, on a charge of larceny at Rapp's Hotel, Scotch Plains, to which he entered a plea of guilty, was arrested at Scotch Plains Saturday night for being drunk and disorderly. He was committed to the county jail for thirty days and was taken to Elizabeth this morning. It is not believed that his latest escapade will benefit him when arraigned for sentence on the larceny charge.

Mr. Gilbert a Speaker.

Former Mayor Alexander Gilbert, of this city, president of the Fulton Market Bank of New York, will be one of the speakers at the annual banquet of the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Bank Clerks, to be held Thursday night at the Hotel Astor, New York. Among the other speakers will be Rev. Minot J. Savage, President Schurman, of Cornell University; John S. Wise, former Governor of Virginia, and W. A. Pendergast.

To Tell Lincoln Stories.

Abraham Lincoln was a prince of story tellers, and tonight at the Association Hall former Assemblyman S. S. Swackhamer will speak of him in that role. E. C. Martin will be the soloist. The musical Stewart will also entertain, and members of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra will make the evening still more enjoyable. A silver offering will be received at the box office.

Luncheon for Mr. Travis.

Councilman George P. Mellick, of East Seventh street, who is spending a week at the "Bon Air," Augusta, Ga., entertained Walter J. Travis, the golf champion, at luncheon at the Country Club of Augusta, on Friday last. Mr. Travis will remain in Augusta for several days, as he will participate in the tournament for the amateur golf championship of Southern Florida to be held at Palm Beach this week.

Death of Charles Mayer.

Charles Mayer, a tailor, residing on Pearl street, died at his home Saturday morning. He was sixty-three years old and came to this country from Germany. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church this morning, Rev. Father Miller officiating. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

Birthday Surprise.

Miss Evelyn Richmond, of West Front street, was tendered a surprise party Friday night in honor of her nineteenth birthday. Music, games and refreshments were the features. The guests numbered forty. People from Newark, Orange and Elizabeth were among them. Miss Richmond received many handsome presents.

—Get right with God.

Matters of importance will be discussed at the monthly meeting of the Men's Club of the First Baptist church tonight.

DR. W. E. MATTISON DEAD

Expired While Seated in Chair at His Office on Somerset Street.

POLICE FIND BODY

Resided in North Plainfield Since 1879—Served As Surgeon During the Civil War.

Seated in a comfortable position in an arm chair as though he were enjoying a nap, the body of Dr. W. E. Mattison, one of the oldest and best known residents of the borough, was found in the rear of his store on Somerset street, this morning. He had evidently been stricken some time during the night just before his retiring hour as his bed, situated in an adjoining room, was undisturbed.

The first known that anything was wrong with the old doctor, who lived by himself, was when Lieutenant Campbell noticed that he was sitting an unusually long time in the one position. Campbell lives over the store and in ascending to his apartment by the rear stairs could see into the office. He notified Chief Weiss and the latter forced an entrance to the place. Dr. Buchanan was called and declared that death had occurred at least six hours before the body was found. He ascribed heart disease as the cause.

Dr. Mattison was born in Somerset county, near Millstone, eighty-two years ago and practiced medicine there for a long time. At the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted as a surgeon and was with the Third New Jersey. At the close of hostilities he returned to Millstone, but in 1879 moved to North Plainfield, where he conducted a drug store in connection with practicing as a physician. He was also justice of the peace for several terms, the last expiring last spring.

The doctor's only relatives are two daughters who live in North Carolina and a son, whose home is in New Brunswick. The latter has been informed of his father's death and Chief Weiss has made no disposition of the body pending his arrival. The daughters are well known as musicians and one of them sang for several years in the Vanderbilt church at Biltmore.

ICE CUTTING BEGUN.

Natural Ice Company and J. H. Tier Started in Today.

Ice cutting was begun this morning in earnest by the Natural Ice Company and J. H. Tier. What the harvest will be is a question.

The dealers seemed very reluctant to answer it, even tentatively, this morning. The ice is over five inches thick, but Mr. Tier, when asked by a reporter, was even unwilling to hazard an opinion as to the thickness. He said he hadn't learned and didn't want to guess.

"As for the crop we'll get, it depends entirely on the weather. I have no means of calculating it now," he said.

Lincoln's Birthday.

Lincoln's Birthday is being observed today. The postoffice closed at 10 o'clock this morning, and all of the banks, the trust company and law offices and the public library are closed for the day. The merchants generally remained opened throughout the day. All of the county offices at Elizabeth are closed and tonight several clubs at the county seat will hold entertainments appropriate to the day.

Plainfielders Meet in Egypt.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Frost and niece, Miss Edith K. Weston, of Watchung avenue, who are at present in Egypt, met in Cairo Francis W. Frost and Mr. Woods, of Cincinnati, who had continued their journey round the world after leaving the Taft party in China. On January 27 the united party went up the Nile as far as Assouan. They returned to Naples February 10.

M. B. Stutsman Surprised.

Martin B. Stutsman, of East Sixth street, was tendered a surprise party Friday night. About twenty-four young people were present. Progressive games were the feature of the affair, refreshments following. First ladies' prize was won by Miss Helen Whitney, second by Miss Marguerite Ostrom; first gentleman's prize was won by George Bentley, second by Stuart Freeman.

Handsome New Front.

The handsome new front in "The White Store," is about completed, and is attracting considerable attention. The general change is a decided improvement, especially the new large prism glass which gives much additional light in the store. There will be but one main entrance to the store, the smaller door on the side being closed.

NEWARK FIVE DOES IT AGAIN; ROOTERS SORE

HISS VISITORS WHEN THEY PULL AWAY FROM LOCALS.

More real strenuousness than has come to the ken of basketball enthusiasts in this city in a long, long while marked the meeting between the Newark team and the local Y. M. C. A. quintet Saturday night. The Newark men got the decision, 18 to 10.

It was a sharp game all ways and all the time. Rooters added their quota to the excitement, and there were times when the air was surcharged with earnestness and other forms of peace disturbance. In the first half the contest was nip and tuck. Both teams guarded and passed well, and there wasn't a hair's breadth to choose between them. Plainfield was working to wipe out the sting of the last meeting with Newark, when the latter administered the only defeat of the season to the locals on their own field. Visions of vengeance were bright when the half ended with the score but one point in Newark's favor—9 to 8.

The vision faded in the next session. Newark went in with redoubled speed, and Plainfield, cowed by the spirit, faltered, wavered, and fell down. The locals shot but one more goal, while Newark made superiority a matter of no doubt by scoring nine more points.

The Plainfield rooters took the weakening of their champions hard. They allowed notions of unfairness to take possession of their minds, and hissed the visitors. After a particularly successful and loud imitation of noisy geese from the gallery, Capt. Vreeland called his men from the field and signified, as clearly as his indignation permitted, that he was through playing. The Y. M. C. A. men managed to induce him to go on. Line up and summary:

Plainfield.		Newark.
Smith	right forward.	Vreeland, Wagner
Neal	left forward.	Long
Scull	center.	Vreeland, Seidler
Letson	right guard.	Pollard
Leary	left guard.	Spaulding

Goals from field—Seidler, 2; Vreeland, 2; Spaulding, 1; Wagner, 2; Scull, 2; Leary, 2; Letson, 1. Goals from foul—Vreeland, 4. Times of halves—20 minutes. Umpire—C. B. Morse. Referee—Mortimer Myers.

MRS. TODD BURIED; A PASTOR'S DAUGHTER

HER FATHER WAS ONCE MINISTER OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mrs. Margaret Drake Todd, who will be remembered by many as the daughter of the late Rev. Simeon J. Drake, third pastor of the First Baptist church, from 1839 to 1862, died at her home in West Fifty-ninth street, New York, on Thursday last, and the funeral services were held there yesterday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Sanders officiating.

During her girlhood days she was converted under the preaching of her father and became a member of his church. Shortly after the death of Pastor Drake the family moved to Brooklyn. Miss Drake became the wife of William James Todd, of New York, a merchant in an old established salt business. He died several years ago. Mr. Todd was a boy pupil in 1837 at the "Plainfield Classical Institute," a thriving academy at that time. While here he became a member of the First Baptist church, at one of the largest revivals ever experienced in mid-summer. Shortly afterward he transferred his membership to the First Baptist church of New York. Since Mr. Todd's death his wife and two daughters have traveled the world around and lived abroad many years. Recently the family made its home in West Fifty-ninth street, facing Central Park.

Besides two daughters surviving, there remain a brother, Simeon J. Drake, of New York, and two sisters, Mrs. Kate D. Varian, of Orange, and Mrs. Charity Newning, of Texas, all of whom were once residents of this city. Mrs. Todd's body was placed by the side of her husband in the family mausoleum in Greenwood cemetery. Her father, Rev. Simeon J. Drake, and mother, a sister, Anna, and a brother, Oliver, are buried in Evergreen cemetery, this city.

J. J. Goff to be Tried Tomorrow.

The Union County Courts will reopen tomorrow morning. It is expected that the case of John J. Goff, charged with keeping a disorderly house, will be the first one called. Several other cases of interest to Plainfield will be tried this week.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAMME

Many Bills Passed in 5 Weeks of Work—Public Hearing on Important Measures.

NO SESSION TONIGHT

Not a Single Bill of Importance Has Been Made Into Law—301 Introduced and but Three Have Been Passed.

The sixth week of the Legislature will begin at the State House, Trenton, tomorrow morning. The usual Monday evening session will be omitted tonight because of Lincoln's Birthday. The five weeks of the session have produced 301 bills and joint resolutions, and but three of them have been passed by both houses. These have been the bill to correct the complication caused by combining the spring elections in boroughs and townships with the general fall elections, the joint resolution to honor Captain Casto and crew for rescuing the passengers from the wrecked steamer Cherokee at Atlantic City, and Senate bill No. 5, providing for an appropriation of $1,200 for clerical help in the comptroller's office to aid Deputy Clerk Daughten.

The Senate has passed 12 bills, and 11 have been gotten through the House. They have all been minor measures, however.

Not a single measure of State importance has as yet been reported from committee, but this is due mainly to the fact that the committees have ben busy with hearings on them, in order to learn the public desire with reference to them. This Legislature has been an improvement on most of its predecessors in the fact that it has begun hearings on the most important bills early in the session.

There will be another hearing Wednesday on Senator Jackson's bill to place all county officials upon a salary basis. There is no serious objection to this measure, except on the part of those whose interest is strictly personal. That the bill will be reported and passed by both houses of the Legislature seems almost certain.

The House last week passed without opposition the bill fixing the salary of the prosecutor of Passaic county at $7,500 a year. Prosecutors are not mentioned in Senator Jackson's bill. Gradually prosecutors have been transferred from a fee to a salary basis under a law passed a few years ago, until the Passaic prosecutor was the only remaining official of that class receiving compensation in the shape of fees.

Tomorrow at 11 a. m. there will be a hearing before the Senate committee on municipal corporations on Senate bills Nos. 1, 10, 20 and 70, the limited franchise measures. Wednesday at 1 p. m. the hearing on the bill for the abandonment of the Morris canal will take place.

There has been considerable discussion concerning a bill presented in the House of Assembly last Wednesday by Assemblyman Burke, of Trenton, supplementing the act concerning the redistricting of second-class cities, and the question was asked what, if any, bearing it had on the ward lines of the city of Trenton.

The bill provides that when any second class cities are divided into wards under the act to which this bill is a supplement, it shall not be lawful to again make any other division of wards within a period of five years.

Mr. Burke, when asked about the bill yesterday, said that it had no direct bearing upon Trenton, but was a measure general in its nature and intended to complete the act of last winter concerning the redistricting of cities, which had been left incomplete by the omission of a limitation period.

The act passed last winter was for the especial benefit of the city of Paterson in order to correct certain ward lines. Under the provisions of Mr. Burke's supplement these lines cannot be again changed in five years. Mr. Burke said that his measure was a practical one and as fair for one party as the other.

The interest continues in the Miller local option bill. There is a general opinion that the committee will report it, the members feeling that the full responsibility of disposing of the measure should not rest with them. It is believed, therefore, that they will put it up to the House to pass on the matter. There are those who believe that the bill will be reported and passed by the House, but will be promptly killed by the Senate.

To Discuss Schiller.

The Rasores Club will meet with Mrs. H. E. Bowen, 740 Watchung avenue, tomorrow. Schiller will be the subject.

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Just 50 of them—many different styles—all to be sold cheaply.

Sideboard—Made of oak, golden finish, has French bevel mirror, carving at top, in base are one large drawer, two smaller drawers and cupboard at bottom, regular price $22.00, special price will be **16.50**

Sideboard—Quartered oak, golden finish, nicely carved top with French plate mirror, neat design of fancy side shelf supports, large linen drawer in base and two small drawers with cupboard below, brass handles, regular price $46.00, special price this week **36.50**

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Sideboard—Size of base 24x50, has top shelf and two side shelves supported by neat design of side columns, carving at top, has the usual linen drawer and two small silver drawers and French bevel mirror, quartered oak, golden finish, regular price $42.00, to go at **34.00**

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You might die laughing at the telling comical hits made by some of our Valentines, or those who have affairs of the heart may take a very serious view of others.

All sorts of valentines are here—**Lace Valentines, Burnt Leather Valentines, Hand Painted Satin Valentines, Cutout Novelties, Postal Cards and Framed Picture Valentines.** Some are humorous; some are sentimental; some just pretty for those who like to exchange greetings on every occasion when there is an opportunity offered.

Our framed picture valentines with the famous pictures of "Cupid Awake" and "Cupid Asleep" will be found very suitable to folks who like to send something worth while. These pictures are substantially framed in dark oak, in square and round shapes, prettily boxed and sold at these very low prices:

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Albums holding from 48 to 1,000 cards at prices ranging from ..... **10c to $3**

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Salient Facts About Furniture

Our Furniture Chief has just returned from the Northwest, where he made a tour of all the great factories and purchased enormous quantities of all that was new and good in furniture. Shipments began from the time of his arrival on the ground, and carloads of new furniture have been coming in almost daily. This new furniture is being brought forward as rapidly as our energetic forces can make it ready for display, and we already have on the floor many of these new things.

This is interesting news for people considering furniture purchases, because the air is so full of furniture talk that many might be swerved from the paths of common sense and be led into the purchase of out-of-date furniture, and the kinds made for special sale purposes.

There are years, at least there have been years, when furniture manufacturers were overstocked and had a surplus to dispose of, but this is not one of those years; there are no surplus stocks, and those houses that pretend to sell you furniture at lower than usual prices on the pretense that it was bought cheaply, and yet is of standard grade, are misleading you.

Unless these houses are willing to take from their own profits such savings as they claim to give you, they can not more than match the prices that we name regularly. You will find, on comparison, that the furniture on our floor today may be bought just as cheaply as furniture of equal grade in any New York house conducting what they call a furniture sale.

Take the trouble to look around. See all there is to see. It will be an education to you and you will awaken to the fact, already known to thousands, that this is the

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Beige Suitings—45 inches wide, in invisible stripe effects, colors Oxford, gun metal and silver gray, at **1.25**

Tennis Suitings—50 to 56 inches wide, cream grounds with hair stripes, good weight, at $1.25, $1.50 and..... **2.00**

Cream Serges and Cheviots—A complete line, 38 to 54 inches wide, fashion predicts a big sale for these fabrics, prices from 59c up to **1.25**

English Mohairs and Sicilians—40 to 46 in. wide, cream ground with hairline check and stripes, at **1.50**

In addition to the above will be found Crepes, Veilings, Serges, Cashmeres, Voiles, Wool Taffetas, Batiste, Broadcloths, etc.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

The question of whether the extension of the water mains to the Hardingham property, for fire protection, shall be from Washington avenue or Lincoln avenue is being debated between the water company and borough officials. The location of the three hydrants will not be settled until the question is decided.

The Ladies' Society of the M. E. church will hold an entertainment Thursday night. The feature will be the appearance of Miss Ola Bidwell, of Chicago, who will sing, recite and play the violin. Miss Bidwell has a baritone voice, a rarity in feminine talents.

The fire truck is to be fitted with a brake, in order that it may be better fitted for horse service. As the truck is now, with nothing to check the speed except the pull-back, owners of horses are reluctant to allow their animals to be used on it.

It is expected that a new series, No. 12, will be opened by the building and loan association at the meeting on February 22. Applications for stock have been received by the secretary.

The contract suit of VanZandt & Voorhees, of Plainfield, against Samuel Johnson was decided in favor of the plaintiffs by Justice Van Minden Friday afternoon.

Mrs. James Mott, who was formerly Miss Bessie Milliken, returned to her home in the country near Summit, Saturday, after a visit to Mrs. Coriell, of Front street.

As is usual each year, the water company's tax money has been applied to the borough's water bill. That is about as far as the municipality gets into trade.

There has been a great improvement in the condition of William Farrier. He will be able to leave the house shortly, as usual.

The Presbyterian Sunday-school will hold exercises in commemoration of Washington's Birthday on February 21.

William Ruhl has moved into his new house on South avenue. The building has been completed in every detail.

The infant son of George Schenck, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is now out of danger.

Rev. A. F. Todd, who was eighty years old yesterday, is confined to his room by illness.

Miss May Shotwell has entered the Plainfield Business College. She is studying shorthand.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oliver are entertaining relatives from Connecticut for a few days.

Dering & Co.'s suit against J. W. Meeker, on contract, has been discontinued.

Mrs. Robert Pierce will entertain Friendship Circle Wednesday afternoon.

Skating was very poor on New Market pond Saturday.

A broken light on Madison avenue has been repaired.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

John Dunn, the local ice dealer, flooded the ice at the "Back Pond" Saturday, for the purpose of hurrying along the freezing. Ice is now six inches thick and with good weather cutting will commence this week.

Sleighing was fair Saturday and Sunday and a number of sleighs were out. The merry jingle of bells sounded familiar, but it needs another three or four inches of snow to make good sleighing.

The coal business conducted for years by the late Edward M. Johnston will still be continued under the management of James Johnston, who was associated with his father in the business.

The stone crusher in the valley has been temporarily put out of business by the sudden change in the weather. Work will be resumed again within a few days.

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Grant, of West Front street, spent Sunday with Mrs. Grant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Paff, Sr.

Miss Susie Parse has returned from a visit of several days with Mrs. John R. Cochrane, of Vanderbilt avenue, Brooklyn.

The members of the B. Y. P. U. held a well attended meeting last night in the parlors of the church.

"The School Girl" is Manager Counihan's attraction at the New Plainfield theatre tonight.

Phillip Jahn has returned from a business trip of several days at Wheeling, W. Va.

W. S. Rapp returned Saturday from a week's stay at Albany, N. Y.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

At the meeting of the Piscataway township at New Market last week for the monthly transaction of business an application was received from the Public Service Corporation asking for the location of switch for its trolley tracks on Lincoln boulevard. It was granted. An application was also received for the abandonment of two streets located near Clinton avenue, but never used. It was voted to grant the application. Other business also was transacted.

Antone Phillips has started a new store in his residence near the L. V. station, consisting of shoes and boots, and intends to repair shoes and harness.

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39c—Ladies' Muslin Night Robes, the best value ever offered for the money; nicely made, cut extra full and trimmed with insertion and tucks; regular value 75c each.

39c—Ladies' Muslin Skirts, made extra full from nice quality of muslin and trimmed with cluster of three tucks; reg. val. 75c each.

STATE SCHOOL MONEYS HAVE BEEN APPORTIONED.

Union County Gives Up $9,773 for Other Counties.

Trenton, Feb. 12.—The State Board of Education has apportioned the school moneys for the year. The total amount received from all sources was $3,312,628, made up as follows: Appropriations from the State School Fund, $200,000; State fund, $1,110,419; school tax, $2,062,208.

Ten per cent. of the school tax was apportioned as follows: Cumberland county, $5,336; Ocean, $3,085; Sussex, $3,378; Burlington, $5,855; Gloucester, $3,806; Warren, $4,639; Salem, $3,378; Camden, $11,620; Passaic, $17,791; Bergen, $10,344; Hunterdon, $3,866; Morris, $6,598; Middlesex, $7,724; Cape May, $2,184; Somerset, $3,896.

The contributing counties are: Union, $9,773; Monmouth, $9,526; Essex, $43,126; Mercer, $8,895; Hudson, $34,974; Atlantic, $5,650.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

Champion Fencers Coming.

Philadelphia, Feb. 10.—There is every possibility that the international fencing championship between M. Merignac, the French champion, and the present world's champion, who has just arrived in this country, and Signor G. Galante, the Italian master, who arirved last week from Hamburg, will be decided in this city. The contest will very likely be held toward the end of this month, ten rounds with foils, one contest being with dueling swords. The match will undoubtedly be of great interest to all lovers of fencing in this city, who will no doubt be very anxious to see the infinite science displayed by M. Merignac.

Letter-carrier's Bond Reduced.

Hoboken, Feb. 10.—Max Dellner, the letter-carrier who is under arrest on a charge of secreting mail matter at his home, had a hearing before United States Commissioner Russ Thursday afternoon. J. Fallon, who is acting as attorney for Dellner's relatives, made application that the bail be reduced, and Commissioner Russ reduced the bond from $2,000 to $1,500.

RELIC OF "LITTLE MAC."

Ballot of 1872, When McClellan Was Elected Governor.

New York, Feb. 12.—John Kennell, an aged citizen of Passaic, called on Mayor McClellan recently and presented to the Mayor a well preserved ballot of 1872, when the Mayor's father, a Democrat, was elected Governor of New Jersey.

The ballot is about the size and shape of a bank note and was printed from a plate which contained an excellent drawing of the American eagle. Under the eagle appears "For Governor, George B. McClellan."

Mr. Kennel, who presented the souvenir, was a candidate for the Assembly at the same time, and his name appears at the bottom of the ticket.

Think Whitbeck a Colby Man.

Hackensack, Feb. 12.—Caleb Van Husen Whitbeck, editor of "The Evening Record," a candidate for Assembly honors next fall on the Republican ticket, is responsible for the invitations to many Republicans in Bergen county to be at the Elks home here this evening to hear addresses by Senator Colby, of Essex county, and George L. Record, of Jersey City. The Republican leaders accept this as meaning that Whitbeck is to be a candidate under reform colors as opposing the county machine.

McKee Sang to Fellow-Senators.

Paterson, Feb. 10.—A group of State Senators attended last night's performance here of "King Con," by the Paterson Opera Association, of which Senator Wood McKee is an active member. Mr. McKee had the role of Petticon, King of Gloritania. The visiting Senators last night occupied the stage boxes. Mr. McKee sang several verses in his topical song, "Con, Con, Con," that was of interest to the lawmakers.

Mrs. Henry Dunbar, of Craig place, has been detained at home with a heavy cold.

Councilman Herbert Buxton, of West Front street, has returned from a business trip to Cleveland.

MORE WATER FOR ORANGE.

Committee Plans Spending $250,000 for an Increased Supply.

Orange, Feb. 12.—The water committee of the Orange Common Council which had a long conference Thursday night with Rudolph Hering, the consulting engineer, and Frederick T. Crane, city engineer, announced yesterday that it had unanimously indorsed the recommendations of the engineers and directed that complete plans and specifications for the extensions to the water works be prepared at once. The present pumping station at Campbell's Pond will be abandoned and a big combination water supply and sewer pumping station will be erected in Orange Valley. An extra twenty-inch main will be laid from Campbell's Pond reservoir to the city. There will also be built a covered distributing reservoir on the mountain slope west of the city, having a capacity of 3,000,000 galons.

It is planned to spend $250,000, and it is estimated that it will cost $33,866 a year to run the plant. As soon as this work is done arrangements will be made to improve the distributing system in the city itself.

Alleged Poolroom Man Held.

Trenton, Feb. 10.—Edward J. Dillon, indicted for running a poolroom here a few months ago, has given himself up. He telephoned to the police that he had been visiting in Philadelphia, and as soon as he heard of the indictment he returned home to surrender. He said he was at his home, where he could be gotten. A detective sent to Dillon's house took him into custody, and he was released on $1,000 bail.

Jersey City Church Calls Pastor.

Jersey City, Feb. 10.—The congregation of Parmly Baptist church, this city, has issued a unanimous call to Rev. J. Madison Hare, who resigned three and one-half years ago to accept a call to a Camden church and resume his place as chaplain of the Third Regiment, N. G. N. J. He has had temporary charge of the Parmly church for several weeks.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

That captivating creature, "The School Girl," with her wealth of classmates and charming music, is at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon. She will also sing her songs and dance again tonight. She has delighted thousands of people all over the country and local playgoers will miss a treat by not seeing her.

When Richard Carle opened his new farcical opera, "The Mayor of Tokio," at the New York theatre recently, a woman, of whom nearly 100 per cent. of the audience had never heard, walked out on the stage. Before she had spoken half a dozen lines, one could hear the programmes rustling all over the house as the audience turned to the cast of characters to discover who she was. Opposite the character of Madame Stitch, a wardrobe mistress, they found the name of Miss Emma Janvier, and at the present time that name is well known to every up-to-date playgoer in New York. On Broadway a bigger hit has seldom been scored so quickly. Had it not been for the great success that Mr. Carle personally achieved, Miss Janvier would have run away with the performance. The "Mayor of Tokio" will be at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night.

That exuberantly mirthful person, May Irwin, is coming to town on February 20, with her company in George V. Hobart's "Mrs. Black Is Back," which has been called a paradox (a logical farce). The vehicle served to amuse Broadway for six months last season, having played four different metropolitan engagements. First of all, Mr. Hobart had in mind May Irwin when he wrote "Mrs. Black." The result is obvious. It does not matter with what kind of lines May Irwin is supplied; she reads them in a way that always brings forth a laugh.

The appearance of Lottie Blair Parker's delightful play, "Under Southern Skies," is an event that should be looked forward to with interest by local theatregoers. The company is a large one, numbering twenty-seven people. The scenery is beautiful, everything used in the representation being carried by the company. The costuming is quaint and pretty, the gowns being of airy summery stuffs, made in the fashion of 1875, which is the period of the play. "Under Southern Skies" is one of the big successes of recent years and no one who enjoys a first class play, presented in a first class manner, should fail to see "Under Southern Skies" at the New Plainfield theatre on Friday night.

"The Walls of Jericho," by Alfred Sutro, in which play Mary Mannering is now starring, and the play which she will present in this city at the New Plainfield theatre on Wednesday night for a single performance, has enjoyed brilliant success since its first production in London, where it is now in its second year, and in New York at the Savoy theatre, where it was the leading dramatic event for a period lasting over six months. "The Walls of Jericho" is a satire on modern society, and Mary Mannering in the role of Lady Alethea in this brilliant play has never done any better work. Supporting Miss Mannering in this play are such well known players as Misses Harriet Otis Dellenbaugh, Sylvia Lyndon, May Blayney, Blanche Ellice, Ruth Chester, Messrs. W. J. Ferguson, David Glassford, Percy Lyndall, F. Owen Baxter and Frank Patton.

BUT DON'T SEND A "COMIC."

Valentine Will Renew Your Wife's Love, Says Mr. Barnes.

Winsted, Conn., Feb. 12.—The local press said last night: "N. A. Barnes, a well-known citizen, urges husbands and wives to exchange valentines on Valentine Day. He says: 'I believe it will prove a wonderful wrinkle eradicator. You may think you are all over that sort of nonsense. If you are it's unfortunate for you, for I don't believe any true woman gets over that point where a loving little remembrance on a day like this would not be worth to her more than a diamond necklace.

"'If there were more valentines there would be less divorces. Send her a dandy, then stand around as though you meant it and were only waiting to be asked for a big, old-fashioned kiss to back it, and it's dollars to doughnuts you will get such a one you won't forget the date next year.'"

Says Young Wife is a Terror.

Atlantic City, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Ruth Horton, twenty-nine years old, faced her husband, seventy-four years old, in a local court Thursday night. He charged her with assault and battery and an attempt to end his days with a pistol. The trouble began with a trivial dispute over $36, which Horton said his wife had appropriated and hidden. Mrs. Horton is something of a giantess, while her husband, who is a veteran of the Civil War, is below the average size, and when it came to a struggle for possession of the cash he went down and out in a twinkling. She was sent to jail in default of bail.

Mrs. W. E. Corey Very Ill.

Reno, Nev., Feb. 10.—Mrs. W. E. Corey, wife of the United States Steel Corporation president, is very ill here. Her condition is stated by intimate friends to have been brought about by the publicity given her family affairs. Her physican says she is in a state of nervous collapse and needs rest.

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The remarkable advance in copper that has marked the last few months, from 15 cents a pound to 19 cents, has greatly enriched several New Jersey refining plants. New Jersey refines more copped by the electrolytic process than all other states. American's copper mines' output last year was 400,000 tons. A million tons came to American refining works from Canada and Mexico.

This gives American refineries the capacity of five-sevenths of the world's copper. The electric process of refining copper was invented in Newark, and was first used at the plant of Edward Balbach. That was in 1882, when electric dynamos were crude and uneconomical. For several years scientists journeyed over sea to that city to study the marvelous new system of refining copper.

Today there are large plants for the electrical refining of copper at Newark and at Cartaret, Elizabeth, Maurer and Perth Amboy. All over the world the very finest copper for wire, electrical apparatus and metal wares that must stand high tests for strength and purity is known as New Jersey electrolytic.

To this state every day comes many cars laden with material from the copper mines of Mexico, Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Colorado and Michigan. Most of the metal that is brought contains gold and silver and lead.

As soon as a car is received it is weighed, an assay is made, and the account is made up at once. It used to be necessary to have from 75 to 100 times as much material on hand at these works as was represented by the daily output of refined metal.

Because of recent advances in the science of treating copper by electricity, only one-fifth as much material need be carried in the vats. This is a great economy, when it is considered that several of these New Jersey plants have between one and two million dollars' worth of metal on hand every day in the year.

The gigantic electrolytic copper works of the vast Anaconda mines, in Montana, only turn out half as much copper in a day as comes from the Perth Amboy plant. All Britain and Germany do not together produce as much by the electrical process as New Jersey.

New Jersey was the first colony that developed copper mining and smelting. The Belleville mine was exporting ore to England in 1714 and to Holland the next year. In 1750 Benjamin Franklin wrote to that great "boomer" of colonial industries, Dr. Jared Eliot, that he had recently visited the copper mine at Belleville, and recommended the owners to send to England for a Newcomen pump, like those which Franklin had seen at the tin mines of Cornwall. Franklin's advice was taken.

The pump was bought, and in 1753 Josiah Hornblower, mechanical engineer, brought the machine out in the scow Irene, built at Staten Island by the Moravians to carry members of that body from Iceland to Pennsylvania. That was the first steam engine in America. George Washington journeyed to Belleville to see it and so did many other eminent men of the colonies. Josiah Hornblower ran the engine and the mine till the Revolution broke out, when he joined the patriots and served in Congress.

He was the ancestor of all the Hornblowers who became eminent in the public life of New Jersey and New York. In 1794 Nicholas J. Roosevelt formed a company to mine and smelt and roll copper at Belleville.

He was a great-granduncle of Theodore Roosvelt. Some of his workmen afterward built and operated the Belleville Copper Rolling Works, which have been running continuously since 1812, being the only copper rolling plant in the new world that has run almost a century without stopping. For the working of copper and brass in manifold forms New Jersey has patents that bring revenue from every metal working country.

Dr. Hendrick Back in Hoboken.

Hoboken, Feb. 12.—Dr. C. C. Hendrick, who gained notoriety in connection with the case of Laura Biggar, a former actress, and his subsequent arrest in the sensational suit for conspiracy, in which Miss Biggar and Saumel Stanton, of this city, also figured, in the alleged plot to secure the fortune of Millionaire Bennett, of Pittsburg, whom the Biggar woman claimed was her husband, returned to his old home here some time last week. His presence was not known until Thursday. On passing the home of his mother, 524 Garden street, Hobokenites were surprised to see the doctor's sign hung there.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will meet tomorrow morning, February 13, at 11 a. m.

Justice V. W. Nash has returned from Camden, where he attended an important meeting of the Grand Lodge officers of the A. O. U. W.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 12, 1906.

That this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth.—From Lincoln's speech at Gettysburg, Nov. 19, 1863.

Were he living today, Abraham Lincoln, who guided the United States through its darkest hours, saving the Union from utter dissolution, would be ninety-seven years of age. But though he is dead, his life is as fresh in the memory of a grateful and appreciating people as if he were still upon earth. Throughout the country tribute is being made to his memory. In the States of New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Illinois, Minnesota, North Dakota and Washington the day is a legal holiday. His greatness as a man and as a president has impressed itself indeliably upon the whole world and "The Rail-splitter" who arose to be the chief magistrate of the greatest of all Republics has long since been given a prominent place in the world's hall of fame.

WANTS LOCAL OPTION

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file. That would give the power of making the city license or no-license to one man—the presiding officer. If he was indifferent to the liquor evil—not even friendly to it—the chances were very much in favor of his voting for license. The speaker did not believe in giving any such power to one man, or any eleven men. As for the sentiments of the people represented by the councilmen, while it was true enough, perhaps, that some sections of the city would vote for license, the speaker did not believe it was so of the whole city. He was more optimistic than Councilman Tolles, who had said, in a statement to The Daily Press, that he didn't see how the city could get along without licenses. He believed this city would be no license in a very few years.

It was surprising to discover, after careful calculation, how few people of the city kept the saloons prosperous and under way. They were supported, Mr. Millar figured, by not more than 600 or 700 people. Taking 15,000 as the population of the city, it was to be calculated that 7,500 males lived here. Of these 1,500 were commuters, who gave no support to the saloons here. He had never seen a commuter enter a Plainfield saloon—had never even seen a commuter drunk anywhere. Reducing the remaining thousands by eliminating young boys and the percentage of men who were not to be suspected of saloon habits, the number of men who supply the twelve saloons with practically all their partonage would be seen to come within a total of 1,000.

Local option, Mr. Millar felt certain, was the best practical remedy for existing conditions here. He had seen it work in Massachusetts, and was convinced of its merits. The law there had resulted in making a very large majority of the towns no-license; the cities were about evenly divided, the failure of no-license to show a preponderant strength being due to the large percentage of foreigners, with wide-open predilections, among the inhabitants. In Massachusetts, the license question was presented on the ballots at every regular election. The speaker could not see why the law now being considered by the legislators should not make provision for the same thing, instead of ordering a special election, with its attendant bother and expense. The excellence of the provision for a petition of thirty per cent. of the voters as a necessary preliminary to the election was also to be questioned.

The speaker peculiarly attached to the local option idea, because it was thoroughly American. Moreover, America was the place to try sociological laws of that sort; the people were used to self-government, used to the necessity and the responsibility of thinking for themselves. Every citizen had a right to vote on the morals of his community, and he should be given every opportunity to exercise it.

Considering the objections to the possible result of local option here, the one great point to be combatted was the so-called money loss. The objectors would want to know how the city could stand the loss of $11,000 annually.

For himself, the speaker would like to see the city lose it; he considered it blood-money; but that was sentimental and the question was to be argued quite on business lines without sentiment. The lost $11,000 would not be comparable to the benefits to be derived from no license. The city would be incredibly bettered. The money that now went into the saloons would go into savings, into shoe stores, and groceries. The no-license community is always markedly thriftier than the other kind. Anyway, $11,000, figured per capita, was not so much. And the sickness, the disease, the sordid misery saved were certainly to be considered.

Prohibitionists would, of course, object to the measure, but their objections would not be practical. The only answer to them would be, that half a loaf is better than no bread. Prohibition could not be enforced in this State. The speaker believed in prohibition as a principal, but not in unenforceable laws.

Speaking of the currents of the liquor traffic here, Mr. Millar recalled the fact that a correspondent of the newspapers had complained of the absence of a high-class hotel bar in this city about a year ago. The speaker was glad the city had no such place; a fine hotel bar was not wanted here. There was food for thought in the consideration of the amount of business Mrs. Truell would have to do in order to lead to any great improvement to her hotel.

The duty of those who were for righteousness was clear. They must stand up and be counted. It was to be feared that the public had been too complacent in its attiture toward intemperance. A recent trial of a high city official was an instance in point. In that two of the highest paid officials of the municipality had offered counter statements under oath that made it plain that one or the other of them had been bestially drunk and acted in such a manner as to draw a public reprimand. One or the other had been lying—perhaps both. Yet no public protest had been made against those men. Why had the public made no expression of opinion regarding the offense? It was to be feared the Plainfield public was dead and cold to such questions of morality. One could hardly believe such an incident would pass unmarked by popular action even in New York.

In closing, Mr. Millar asked the members of the society to write letters to the Union County assemblymen today, urging the passage of the option law. Rev. Charles L. Goodrich, the pastor, seconded Mr. Millar's suggestion, and gave the names of the committee members in whose hands the bill rests, for those who might wish to write directly to them.

The meeting of the Men's Club was largely attended. Action on the local option bill was taken after addresses had been made by Rev. C. L. Goodrich, the pastor, E. L. Suffern, J. M. Whiton, Clarence B. La Rue, and John A. Powlison. A resolution emphatically approving it was passed unanimously, and it was voted to send a copy to H. S. Scovel, chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Much interest was manifested in the action to be taken by the Common Council on the twenty-third, on the applications for liquor licenses, including new ones from Charles Schanz, near the trolley station on Watchung avenue, James Shea on West Third street, and John Goff, on West Front street, and a resolution was adopted to petition the Council against granting such licenses as unnecessary and subversion of the city's best interests. Similar action was taken against licenses outside the limits prescribed by the so-called Tyler ordinance, and especially against ever granting a license to Goff.

The other church clubs will be asked to take the same action on both questions.

Entered in Show Races.

Two four-oar crews from the Wahamassa Boat Club, this city, will take part in the races at the Sportsman's Show, Madison Square Garden, next month. The crews will be made up as follows: Fred Martin, G. Harold Whitney, Percy Phillips, and Stryker Hoagland; Walter Sampson, Howard Drake, A. Duncan and John McCullough.

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ADVOCATES LOCAL OPTION

Alexander Millar in Communication to The Daily Press Says Scheme is a Success.

IT WORKS ELSEWHERE

If Made a Law in New Jersey, Plainfield Could Banish Saloon—Now Is the Time for Action, He Says.

Alexander Millar, secretary of the Union Pacific Railroad, and one of Plainfield's most valuable citizens, has sent to this office the following communication:

Editor The Daily Press:

When on January 30 the editor asked the pointed question, "Why is it that the ministers of Plainfield did not take any active interest in the option law now before the Legislature, or is the general agitation to improve the liquor law, the subject of conference among the clergy of the State?" I was under the impression that a local option law commended itself to the editor as in the interest of temperance, and I was sorry therefore to read, on February 1st, in reply to the Trenton True American, the editorial remark: "If the True American wants to find a community where the high license idea is a success, just let it turn to Plainfield."

I am convinced The Daily Press favors all that is for the best interest of the city, and I venture to hope that the above quotation was thrown at the Trenton paper in an unguarded moment, for in what sense high license is a success, or in any way reduces the number of the saloons or ameliorates the results flowing from them, has not yet become apparent to the student of social conditions.

Within a few years we had fourteen licenses, and we now have twelve. No one pretends that the reduction was due to the increased fee, for at least two were refused last year where the applicants would gladly have paid the present fee. In addition to that fact, we have the indisputable evidence in The Daily Press of February 6 that fifteen applicants for licenses are ready and willing to pay the present high fee. I am glad to see that The Press is opposed to the three new applications.

About a year ago I tried to show in your columns that in spite of the $10,000 or $11,000 collected by the city from fees, the saloons are a heavy drain and loss to the community, and the facts and figures then given remain unchallenged.

Let me ask why, if the "high license idea is a success" here, what need is there fore the clergy or anyone else going to Trenton to agitate for the improvement of the liquor law?

Local Option.

A State law providing for local option is the happy medium between a State license law and a State prohibitory law. It will not satisfy all men who believe in temperance or in absolute prohibition, but it does give each community ripe for it the opportunity to banish the saloon, and personally I believe that such a community is Plainfield!

Such a law would take the matter out of the hands of Common Councils and similar bodies, whose divisions frequently depend on the vote of one man, and place the power directly where it belongs, viz., in the voters. Ah, someone says, it was tried before and failed in Plainfield. All right, try it again, "the world do move!"

The fact is, in this matter, New Jersey is a quarter of a century behind some of her sister States. Look at some of the cities and big towns in grand old Massachusetts, like Cambridge, the Newtons, Brookline, Hyde Park, and many others, where no licenses have been granted for years, and where they do not dream of going back to the saloon. Are those decadent towns? Not by any means, but the pride of one of the finest commonwealths the world has ever known. Of course, there is crime in that State, and a number of the larger cities still stand for license, but the cities like Plainfield, cities of homes, schools and churches, with a comparatively small undesirable population, are by an overwhelming majority for no license.

I am aware that some of your readers thing it is to be behind the times to have no license. Let them look beyond their own State and New York and learn that numerous growing communities are willing to risk their prosperity under a no-license regime, and are able to point with pride to the fact that the young people growing up in their streets, and the weak brothers who come within their gates, have never been tempted by the open saloon sanctioned by law.

Now, Mr. Editor, you could not hire me to run down the city and State of my adoption. I am greatly attached to Plainfield and lose no opportunity to sound her praise, for in many ways we rank above the larger crowded cities of the State, but we do lack one thing needful—the cooperation of every church, every Christian and every good citizen to work together for the abolition of the liquor saloon! I have no quarrel with the men who run the saloons, but I wish they could make a living in some other business. Who would be the losers?

Now is the time for our citizens to work against the proposed increase of our local saloons, and to urge by all fair and honorable methods the adoption of a State local option law.

ALEX. MILLAR.

Feb. 8, 1906.

[The Daily Press was only somewhat suprised that the friends of local option among the local clergy did not take any active interest the agitation at Trenton, but the question asked did not necessarily imply any sympathy for the movement. So far as high license being a success, we believe Plainfield can be cited as an instance. It is hardly likely that a man who has parted with $1,000 cash just for the license will risk that sum by violating the law, especially when he knows that licenses are so hard to get. As for Mr. Millar's question as to what need there was for friends of local option to go to Trenton if high license is a success, it is not pretended that there was any. But a person who takes the other side of the question naturally does not believe in high license, and consequently he argues that there is need for his support of local option. The Daily Press, like Mr. Millar, would vastly prefer to see the liquor traffic abolished, but does not think such a course practicable. The right way to do away with intoxicating liquors is to educate the people to a belief that it is a moral wrong. We do not believe that the traffic can be stopped solely by passing laws prohibiting its sale. Well regulated saloons, as bad as they are, are better in a community than speak-easies which flourish in prohibition communities.—Editor.]

PERSONAL.

Miss Reiber, of New York City, is a guest at the home of G. Q. Dolliver, of Fairview avenue.

Rev. and Mrs. J. O. McKelvey, of Grandview avenue, left today for Florida, where they will remain two weeks.

Miss Blank and Thomas Murray, of New York, were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Edgar, of West Front street.

Miss Hattie Van Nest, of Martinsville, is spending several days at the home of her cousin, Chauncey F. Colthar, in Duer street.

William A. Coddington, of the law firm of Reed & Coddington, is recovering from an attack of grip and hopes to be out today.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Bristol, Conn., have been visiting at the home of Mr. Brown's sister, Mrs. L. J. Denton, of Washington avenue.

Captain J. F. Parker, of Perth Amboy, who has been visiting his son, Andrew McClean Parker, of West Seventh street, has returned home.

Miss Louella C. Harris, soprano soloist at the First Baptist church, has recovered from a recent illness, and took her place in the choir yesterday.

Mrs. William Moore, of East Second and Richmond streets, who suffered a stroke of paralysis on Thursday last, is still considered to be quite critical.

Kenneth Robbie, boys' secretary at the Y. M. C. A., is detained at home by illness, and Mr. Haynes, formerly of the Springfield Training School, is taking his place.

Harry Taylor, of East Fifth street, who underwent an operation at the hospital, continues to improve and hopes to be able to return home within a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Randolph, of Myrtle avenue, are spending the week in Washington with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Musson, of West Front street. They are expected to return home on Thursday or Friday.

The American Express Company is negotiating with E. W. Mills, of this city, formerly manager of the United State Express Company office here, with a view of having his accept a position as manager of one of its offices.

L. R. Ross, of East Seventh street, returned home Saturday after a trip to Toronto, Can., where he enjoyed weather fourteen degrees below zero. The thermometer registered forty degrees above zero the day he arrived there, February 4.

Albert Fraize Arrested.

Albert Fraize, arrested for drunkenness, by Detective McCarthy Saturday night, will be arraigned before Judge Runyon this afternoon.

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Randolph's White Pine Cough Syrup, either with or without Tar, is a very valuable remedy to have in your house at all times; especially during the sudden change of weather.

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THEATRICAL NOTES.

Mme. Helena Modjeska has formally announced her retirement from the stage, to t ake effect in April, when her present tour will come to an end.

Mme. Melba possesses such a retentive memory that she can learn an entire opera in a week. She does much of her studying in bed, where she is far from noise, but the airs are chiefly mastered while she is walking of driving.

Queen Margherita, of Italy, has written a play which is to be produced shortly with Mme. Duse in the leading part. It is understood that the work will deal with phases in the life of King Humbert, Margherita's late husband.

Manager Counihan will give a benefit late in the season for his treasurer, Samuel Cunningham. Sam is popular with Plainfielders and he ought to have a packed house. The attraction for the occasion will be a big musical show and will be presented during the middle of April.

Anna Eva Fay, who recently startled Plainfielders by revealing the hiding places of diamond rings, bicycles and baled hay, is at present in Ottawa, Can. She has started a furore there by predicting the winners of the hockey tournaments, Canada's principal winter sport, and the town has backed its team so heavily that she will be safer in New Jersey if her tip goes wrong.

Lorraine and "Fat" Hurtt, two of the stage hands at the New Plainfield, made their debute before the footlights Saturday night. They were hauled in view of the audience by Willie Collier before they had time to think things over and "Fat" was so elated at the reception he received is seriously thinking of taking to the road. This form of introduction is an old trick of Collier's in responding to an encore.

"Under Southern Skies," which comes to this city Friday night, is from the pen of Lottie Blair Parker, who also wrote "Way Down East" and dramatized "The Redemption of David Corson." Her plays have proved wonderfully successful and have made fortunes for herself and their producer, William A. Brady. "Under Southern Skies" was written especially for Miss Grace George, who is Brady's wife.

Recorder's New Manager.

N. O. Moore, Jr., formerly of the Milton, Wisconsin, Journal, has been engaged by the board of the Seventh-Day Baptist Publication Society, as business manager for the Sabbath Recorder office here, and he entered upon his duties this morning. He succeeds the late John Hiscox. Mr. Moore is an experienced printer, having been associated with the business since he was eight years old. He has been in active newspaper work on the Milton Journal.

Inter-Association Basketball League.

Frank Marcley, of this city, physical director at the Summit Y. M. C. A., is now engaged in forming an inter-association basketball league. Four members of the first team of the Summit association are disqualified and cannot play with teams under the A. A. U rules. Rather than give up the game entirely Mr. Marcley will endeavor to secure the formation of several teams in a league, believing that it will increase the interest.

Thief Found Windows Open.

George Viebrock left a window open on the ground floor of his house, 200 Jackson avenue, Saturday night. Somebody on the lookout for a good thing saw the window, and went in. He went out with $10 found in Mr. Viebrock's pocket, and a half a dozen silver spoons. The police are looking for clues.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

—Street Commissioner Gavett has a large force of men out today cleaning the sidewalks of snow where they have been neglected by the property owners.

—Patrick Connolly, an employe of the Pond Machine Tool Works, lost a finger on Saturday, the result of an accident. He was lifting a casting in his lathe when one end of it dropped on the finger, lacerating it so that amputation was necessary.

TRUCE OR VICTORY

REV. MR. PARSON'S THEME

PASTOR TALKS TO CIVIL WAR VETS AND THEIR WIVES.

"Truce or Victory" was the subject of a sermon delivered by Rev. Phil. A. Parsons at the Christian church last night, before the members of the G. A. R., Union Veterans' Union, Women's Relief Corps, Veteran Relief Union and other patriotic organizations. The church was filled with a large and interested audience. There was special music by an orchestra, which also led in the singing of patriotic songs.

Mr. Parsons' talk was enjoyed by all. The keynote was that there must be no surrender in the Christion life, but victory must be the watchword. He related scenes and incidents in connection with the Civil War and drew helpful lessons by way of application to the Christian warfare now being waged. After the sermon remarks were made by William Carey, an earnest and enthusiastic Christian worker from Newark.

Will Hold Jubilee Services.

Through the earnest and persistent efforts of Rev. Phil. A. Parsons, pastor of the Christian church, the entire indebtedness on the church property has been liquidated and the services next Sunday will be in the nature of a jubilee. There will be several addresses and special music by an orchestra.

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WANTED—Office boy; girl, general housework. Dr. Pittis, Front St.

Help Wanted.

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WANTED—A superintendent and an assistant, at the Woman's Exchange. Apply by letter to Mrs. O. T. Waring, 900 Park Ave. 2 10 3

WANTED — Assistant chambermaid and waitress. Apply evenings, 123 West Seventh St. 2 7 tf

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing; small family; good wages. Apply 816 Carlton avenue. 2 12 3

WANTED—Competent white woman as cook and laundress. Apply Mrs. William C. Kinney, 828 Arlington avenue. 2 7 tf

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Proceedings of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

[OFFICIAL.]

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, N. J., held on Thursday, Feb. 1, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed 19 members present, Freeholder Scudder having been excused by the Director from attendance at the meeting before roll call.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and after being corrected so that the committee on Rahway drawbridge should read, Gruener, Chandler and Cladek, were approved as corrected. Reading of bills being omitted.

PETITIONS, COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

The following petition was presented and read.

To the Honorable Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, N. J.

Gentlemen—We, the undersigned residents and property owners in the city of Elizabeth, respectfully petition your honorable body to appoint as bridge tender of the Bridge Street bridge, Anthony Scranton. In presenting this petition to your honorable body, we desire to call your attention to the fact that the present incumbent, Mr. Brown, lives some considerable distance from where the bridge is situated, and the applicant, Mr. Scranton, resides at the corner of Elizabeth avenue and Bridge street, and your petitioners believe is better situated and better able to look after the interest of the aforesaid bridge, than the present incumbent, Mr. Brown.

(Signed) John F. Kenah, Charles J. Jensen, George C. Tenney, Owen P. Mahon, Charles Kurtz.

No objection being offered, Director King referred the petition to the committee on Elizabeth drawbridges.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

By the committee to settle with the county collector:

January 30, 1906.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee to settle wit the County Collector respectfully report that they have examined his books, showing his receipts and disbursements, together with his vouchers, bonds and coupons paid and bank books, and we find the same agree and are correct in every particular.

His total receipts from the beginning of the fiscal year to January 19, 1906, are	$611,314 46
Total disbursements	393,114 17
Leaving a balance of	$218,200 29

in bank.

(Signed) Henry Krouse, John N. Cady, W. M. Scudder, Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Swain, received and placed on file.

By the Committee on County Roads:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—We, the undersigned committee, to whom was referred the application for the relinquishing control of that part of North avenue lying within the township of Fanwood, and also that part of said avenue lying within the borough of Fanwood, would respectfully report that we have considered said application, and would recommend that this Board relinquish control over said road within said township and borough.

(Signed) E. K. Adams, Henry Krouse, Charles J. Jensen, W. H. Swain, John Robison, Committee on County Roads.

On motion of Freeholder Wahl, received and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

By Freeholder Gruener:

Resolved, That a committee of three (3) be appointed to examine the wooden bridge on Jefferson avenue over the raceway at Rahway, and report at the next meeting, as to the advisability of building a new bridge, and the probable cost, or the repairing of the present bridge and the probable cost.

On motion of Freeholder Cady, the resolution was adopted without dissent, and the Director appointed as the said committee Freeholders Gruener, Chandler and Cladek.

By Freeholder Adams:

Whereas, heretofore to wit, on February 3, 1898, the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union, did by resolution duly adopted, acquire and assume control among other roads, that part of North avenue lying within the Township of Fanwood, and also that portion of said avenue lying within the Borough of Fanwood, and

Whereas, application to this Board has been made for the relinquishing control over said roads, and the committee duly appointed upon said application, having favorably reported thereon, and recommending that the control over said roads be relinquished; therefore be it

Resolved, That this Board do relinquish control over that part of North avenue lying within the Township of Fanwood. Beginning at the boundary line between the Township of Fanwood and Township of Westfield, and extending westerly to the boundary line between the Township of Fanwood and Borough of Fanwood; and also that portion of North avenue lying within the Borough of Fanwood, beginning at the boundary line between the Borough of Fanwood and Township of Fanwood, and extending westerly to the boundary line between the Borough of Fanwood and the city of Plainfield; and be it further

Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be filed in the office of the county clerk, the same to be recorded, and the map be changed accordingly.

On motion of Freeholder Cladek, the foregoing preamble and resolutions were adopted without dissent. At the request of Freeholder Robison, the clerk of this board was directed to notify the clerks of the borough and township of Fanwood, respectively, of the action as taken by this board.

By Freeholder Jensen:

Resolved, That Summer street drawbridge in Elizabeth be replanked with yellow pine, and the cost not to exceed $225, committee to be appointed with power.

Freeholder Krouse moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted. The Director stated that he would appoint the committee on Elizabeth drawbridge to act in the matter.

By Freeholder Meisel:

Resolved, That the bill of The W. T. Kirk Company, amounting to $799.50, for railing work on the Morris avenue bridge, Springfield, N. J., be paid when properly audited by committee.

Freeholder Wahl moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

By Freeholder Wilbur:

Resolved, That the County Collector be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay the amount appropriated for hospitals, as follows, viz.:

The Elizabeth City General Hospital	$ 7,500
Muhlenberg Hospital	4,800
Alexian Brothers Hospital	2,700
Total	$15,000

Freeholder Robison moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

The following bills, properly audited and approved were read, and on roll call unanimously ordered paid, viz.:

Court Account—Fred. J. Huff, J. P., $105.70.

Salary Account—James W. Fink $60, S. Rusling Ryno $250, E. M. Wood $208.33, W. R. Codington $75.

Members' Pay Account—John Robison $16, Elston Darby $12, J. N. Cady $16, S. P. T. Wilbur $12, George H. Kline $24, W. W. Connolly $18, P. H. Meisel $20, J. F. Wahl $16, M. M. Scudder $36, George B. Cladek $32, W. H. Swain $24, W. A. Westphal $18, C. S. Chandler $30, Chas. J. Jensen $32, Noah Woodruff $34, Henry Krouse $40, Dennis S. Murphy $34, E. K. Adams $36.

Committee Expense Account—John Robison $4, Henry Krouse $25.85, Noah Woodruff $11.80, W. H. Swain $5, M. M. Scudder $8.65, Jno. F. Wahl $4.75, P. H. Meisel $5.35, W. W. Connolly $5.50, George H. Kline $8.80, S. P. T. Wilbur $7.60, J. N. Cady $7.70, E. K. Adams $11.60.

Election Account—David D. Gilchrist $25.54.

Publication Account—The Cranford Citizen $31.25, J. Thomas Scott $31.25, Standard Pub. Concern $31.25, Elizabeth Daily Journal $31.25, Lewis S. Hyer $31.25, The Summit Herald $31.25, Summit Record $31.25, The Westfield Leader $31.25, The New Jersey Advocate $31.25.

Incidentals Account — Elizabeth Daily Journal $14.50, W. R. Codington $85, Advocate Pub. Co. $11.25, James C. Calvert $551.60, Frank H. Smith $339.97, Wm. F. Murphy's Sons Co. $225, J. C. Prall $35, F. W. Westcott, County Physician $42.20.

Jail Account—Mary Cushing $44.28, Wm. H. Lawrence, sheriff $582.40; Henry J. Schmidt $10.40.

Stationery Account—Geo. W. Peek, Jr., $19.25, F. C. Norris & Co. $52.23.

Lunacy Account—N. R. Leavitt $120.

Public Buildings Account—George Dennick $26.05, H. P. Vanderveer $22, Jas. G. Moore $70.75, $125, J. E. Levanseller $3.94, The W. T. Kirk Co. $219.91, Jno. A. Bache $26, Quaker City Rubber Co. $139.85, W. H. Hulskamper $371.04, West Disinfecting Co. $20, John Howson & Son $9, Kate Runyon $27, J. J. Carey $50, John F. Conrad $10.80, J. W. Hope $120, $264.99; Western Union Tel Co. $4, Wm. A. Bourden $10, Morey-La Rue Co. $8, The N. Y. and N. J. Tel. Co. $4.65, $2.85, $1.50, $3.90, $9.30, $2.75; Jno. McCandless & Sons $17.75, The Elizabeth Ice Co. $60.12, George E. Krug $20, Zior & Townley $98.60, $157; F. W. Brucklacher $66.98.

Court Account—Edward Fogerty $6.50, M. W. Boyle $55, Geo. C. Tenney $43, David H. Ramsay $75, Chas. F. W. Eckhardt $57.60, James Cran $91, Peter V. Weaver $91, Fred'k Teipel $10.30, George W. Peek, Jr., $74.75, Robert Walpole $84, Alex. Stamler $57.50, Gustave Deinlein $84, John Seeland $57.50, E. B. Lawrence $62.50, Ernest R. Hartrock $74.90, W. B. Toucey, J. P., $25.23, E. R. Squier, J. P., $3.25, Henry J. Schoppe $75, John P. Dengler $7, $50, $65, $125; E. E. Williamson, probation officer, $148.75; James C. Calvert $227.58, B. A. Vail $416.66, H. C. Patterson $97, Jno. K. English $208.33, W. H. Lawrence, sheriff, $954, $717.10, B. Frank Coriell, late sheriff, 5228.05, James P. Kelly, J. P., $12.80, N. C. J. English $506.50, William Howard $517.28.

Bridge Account—Jas. G. Moore $7.75, The W. T. Kirk Co. $82,53, $84.22, Frank Dreyer, Sr., $31.40, Levering & Garrigues Co. $700.20, C. A. Smith & Co. $2.44, Frank Dechsner, Jr., $12, Louis Beck $37.20, $46.40, Boice, Runyon & Co. $13.20, Fred'k Ayers $124.46, W. B. Denman $5.94, August Molitos $2.67, H. Willoughby $34.50.

Freeholders Krouse moved to adjourn, which was carried.

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"Look here, Bob; be reasonable. You can't go about as a groom in Washington. If the newspapers ever get hold of it, you would be disgraced. They wouldn't take you as a clerk in a third-rate consulate. Supposing you should run into Jack or his wife or Nancy; do you think they wouldn't know you at once?"

"I'll take the risk. I'd deny that I knew them; they'd tumble and leave me alone. Chuck, I've got to do this. Some day you'll understand."

"But the woman's name, Bob;' only her name."

"Oh, yes! And have you slide around and show me up within 24 hours. No, I thank you. I am determined on this. You ought to know me by this time. I never back down; it isn't in the blood. And when it is said, where's the harm in this escapade? I can see none. It may not last the day through."

"I trust not."—savagely.

"I am determined upon answering this letter in person and finding out, if possible, what induced her to pay my fine. Jaskass or not, I'm going to see the thing through." Then he stretched an appealing hand out toward me, and said wheedlingly: "Chuck, give me your word to keep perfectly quiet. I'll drop you a line once in a while, just to let you know how I stand. I shall be at the house tonight. I'll find an excuse. I'm to go up north on a hunting expedition; a hurry call. Do you catch on?"

"I shall never be able to look Nancy in the face," I declared. "Come, Bob, forget it. It sounds merry enough, but my word for it, you'll regret it inside of 24 hours. You are a graduate of the proudest military school in the world, and you are going to make a groom of yourself!"

"I've already done that and been locked up overnight. You are wasting your breath, Chuck."

"Well, hang you for a jackass, sure enough! I promise; but if you get into any such scrape as this, you needn't send for me. I refuse to help you again."

"I can't exactly see that you did. Let's get out. Got a cigar in your pocket? I am positively dying for a smoke."

Suddenly a brilliant idea came to me.

"Did you know that Miss Annesley the girl you saw on shipboard, is in Washington and was at the embassy last night?"

"No! You don't say!" He was too clever for me. "When I get through with this exploit, Nancy'll have to introduce me. Did you see her?"

"Yes, and talked to her. You see what you missed by not going last night."

"Yes, I missed a good night's rest and a cold bath in the morning."

"Where shall I say you were last night?" I asked presently.

Mister James struck his chin disconcertedly. "I hadn't thought of that. Say that I met some of the boys and got mixed up in a little game of poker."

"You left your hat on the rack and your cane in the stand. You are supposed to have left the house without any hat."

"Hat!" He jumped up from the cot on which he had been sitting and picked up the groom's tile. "Didn't you bring me a hat?"—dismayed.

"You said nothing about it,"—and I roared with laughter.

"How shall I get out of here? I can't wear this thing through the streets."

"I've a mind to make you wear it. And, by Jove, you shall! You'll wear it to the hatter's or stay here. That's final. I never back down, either."

"I'll wear it; only mark me, I'll get even with you. I always did."

"I am not a boy any longer,"—with an inflection on the personal pronoun. "Well, to continue about that excuse. You left the house without a hat, and you met the boys and played poker all night. That hitches wonderfully. You didn't feel well enough to go to the embassy, but you could go and play poker. That sounds as if you cared a lot for your sister. And you wanted to stay at home the first night, because you had almost forgotten how the inside of a private dwelling looked. Very good; very coherent."

"Cut it, Chuck. What the deuce excuse can I give?"—worriedly lighting the cigar I had given him.

"My boy, I'm not making up your excuses; you'll have to invent those. I'll be silent, but I refuse to lie to Nancy on your account. Poker is the only excuse that would carry any weight with it. You will have to let them believe you're a heartless wretch; which you are, if you persist in this idiotic exploit."

"You don't understand, Chuck. I wish I could tell you; honestly, I do. The girls will have to think mean things of me till the farce is over. I couldn't escape if I wanted to."

"Is it Miss Annesley, Bob? Was it she whom you ran away with? Come, make a clean breast of it. If it's she why, that altogether alters the face of things."

He walked the length of the cell and returned. "I give up. You've hit it. You understand now. I simply can't back away; I couldn't if I tried."

"Are you in love with the girl?"

"That's just what I want to find out, Chuck. I'm not sure. I've been thinking of her night and day. I never had any affair; I don't know what love is. But if it's a shaking in your boots at the sound of her name, if it's getting red in the face when you only just think of her, if it's having a wild desire to pick her up and run away with her when you see her, then I've got it. When she stepped out of that confounded carriage last night, you could have knocked me over with a paper-wad. Come, let's go out. Hang the hat! Let them laugh if they will. It's only a couple of blocks to the hatter's."

He bravely put the white hat on his head, and together we marched out of the police-office into the street. We entered the nearest hatter's together. He took what they call a drop-kick out of the hat, sending it far to the rear of the establishment. I purchased a suitable derby for him, gave him ten dollars for emergencies, and we parted.

He proceeded to a telegraph office and sent a dispatch to a friend up north, asking him to telegraph him to come at once, taking his chances of getting a reply. After this he boarded a north-going-car, and was rolled out to Chevy Chase. He had no difficulty in finding the house of which he was in search. It was a fine example of colonial architecture, well back from the road, and fields beyond it. It was of red brick and white stone, with a wide veranda supported by great white pillars. There was a modern portico at one side. A fine lawn surrounded the whole and white-pebble walks wound in and out. All around were thickly wooded hills, gashed here and there by the familiar yet peculiar red clay of the country. Warburton walked up the driveway and knocked deliberately at the servants' door, which was presently opened. (I learned all these things afterward, which accounts for my accurate knowledge of events.)

"Please inform Miss Annesley that Mr. Osborne has come in reply to her letter," he said to the little black-eyed French maid.

"Ees Meestaire Osborrrne zee new groom?"

"Yes."

"I go thees minute!" Hein! what a fine-looking young man to make eyes at on cold nights in the kitchen!

Warburton sat down and twirled his hat. Several times he repressed the desire to laugh. He gazed curiously about him. From where he sat he could see into the kitchen. The French chef was hanging up his polished pans in a glistening row back of the range, and he was humming a little chason which Warburton had often heard in the restaurants of the provincial cities of France. He even found himself catching up the refrain where the chef left off. Presently he heard footsteps sounding on the hardwood floor, which announced that the maid was returning with her mistress.

He stood up, rested first on one foot, then on the other, and awkwardly shifted his new hat from one hand to the other, then suddenly put the hat under his arm, recollecting that the label was not such as servants wore inside their hats.

There was something disquieting in those magnetic sapphire eyes looking so serenely into his.

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If satisfactory arrangements can be made for driving the tunnel a spur will be run from the Wharton and Northern Railroad to the mouth of thetunnel, thus connecting the old mines with the Wharton furnaces.

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More people of Washington and Oregon spend their vacations under canvas than the residents of any other State in the Union, considering their small number. Thus is it that they keep the hair on their heads and their nerves from tingling at the wrong time.

Parties who have visited the summit of Mt. Washington within the past few days report the railway as clear from obstruction as in the month of August, and the mountain entirely free from snow. The trip was made as quickly as is ordinarily done in June.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The United States have 579 mountain peaks over 12,000 feet high, and yet the country doesn't look so very peaked at that.—Chicago Journal.

The Socialist programme in Wisconsin calls for free bath tubs, free school books, medical service, legal service, hospitals and free concerts. As for several of these demands, the people have opportunity to get what they want free already.—Buffalo Commercial (Rep.).

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There is no hope to be expected from these great companies that have watered their stock four times its legitimate cost, and are bent upon making the people pay dividends on water. This agitation is most welcome to me, for in the past, because of agitation along these lines for years, I have been "tabooed" as a "crank" and "agitator" with socialistic tendencies.

I have looked into this question much in the past years and am convinced that this intelligent population can not only lower price to consumers, but improve efficiency and service for the people through municipal ownership. Let the good work go on!

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Cedar Brook.

Woman Was Drunk.

Mrs. Lester Harris, of Oak Tree, was arrested by Patrolman Overbaugh Saturday afternoon for drunkenness. She was released under suspended sentence.

Mrs. W. E. Stewart, of West Seventh street, is detained at home with a severe attack of bronchitis, and is under the care of a trained nurse.

LAST GAMES IN CENTRAL JOURNAL TOURNAMENT.

Park Club Will Probably Finish in Third Place.

The chances are now that the Westfield Club will win the series for the year and capture the silver loving cup in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament. Elizabeth is a close second, but hardly near enough to be a possibility for first place. Westfield will meet Cranford this week in the last series of the tournament, and it is fairly certain that the leaders will cinch their hold on the cup. The Park Club is still in third position, and the chances are will remain there.

In the match between Roselle and Park on Friday night, Roselle won the first two, while the Plainfielders captured the last game by a difference of a few pins. The first game was likewise close, Roselle winning by six pins. In the individual averages F. O. Ball, of the Park Club, leads, with 176.8 for twenty-four games rolled. Barlow is third, with an average of 176 for the same number of games, and the other local bowlers hold a much lower position in averages. The league series will be concluded a week from tomorrow night, when Cranford will meet Westfield, the Parks will roll against Elizabeth on the local alleys, and Newark Bay will meet Roselle at home.

False Alarm.

A false alarm from box 12 was sounded at 12:50 o'clock yesterday morning. No trace of the ringer could be found. The police are looking for him. He will face the possibility of two years in jail if he is caught.

Broke His Kneecap.

William Jukes, employed as a machinist in a local shop, slipped on the ice at Second street and Park avenue Saturday night, and in falling broke his kneecap. Friends carried him to the Iroquois Hotel and from there he was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital. The break is a severe one and will keep him disabled for many weeks.

SPORTS HERE AND THERE

DIAMOND DUST.

The fans have heard some talk that Millionaire Sperry, of trading stamp fame, will back a team at Cranford this season.

"Billy" Lauder, formerly of the New York Nationals, and for a time a member of the Plainfield team, will coach the Columbia University team this spring.

The big league managers are gathering in New York today, where during the coming week their entire time will be devoted to arranging the schedules for the season.

Manager Donavan, of the Brooklyn Nationals, is a graduate pharmacist, and several members of the team this year are professional men, including that of physician, lawyer and druggist.

Rumor says that John Harkins, the old-time baseball pitcher, so well known to the fans of other days, is at the head of a movement in New Brunswick to form a stock company and give the town baseball equal to that of the old days when Somerville and Plainfield were such rivals.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold an all-day sewing and social meeting on Tuesday, February 20.

The annual day of prayer appointed by the Women's Baptist Foreign Missionary Society will be observed by the circles of the First and Park Avenue Baptist churches on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the First Baptist church.

—M. D. O'Keefe, the contractor and builder, of West Fourth street, is erecting two modern seven-room residences on Norwood avenue for A. W. Ten Eyck.

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Runaway in Park.

A horse belonging to George Egel, the Grandview market man, ran away this morning in Washington Park. The driver, Albert Mumford, was thrown out and badly bruised. The horse or wagon was not damaged.

—Charles L. Clarke, of Westervelt avenue, has purchased the W. L. Gavett property, 33 Sandford avenue, and will remove there soon. The sale was made by Real Estate Agent Armstrong Mulford, of North avenue.

Murphy President's Guest.

Former Governor Murphy was one of the Republican National Committeemen of 1904 entertained by President Roosevelt on Saturday. On Saturday night a dinner was given at the White House in their honor.

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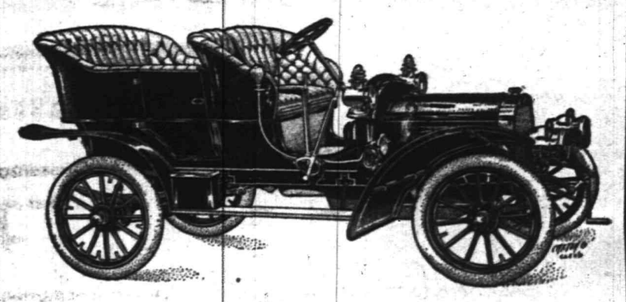
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Waring, Miss Waring, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Borden and Robert A. Sutphen, all of this city, are registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.



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THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.
Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; probably rain Wednesday afternoon or or night in north portion.
Maximum, 44; minimum, 34; 24 hours ending at noon today. Ther. at noon, 44.

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REV. DR. BRYAN DIES AFTER TWO HOURS ILLNESS

Well-Known Retired Minister Passes Away Suddenly—Active Preacher For Fifty-Three Years.

A TEMPERANCE WORKER

Had Served Many Congregations in Various Parts of the State—Leaves Wife, Two Daughters and Two Sons.

Rev. Dr. James R. Bryan, probably one of the best known Methodist ministers in New Jersey, died suddenly at his home in Albert street at 12:45 o'clock this morning. He had been suffering from a slight cold, but it did not cause especial alarm. About 10 o'clock last night he complained of great distress about his chest. The family physician, Dr. Jenkins, was summoned. The patient did not respond to treatment and death resulted from gradual filling up of the lungs.

Dr. Bryan was seventy-seven years old, a native of New Jersey, and resided in the State, with a few exceptions, throughout his entire life. Early in his career he showed a preference for the ministry and he prepared himself for his life work at Pennington Seminary. Afterward he took the conference theological course of study of four years. He joined the New Jersey conference in 1848 and entered upon his first charge that year at Salem. A remarkable fact in connection with his long ministry is that it was in every sense a successful one. He was a man of true worth, and of him Rev. Dr. G. H. Whitney, who knew him so well, says: "There was not a stain or blot of any kind on his character."

The complete list of Dr. Bryan's charges is as follows: 1848, Salem; 1849-50, Medford; 1851-52, Beverly; 1853-54, May's Landing; 1855-56, Haddonfield; 1857-58, Pennington; 1859-60, joined Newark Conference and was pastor of Halsey Street church, Newark; 1861-62, Hedding Street church, Jersey City; 1863-64, St. James, New Brunswick; 1865-67, Quarry Street church, Newark; 1868-70, Hackettstown; 1871-73, First M. E. church, Plainfield; 1874-76, Hoboken; 1877-78, Passaic; 1879-81, Haverstraw, N. Y.; 1882-84, Fulton Street, Elizabeth; 1885-87, First M. E. church, Phillipsburg; 1889-90, St. Paul's, Staten Island; 1891, Central Street, Newark; 1892-94, Washington; 1895-97, Summerfield, S. E.; 1898-01, Somerville. He then moved to this city, where he resided up to the time of his death.

While a pastor of the First M. E. church, this city, Dr. Bryan was an important factor in the crusade against the saloons, and it is said that he was largely instrumental in having them closed one year. This action so incensed John Laing, who proprietor of Laing's Hotel, that he not only closed his barroom, but built a fence about the hotel, and anyone calling there for accommodations was sent to the Methodist church parsonage across the street. The incident never worried Dr. Bryan very much, for he believed that he was doing right. Dr. Bryan was not only an earnest and devoted pastor, but an eloquent preacher. He was also a strong advocate of temperance, and never lost an opportunity to advance its interests.

Dr. Bryan attended services at the First M. E. church Sunday morning to hear Dr. C. W. Parsons. Yesterday Rev. A. C. McCrea, the pastor, called on Dr. Bryan at his home and found him enjoying his usual good health. Dr. Bryan was pastor of the Central church, Newark, while Dr. Parsons was at St. Paul's church, Newark, and the latter expressed his highest admiration of the departed minister, who he learned to love for his excellent Christian qualities and character.

Dr. Bryan is survived by a wife, two daughters and two sons. The daughters are Mrs. William Chandler, of Chicago, a sister of Mrs. O. L. Jenkins, and Mrs. Russell R. Dorr, of St. Paul. The sons are William H. Bryan, of New York, and Dr. Joseph Bryan, of Asbury Park. The notice of the funeral will be given later.

William Breem Discharged.

William Breem, arrested for being disorderly at his father's home, West Second street, was arraigned in the city court this morning. Judge Runyon suspended sentence.

—Genuine Vermont maple syrup is one of the special offerings at Neuman Brothers'. May be had by the pint, quart, gallon or half gallon. Th equality and flavor are exceptional.

TWO CONCERNS CUT FROM SEVEN-INCH ICE

NATURAL COMPANY AND UNION BEEF MEN GET LITTLE CROP.

Ice of a sort was harvested by two local concerns yesterday. The Natural Ice Company and the Union Beef Company cut a passable kind of product, but J. H. Tier, who thought he was going to get some yesterday, was disappointed.

Mr. Tier was balked in his plans for cutting yesterday by the weakening of the crust. He had his crop marked out, but the ice was found to be too spongy to cut properly. The ice was over eight inches thick, and a day or two of freezing weather would put in fine condition for harvesting.

The Natural Ice Company fared much better. They had their men at work steadily yesterday and got in a crop of seven-inch ice of fairly good quality. Things were liquifying this morning, however, and although the men kept on cutting there was no telling, at the office this morning, when the harvest would be checked by the sprouting thermometer.

The Union Beef Company, which has the ice privilege on Hyde's pond, gathered a crop of the same sort as the Ice Company yesterday. They face the same possibilities of a check as the vendors.

Y.M.C.A. FIVE LOSES STILL ANOTHER GAME

THIRD DEFEAT OF SEASON ON THEIR OWN FLOOR.

For the third time this season, and the second time in succession, the Y. M. C. A. basketball team was defeated on its own floor yesterday afternoon. The St. Christopher Tigers, one of the fastest teams in the New York Church League, sliced off Plainfield's scalp, neatly and expeditiously, by the score of 26 to 17.

Plainfield had nothing but its own playing to blame. The locals were slow in passing, displayed about enough team work to pass muster in loosely played practice, and failed generally to come up to the opportunities of the game. St. Christopher played all around them. The New Yorkers hit all spots on the floor at once and held every man on the other team to a painfully narrow field of action.

In one respect the game was exactly like the other lost games of the locals. They managed to stay in the running in the first half. The score for that period was 10 to 10. But the second session brought the usual helplessness, and the visitors waltzed away with the decision.

Plainfield lined up as follows: Neal (Thompson), Smith, f; Scull, c; Leary, Letson, g.

GOOD FOR BALL PRACTICE.

Wiltse Says Plainfield His Right Climate In April.

Pitcher Lou Wiltse, whose domestic moments are spent in the New Madison flats, has not yet signed for the coming season. When he does tie up to a club, he expects to arrange several little things that make for comfort and peace of mind all in his favor. Wiltse has been keeping in the pink of condition at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, and will begin outdoor practice as soon as the weather warms up. The presence of the Jersey City team in this city for practice would fit in with Wiltse's plans. He could work out here with them, just as well as in any other place, and have the additional advantage of being within sliding distance of his own fireside.

"I regard Plainfield, in April, as just as good a place to practice as any other section of the country. It is as mild and balmy here as one can wish, and the climate is as good as need be," said the twirler this morning.

Don't Miss This Affair.

An entertainment of unusual interest to Plainfield will be given at the Casino Friday evening for the benefit of the Woman's Exchange. The main attraction will be that of the appearance of Beatrice Hereford. In addition to Miss Herford the programme will include several songs by Miss Constance Trowbridge and a violin duo by Miss Hyatt and Dr. Davis.

Dime Social at Oak Tree.

A dime sociable will be held at the residence of William Van Court, Oak Tree, to morrow evening. The proceeds will be for the benfit of Marconnier chapel.

MEN'S CLUB FAVORS LOCAL OPTION BILL

BAPTIST ORGANIZATION PASS RESOLUTION ADVOCATING A LAW.

The local option bill now pending before the State Legislature was presented at the meeting of the Men's Club of the First Baptist church last night. The pastor, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, read the measure and recommended that the club endorse it. There being a unanimous endorsement on the part of the members, a petition, addressed to th Seenate and Assembly, was signed by all present, asking that the bill be adopted as drafted.

Samuel St. John McCutchen, president of the club, presided at the meeting, which was in the nature of a general conference. The work of the organization, through reports from the various committees, showed an increased usefulness and indicated deep earnestness in carrying forward the objects of the organization.

Helpful and interesting remarks were made regarding the work of the club by the president, Alexander Gilbert, Edward T. Wilson, William Connor, Charles W. McCutchen, George A. Chapman, J. Henry Crane, Reuben Knox, T. S. Armstrong, J. Herbert Case and the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss.

After the conference there was a social hour, during which refreshments were served by a committee.

"THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE."

Fine Production for the Benefit of the Day Nursery Assured.

The weekly rehearsal of "The Pirates of Penzance" at the Casino last night showed marked progress under the direction of William Holmes. A finished production is assured with a cast of 100, including soloists. This play will be given at the New Plainfield theatre on Tuesday night, Februaury 27, for the benefit of the Day Nursery, the new charity, recently opened by the City Union, King's Daughters. Tickets will be placed on sale tomorrow.

The needs of the Day Nursery are many and the friends of charity here are putting forth every effort to make this benefit performance a great success. Mr. Holmes has been careful in selecting his chorus and the soloists and believes that the performance will exceed any previously given.

DR. MATTISON'S FUNERAL.

Will Be Held from Warren Chapel Thursday Morning.

The funeral of Dr. William E. Mattison, who died suddenly in his office on Somerset street yesterday morning, will be held from Warren chapel Thursday morning. His son came from New Brunswick in response to a telephone message from Chief Weiss and made the arrangements. The interment will be at Millstone, and the local G. A. R. members provide the military honors.

County Physician Taylor, who viewed the body yesterday afternoon, declared heart disease to have been the cause and issued the necessary burial certificate.

RHUBARB IN CELLARS.

Farmers Hit on Novel Plan to Supply Early Markets.

Woodstown, Feb. 13.—Agriculturists in this vicinity have been experimenting this winter in raising rhubarb in cellars, forcing it with heat and soil that will facilitate an early growth. Warren Shinn has fifteen hundred clumps growing in cellars and five hundred bunches have been shipped to Philadelphia and New York markets during the past week.

Farmers have never been successful in raising rhubarb in hot houses, but by planting in dark, damp cellars they seem to have hit upon a combination of circumstances favorable to its growth.

Cleaver Chopped Finger.

Frank Lyons, of Grandview avenue, cut his left forefinger to the bone yesterday morning, chopping wood. He used a butcher's cleaver, and took unusually long strokes to put steam in his blows. One of them landed glancingly and the edge of the cleaver hit the fleshy portion of his finger. The injury was dressed at the hospital dispensary.

Band Concert Fair Closes.

The band concert fair, which has been in progress in Saengerbund Hall for the past week, closed last night. The net receipts have not been ascertained as yet but they will probably reach $150.

Borough Cops Get City Man.

Harry James, of this city, was arrested in the borough last night for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He produced bail and was let out for appearance before Mayor Smalley tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Kressman, of East Sixth street, are entertaining relatives from Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

WATSON GIVEN TWENTY YEAR

Court Accepts Negro Preacher's Plea of Guilty of Murder in the Second Degree.

PRISONER UNMOVED

Proceedings Before Judge Garretson Brief—Watson Killed James Christopher in Quarrel in North Plainfield.

Within an hour after the defendant had entered the Somerset County Court room this morning the case of Rev. James A. Watson, the colored preacher, who killed James Christopher in a quarrel on Warren street, last fall, had been disposed of and the prisoner sentenced. A plea of guilty of murder in the second degree was accepted by Justice Abram Q. Garretson and a penalty of twenty years at hard labor in the State prison was imposed. Watson merely nodded his head when the court ceased speaking and started for the jail corridor without waiting for Sheriff Cooper to tell him. He will be taken to Trenton tomorrow.

The acceptance of a second degree plea was agreed upon between Justice Garretson, Prosecutor Reger and Alvah A. Clark, counsel for the defendant, before court opened. When Reger moved that the proceedings be started, Mr. Clark made a long address, in which he stated that he fully realized that a life had been taken and that Watson was the slayer, but that there were extenuating circumstances. He described the quarrel and fight between the two men and asserted that if Watson had not drawn a razor to protect himself he would have been the victim.

He was followed by the prosecutor, who said the State realized that it could not prove premeditated murder, and for that reason the plea of guilty in the second degree had been decided upon. At Mr. Clark's command Watson arose to his feet and gave his version of the affair. His statement was practically as has been given before, placing the blame for the quarrel upon Christopher. The preacher declared that they had an agreement as to the use of a stove in the house which they both occupied on Warren street, but his co-tenant generally kept away from it when he wanted to cook anything. It was Christopher, he said, who started the fight, because he brought some fish to be fried, and when several blows had been exchanged, grabbed up a razor. In self-defense he drew a similar weapon and slashed at him to save himself. The fight began in the house, but ended in the street, and Christopher died as he was being taken to the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Michaelson, of the borough, corroborated part of his testimony, and Dr. W. H. Long, of Somerville, described the nature of the wounds, otherwise there were no witnesses called.

With these few preliminaries over, Prosecutor Reger moved for sentence and the court ordered Watson to stand up. He was then informed that his case had been carefully considered and from the evidence it could not be construed as wilful murder. A defendant is always entitled to a reasonable doubt, he said, and although the law fixes thirty years as the penalty, Watson's actions did not warrant the full term. He accordingly made it twenty years.

Watson's home was in Virginia, and he had been in North Plainfield but six months when the murder occurred. He had no regular charge and went about leading meetings in this city and vicinity, depending upon the collections for pay.

King's Daughters' Luncheon.

The Loyal Daughters' Circle, King's Daughtres, will hold a luncheon at the Park Club Monday afternoon, February 26, at 1 o'clock. There will also be a sale of fancy articles, cake and candy. The proceeds are for the benefit of the fund for the support of the city nurse.

Celebrate Birthday Anniversary.

Miss Mary Barlow, of Prospect place, celebrated the seventeenth anniversary of her birthday by giving a dinner at the Park Club Saturday night. The decorations were pink and white. Covers were laid for twelve.

FANWOOD OFFICER STOPPED P. O. BURGLARY

INTERRUPTED FOUR MEN AT WORK ON LOCK OF DOOR.

The police force of Fanwood blocked an attempt to burglarize the postoffice of that place early this morning. The force, whose name is W. J. Logan, interrupted the burglars, four in number, at work, and frightened them into flight. They escaped.

Logan, patrolling near the postoffice at 2 o'clock, saw four roughly dressed men loitering close to the office in a suspicious manner. He walked toward them to ask a question or two, and the men started on a walk down North avenue. Logan quickened his pace; so did the quartet. The cop put on steam and the four men broke into a run that left no doubt as to their earnest desire to get as far away from the officer as their legs could carry them. Logan chased them hard, but the fugitives disappeared in the darkness.

Logan gave up the chase and went back to the postoffice to investigate. A glance at the door showed him how opportune his appearance had been. There were fresh marks around the lock that could only have been made by a chisel. The four men had evidently been hard at work when the footsteps of the officer checked them.

Four men answering the description of the quartet chased by Logan were seen hanging about the borough during the day by Tax Collector Charles Sheelen. The Fanwood postoffice was successfully robbed last year.

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.

German Reformed Congregation Celebrates Its Eighteenth Birthday.

The German Reformed church, Duer street and Craig place, celebrated the eighteenth anniversary of its organization with a special service last night. The service was followed by a sociable.

Former pastors of the church attended the celebration, including Pastor Koechli, of Somerville, who first had the congregation under his charge. Pastor Koechli is now located at Somerville.

A feature of the service was a review of the church history by Rev. Mr. Koechli. He spoke interestingly of its organization. Pastor Schneegas, the present head of the congregation, also spoke. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, of Trinity Reformed church, which belongs to the same classis as the German church, offered a prayer.

After the service the members and their friends were entertained in the basement parlors. The sociable was under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Miss Edwards Visiting Here.

Miss Edith Edwards, a genuine favorite in vaudeville, is enjoying a few days' rest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maze Edwards, of West Seventh street, prior to resuming her profession. She will open in Brooklyn upon her return, appearing as the leading support to Miss Ethel Fuller in a clever sketch entitled "A Model Suicide." Miss Fuller will be remembered as playing the part of "Gretchen" with Thomas Jefferson in "Rip Van Winkle." Miss Edwards will join Miss Fuller on May 10 at West End Heights, St. Louis, where she will be her leading support during a long engagement. She is an accomplished and attractive woman and her future on the stage is very promising.

Mrs. Kate M. Wyckoff Dead.

Mrs. Kate M. Wyckoff, wife of Martin L. Wyckoff, died at her home on Somerset street, early this morning. She was born in this State forty-five years ago and had lived in this vicinity nearly all her life. She was a member of the Congregational church. The interment will be at Stanton.

Mrs. Smith's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Raphius Smith was held from her late home on the Valley road, Watchung, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Charles E. Herring, of this city, had charge, and interment was made at Coontown. The pall bearers were Joseph C. Blimm and Jacob Blimm, Jr., Fred and Peter Kirch.

W. T. C. U. Topics.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a parlor meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. J. Boice, of Park avenue and Fifth street. There will be "Echoes from the California Convention" by Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, county president. All interested are invited.

Former Mayor Needham Weds.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Henry E. Needham, of the borough, to Miss Annie Van Doren, on Thursday, November 28, 1905, at the residence of her cousin, Rev. Henry Hasbrouck, of Brooklyn, who performed the ceremony.

GOFF APPEARS IN ROLE OF "CLUB STEWARD"

Patrons of Alleged Disorderly House Say He Only "Served" the Drinks to Them.

SUMMING UP THE CASE

Pinochle Society Club Occupies Hotel, It Is Alleged—His Second Time in Court.

The trial of John J. Goff, charged with keeping a disorderly house at the hotel he occupies on West Front street, was begun in the Union County Court this morning before Judge Vail. Counsel began to sum up at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the evidence being all presented at the morning session.

When the prosecution opened the case Chief Kiely was the first witness. He testified to the location of the defendant's place and the kind of a building he occupied.

John Crowley, a hod-carrier, testified that he had drunk a number of times at Goff's place since November 2 last, that drinks were furnished in the basement on Sundays and week days. He declared that he was vice-president of the West End Pinochle Social Club, with headquarters at Goff's Hotel, and that the club furnished coupon checks to the members, six for twenty-five cents. In ordering drinks, it was understood that a call for "ginger ale" meant lager beer, and for "stein" meant whiskey. He admitted that these drinks were purchased from Goff and paid for by checks. The witness said that while the members would play cards for beer, he never saw any other games of chance in the place.

When cross-examined by William R. Wilson, of counsel for the defendant, an attempt was made to prove that Goff should not be held responsible. He was simply a steward for the club and as such received a salary. It was shown that the liquors sold were purchased by the club from the Rising Sun Brewery Company.

Michael Collins was the next witness, his testimony being practically the same as that of Crowley. He said that he was a member of the club and that he had had drinks at Goff's place on Sunday and other days. John Burke, of High Bridge, a brother-in-law of Collins, also testified to having had drinks at Goff's, the last time being with a friend by the name of Perry.

George McAfee, who worked for Goff until a week ago, said that he frequently drank at the place and had seen others do the same, paying for the drinks with checks. He had also seen the members play cards for drinks.

Lawyer Wilson tried to show that McAfee and Chief Kiely were in collusion, that the former was recently arrested in Plainfield on a charge, and that after a conference Chief Kiely released him. McAfee denied the accusation.

J. P. Burke, the next witness, testified that he had had drinks at Goff's place, that when he called for "ginger ale" or a "stein" he expected to get either beer or whiskey. As for the beer, he said that he had been served with something which looked like it and tasted like it, but he was not willing to swear that it was lager beer. Burke said that the club had a membership of between ninety and one hundred.

Joseph Snyder, another witness, told about visiting Goff's place and having meals there. Recently while at Goff's he gave an order for "Burkland," a favorite drink of whiskey, and that it was paid for in cash. On cross-examination the witness was not positive who paid for the whiskey, but he gave the court a surprise when he said that the whiskey was served under protest. When asked what he meant, Snyder said that "Goff kicked like ——"

George B. Wean, city typist and assistant to City Clerk J. T. MacMurray, was called as a witness. He declared that the liquor license fee in Plainfield is $1,000, that there are twelve licensed places here and that Goff does not hold a license.

At this point, when the prosecution rested, Lawyer Wilson for the defense, asked the court to give his client a verdict, inasmuch as he was recently fined on practically the same charge to which he offered a plea of nonvult.

The court refused to grant the request, and the defense called as its first witness J. W. Noble, who said that he was the first secretary for the club and that it had a membership of 100. He said that the beer

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LARGE AUDIENCE AT LINCOLN ENTERTAINMENT

Y. M. C. A. AFFAIR MUCH ENJOYED; STORIES BY S. S. SWACKHAMMER.

There was a very large crowd at the Lincoln entertainment arranged for last night by the Y. M. C. A. The programme was greatly enjoyed.

The Musical Stewart, a professional entertainer; the Y. M. C. A. orchestra, E. C. Martin, baritone, and S. S. Swackhamer filled the numbers. Stewart and the lawyer divided the high honors of the evening. The musican played tunes on all sorts of things, from legitimate instruments to tin cans and cigar boxes. He gave imitations that were little gems. Mr. Swackhamer spoke on "Lincoln, the Prince of Story Tellers." It was a subject especially congenial to the former Assemblyman. He is something of a story teller himself, and he wound up a delightful reel of Lincoln ancedotes in a very delightful way. He paid an eloquent tribute to the martyr-president, with whom he has been compared often enough to get the sobriquet in certain sections of the State of the Abe Lincoln of the New Jersey Bar.

The orchestra selections and the solos of Mr. Martin were of a high order. They were warmly applauded all through the house.

BESLER AND BURT SPEAK AT ASBURY PARK

PLAINFIELDERS MAKE ADDRESS AT LINCOLN REPUBLICAN CLUB BANQUET

William G. Besler, general manager and vice-president, and C. M. Burt, general passenger agent, of the New Jersey Central, both of whom reside here, were among the chief speakers at the annual dinner of the Lincoln Republican Club at Asbury Park last night. The affair was held at the Grand Avenue Hotel. Dr. James F. Ackerman, the president of the organization, presided, and James D. Carton, president of the Common Council, was the toastmaster. Other speakers included Rev. Dr. Aaron E. Ballard, of Ocean Grove; Edmund Wilson, of Red Bank; Rev. J. Wesley Sullivan, chaplain of the Pennsylvania Senate; Senator Oliver H. Brown, of Spring Lake, and former Judge W. T. Hoffman, of Englishtown.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY.

B. T. Mumford Thrown From Sleigh and Cut About the Head.

A spirited horse owned by George Egel, the Somerset street butcher, and being driven by his son, Bernie Egel, ran away on Rockview terrace, the borough, yesterday afternoon, and both young Egel and a companion, B. T. Mumford, were thrown out of the sleigh, to which the animal was attached.

Egel escaped injury, but Mulford was considerably cut about the head and Dr. Pittis was summoned to fix him up. He was removed to his home, where he will probably remain for a few days. The horse ran from Rockview terrace to Harrison street, where he was finally caught and returned to Egel, who started out to hunt for him. The sleigh was but slightly damaged.

Mrs. Paul Symons Dangerously Ill.

Mrs. Paul Symons, of East Third street, who was taken ill one week ago Sunday night while on the way to church, is now in a dangerous condition. She has a serious head affection and is under the constant care of a physician. She first became ill just before reaching the First M. E. church and but for the opportune arrival of Dr. Buchanan would probably have succumbed at the time.

Danish Congregation.

A Danish Lutheran congregation has been organized among the people of that nationality in this city. Services are held in the W. C. T. U. rooms the second and fourth Wednesday nights at 8 o'clock. There are a goodly number of Danes in this city and vicinity and a prosperous church organization is before the Lutheran worshippers.

Crew Captain to Speak.

Capt. Richard C. Morse, head of this year's Yale 'Varsity crew, will speak at the men's meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon. Capt. Morse is prominent in the college Y. M. C. A.

Fraize Freed.

Albert Fraize, charged with drunkenness, was released under a suspended sentence by Judge Runyon this morning.

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Fanwood	Chas. Elliott
Netherwood	J. Kiley

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

"The Forward Movement of Foreign Missions" will be the subject of talks to be given at a men's meeting in the Presbyterian chapel February 22. F. W. Whitemore and another missionary will speak.

The Presbyterian church is to use an individual communion service. The session has voted in favor of the change, and the set is expected to be on hand in time for communion next month.

The annual school budget has been delayed by the unsettled state of the high school question. The appropriations will be fixed on at the next meeting.

The C. C. Class of the Presbyterian church will meet tonight at the home of J. R. Campbell. The meeting was postponed from last night.

A number of old double desks and seats stored in the Lincoln School cellar are to be sold by District Clerk Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lawlor have given up their residence in Plainfield. They are staying at Mrs. Sarah Fisher's.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a valentine dime sociable tonight.

Miss Edna McCloughan, of Lebanon, has returned home after a visit to Mrs. Sarah Fisher.

The borough wore a semi-holiday appearance yesterday. Many of the commuters were home.

The daughters of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Giles have recovered from the whooping cough.

Walter Hazleton has returned from a visit to relatives in Little Falls, N. Y.

The Plainfield theatre drew a number from here at both performances yesterday.

H. S. Garretson is in New Brunswick today on law business.

Miss Mary Baldwin has recovered from her recent illness.

William Tabb has recovered from a brief illness.

W. E. Davis, Jr., is now living in New York.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

With the exception of the school being closed and the commuters taking a day off one would hardly know that yesterday was Lincoln's Birthday, the day being very quietly observed, the only holiday attraction being "The School Girl" at the New Plainfield theatre. This was attended by a number, both at the matinee and evening performances.

Fanwood Bucket and Engine Co. will hold a social tonight in its rooms, to celebrate the victory of the company ticket at the recent election held for fire department officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Putnam and children, of East Second street, Plainfield, have been visiting Mrs. Putnam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Frentz, of Westfield avenue.

Miss Nancy Wade, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Wade, returned this morning to her position as teacher in the Millburn school.

Some of the trap shooters from here attended the Alton Gun Club shoot held yesterday afternoon on the club's grounds at Alton.

Miss Louise Robison, of New York, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robison, of Forest avenue.

The boys enjoyed coasting Saturday and Monday morning on Spencer's hill. This was the first of the season.

Yesterday's thaw put an end practically to the sleighing and dampened the ardor of the local ice gatherers.

Fanwood Council, R. A., holds its semi-monthly meeting tonight in the Library rooms.

The 'Plains and Suburban bowlers roll tonight on the 'Plains alleys.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The rear car of the Black Diamond Express, in passing over the switch where the Lehigh Valley Railroad leaves the Pennsylvania tracks, near Waverly, was derailed, delaying traffic about twenty-five minutes. The express leaves Newark 12:27 p. m. and passes through here about 1 o'clock.

There is a rumor that the Middlesex Water Company intends to remove its pumping station from here to Cartaret the coming summer.

Miss Emma Manning has returned from several weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Walter Sisty, near Hopatcong.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

All sufferers from sore feet should have a bottle of Thorp's foot relief. None better.

A. LeVine, of Watchung avenue, is an expert in cleaning and pressing clothes. He guarantees satisfaction.

Naylor's music is always high class. Write him when you plan an affair. A. F. Naylor, East Fifth street.

I. N. Wyckoff, the painter and paper-hanger, has the reputation for doing good work. Let him do yours.

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Patrons of the Kensington Hotel carry advertisements of the place wherever they go. It pleases everybody. North avenue.

William Hand & Sons, of East Second street, besides doing a general trucking business, conduct a first-class storage warehouse.

Be wise, young man, and start an account in the City National Bank. It will care for you when you are old—it will give you opportunity to make your fortune. The thrifty man becomes the wealthy man—always.

A. M. Griffen, the hardware merchant, is giving a discount of 20 per cent. on all ice skates in stock. This house carries the best line of stoves and ranges in the market, and Mr. Griffen makes a specialty of hardware and housefurnishings. Plumbing and heating done in a satisfactory manner.

The great alteration sale at Woodhull & Martin's store is attracting shoppers from Plainfield and vicinity. Bargains are being offered in carpets and rugs at special prices, while the February housefurnishing sale is well worth attending. Everything in this line is being offered at low prices. The stock includes tea kettles, galvanized ware, irons, family scales, oil heaters, brooms and many others things too numerous to mention.

Miss Carrie Elliott and Miss Laura Runyon, of Madison avenue, are stopping for a time at Atlantic City.

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Cotton Challies—Cream ground with neat floral print. Excellent quality and very suitable for children's dresses. Always looks clean and fresh. An unusual value at the price 7½c

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Fine French Organdies—The most elaborate showing of imported French Organdies ever made in Newark. Plain grounds and striped and plaid raye effects. Exquisite colorings. Plain, 39c. Woven Ground, 49c.

Fine Organdies—Very sheer cloth—new and striking designs and colorings. Very dainty and delicate. Plain or striped weaves. A large range of patterns to pick from..... 19c

Ingenue Suiting—A fine thin material—white grounds with embroidered dot and black hair line check effects—very pretty and stylish—for Summer costumes—special per yard.. 25c

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Boys' Overcoats—Russian military coat from all wool cheviot and frieze cloth, in plain colors and mixtures; they have velvet collar, brass buttons and insignia on sleeves, lining of good satin, cheap for $3.98, tomorrow 2.19

Boys' Pants—Plain blue cheviot cloth, sizes 4 to 14 years, some in mixtures and dark stripes, these in small sizes, strong sewed, extra good, regular 29c value for, pair 19c

Boys' Suits—Double breasted, also Norfolk models, straight or bloomer pants, made from cheviot cloth, cassimere and worsted tweeds, all the newest colors, $3.98 and $4.98 suits 2.98

Boys' Suits—Double breasted, also some Norfolk models, all straight pants, made from all wool cheviots and worsteds, an assorted lot, most all sizes, worth up to $3.98, tomorrow 1.85

Boys' Blouse Suits—Sailor and Russian Blouse Suits of plain blue cheviot, fancy trimmed with insignia, sizes 3 to 10 years, cheap for $2.49 a suit, at 1.29

Boys' Pants—30 dozen on sale while they last, from all wool cloth remnants—othewise they could not be bought for less than $1.00 a pair, they have kant-rip seams, patent elastic band and patent buttons, some with double seat and knee, not more than two pairs to any customer, pair 43c

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Hosiery—Women's Stockings, fast black cotton, lisle finish Lace Stockings, slight seconds, in all sizes, fine 25c value for, pair 15c

Men's Socks—While they last, fancy stripes and other pretty patterns, full seamless, slight seconds, value 10c, 12½c and 15c, pair 6c

Men's Linen Collars.

500 dozen of the newest styles 4-ply Linen Collars, our own brands made expressly for us, in all sizes, the kind you pay regularly 20c for, not more than 4 to any one customer.

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Men's Neckwear

All the newest styles Four-in-Hands, Band Tecks, Shield Tecks, English Squares, Puffs and Ascots, regular 50c kind.

3 for $1 or 35c each

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The rather odd announcement, "Richard Carle presents himself in 'The Mayor of Tokio,'" at the New Plainfield theatre tonight, is not made for any pretense as to importance on the part of the author-actor, but merely for the sake of individuality and to clearly emphasize the fact that Richard Carle will appear in the piece. This most unique manner of advertising was suggested to him by many of his managerial and newspapers supporters on account of his many plays that are en tour under distinctly different managements entirely foreign to his own interests and these managements advertise the Carle plays in a manner misleading to the public; at any rate the only Richard Carle with his entire company of 90 people, including the "Peanut Ballet," the "Geisha Girls" and the "Blue Ribbon Chorus of America," said to be the acme of youth and loveliness, will be seen in this city as advertised and bring his original mammoth production requiring three baggage cars for transportation, the same elaborate affair that broke all records in Chicago, New York, Boston and Philadelphia during its memorable runs there.

Mary Mannering, in "The Walls of Jericho," by Alfred Sutro, will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre for a single performance tomorrow night. Plainfielders are always glad to welcome such brilliant actresses as the charming Miss Mannering at all times, but on this occasion interest becomes greater than usual, as the play in which she will appear has been acknowledged as the best drama of the year. Certain it is that New York thought so, for "The Walls of Jericho" has just closed a successful engagement in that city which lasted for over six months at the Savoy theatre. Its reception in England was none the less great, as it is now in its second year in London. As Lady Alethea, the rebellious wife of Jack Frobisher, Miss Mannering does the best work of her career. Others in the company are: Misses Harriet Otis Dellenbaugh, Sylvia Lyndon, May Blayney, Blanche Ellice, Ruth Chester, Messrs. W. J. Ferguson, David Glassford, Percy Lyndall, F. Owen Baxter and Frank Patton.

The South has furnished material for a number of plays which have been very popular in public esteem and obtained large pecuniary returns. But the play which is now pre-eminent in favor, in fact, the only one dealing with Southern life which is now prominently before the public is Lottie Blair Parker's "Under Southern Skies." Other Southern plays there may be, but as no recent play of New England life equals in popularity or interest the same author's "Way Down East," so no other of the newer plays dealing with life in the south, approaches "Under Southern Skies." This play is now in its fifth season and will appear at the New Plainfield theatre Friday afternoon and night.

"The Choir Singer," "a play with songs," is the unusually attractive offering at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday afternoon and night. During its recent appearance in New York, "The Choir Singer" at once established itself as a Metropolitan success of first order. An important element in the play and which in a measure accounts for its popularity with theatre goers of all classes, is the fact that attractive musical numbers are logically introduced at appropriate times, the songs being woven into the plot which revolves around the efforts of the heroine, a young Virginia artistocrat, to conquer fate and fortune by means of her vocal talents. Elaborate scenery and a large company of carefully selected Metropolitan players assure for "The Choir Singer" a thoroughly adequate performance.

The dramatic critic of the New York Herald wrote the following criticism on May Irwin and her new offering, "Mrs. Black Is Back," the distinct New York comedy success of all last season, which appears at the New Plainfield theatre next Tuesday night: "Nobody at the Bijou theatre last night gave a rap about the election, as they had a more interesting topic to consider, being the return to the New York stage after nearly three years' absence of Miss May Irwin. Miss Irwin was elected unanimously. She was 'all present and accounted for' again in the front rank of comediennes. In fact the majority of the audience was of the opinion that she is now several paces in advance of the front rank. Certainly she never appeared to better advantage. Her expansive smile was more contagious than ever, and she fairly bubbled over with good humor and coon songs."

Casino Events This Week.

The North Plainfield High School dancing class will hold its weekly reception at the Casino tonight. Tomorrow night the Bowling Club, which usually meets on Monday night, will hold its weekly festivities. No event asre planned for Thursday night owing to the Elks' minstrel performance at the New Plainfield theatre. On Friday night Miss Beatrice Hereford will appear at the Casino in an original monologue for the benefit of the Women's Exchange. On Saturday night the sixth dinner-dance under the auspices of the Plainfield Country Club will be held. This will be the last one before Lent, and preparations are being made for a large attendance.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Linke has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 227 West Front Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Frank Linke.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Michael F. Watson has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 211 Grant Avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Michael F. Watson.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that The Eastern Bottling Company has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Southerly corner of West Second Street and Central Avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by John A. MacArthur, Its Treasurer.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John Rafferty has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 213 Park Avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by John Rafferty.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John and Frank Clark have applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 456 West Third Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Charles McCann,	Kalman Rottberg,
Marton Kane,	John Donnelly,
Edwin Vail,	Thomas Lyons,
Thomas Muldowney,	Thomas King,
Michael Walsh,	Louis Fay,
Joseph Galbraith,	Peter Nolan.

Citizens and Freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John J. Goff has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 1348 West Front Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

George Seeber,	George G. Buss,
Andrew McConnell,	John Noneski,
William H. Kitchen,	James MacConnell,
Lawrence Peterson,	Ira G. Hulbert,
Joseph Johnson,	Michael Regan,
Harry Baldwin,	John S. Haskard.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Schanz has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 208 A Watchung Avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by

Lorenzo Paoli,	Charles H. Hand,
Charles M. Meeker,	Nathan Myers,
Michael Wunderlich,	William Albert,
George Simon,	Peter Shubert,
James Caufield,	John Wolf,
E. B. Hedden,	Kaspar Sacher,
Joseph Angerbauer,	

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that James Shea has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 542-544 West Third Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Randolph Marsh,	Cormick Caufield,
Abram Kunzman,	James Deady,
Michael McCarthy,	Morris Farbman,
Edward Conners,	Martin Gegan,
Patrick Connely,	John Sloyan,
Michael Doyle,	Patrick Harrington,
Thomas Burke,	Patrick Kneeland,
Denis Killbride,	Wm. Fitzgerald,
Patrick Boyle.	

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Jerome W. Leary has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at corner Park Avenue and East Second Street, in the First ward, which applicaton is signed by Jerome W. Leary.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that John A. Staats has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 107-109-111 North Avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by John A. Staats.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Blimm has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 37 Somerset Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Jacob Blimm.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that H. F. Windham has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 142-144 East Front Street, in the First ward, which application is signed by H. F. Windham.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Findlay has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 123 East Second Street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Alexander D. Findlay.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

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City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Christian Gloekler has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 102-104 West Front Street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Christian Gloekler.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Henry Haurand has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 115 East Front Street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Henry Haurand.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the 23 February instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Master's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a final decree issued out of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, in the cause wherein Charles H. Hand is complainant, and George J. Tobin, et als., are defendants, which decree bears date on the 26th day of December, 1905, I, Craig A. Marsh, Special Master in Chancery, as therein directed, will expose to sale at public vendue, on Wednesday, the fourteenth day of February, 1906, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, upon the premises hereinafter described, in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, and State of New Jersey, all the following described certain tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the said City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue in line of land now or formerly of Frederick M. Masker and others; said point being distant in a northeasterly direction a distance of two hundred and sixty-two and sixty-three one hundredths (262.63) feet from the intersection of the centre line of Woodland Avenue with the northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue; thence running along said Masker's line in a course of north thirty-two degrees and thirty-four minutes west, a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight and ninety-five one hundredths (178.95) feet to a point; thence running in a course of south fifty-seven degrees and twenty-six minutes west a distance of seventy (70) feet to a point in line of property now or formerly owned by Hermance; thence along line of said Hermance's line in a course of south thirty-two degrees and thirty-four minutes east, a distance of one hundred and seventy-nine (179) feet more or less to a point in the aforesaid northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue; thence running in a course of north fifty-seven degrees and twenty-two minutes east a distance of seventy (70) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Together with the land in front of the same to the centre of La Grande Avenue, subject to the use of the public therein as a public highway.

Including also the inchoate right of dower of the defendant, Annie Hand, wife of said Charles H. Hand.

Including also the inchoate right of dower of the defendant, Mary F. Tobin, wife of George J. Tobin.

Subject to the mortgage encumbrance of said Evan T. Steadman on said lands.

Together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Dated, January 12, 1906.

CRAIG A. MARSH,
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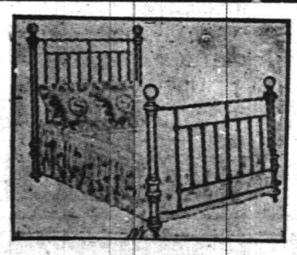
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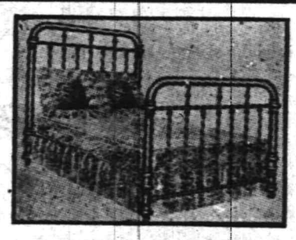
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Suburban Architecture

By Thomas Tryon.

The surburban house should be instinct with the vitality and taste of the owner. It should suggest the hospitality of the host. The plan should be compact, as spacious as the money at hand will allow and the exterior should arise naturally from these conditions and express in terms of local material, and methods of construction, the arrangement of rooms.

Often the site is small and frequently there is no prospect along the street on which it is to be built. Therefore do not hesitate to put the living rooms at the back, if on that side the sun will shine into the windows all day, for here you will have your garden as an attractive foreground.

If the house is low, and small houses should be low, set it close to the ground. Do not be deceived into thinking that the cellar will necessarily be ill ventilated. Many stupid errors are made in the name of the practical, and, as a result of not thinking out clearly all the conditions that must be met by obvious requirements, and great sacrifices are made of subtle but none the less real needs.

A surprising sense of spaciousness may be attained by carefully studied proportions in all the rooms, and, if the house is to be really small, put your best thought on the one room in which the family will live, making the other necessary apartments adjuncts to this living room. The coloring of the walls and wood work has a deal to do with the sense of spaciousness and hospitality and a vista from one room into another will give an inspiring sense of attraction to a by no means large house.

Building materials must be classed as costly or the reverse, and if one must count every dollar spent on a small house, and most of us have to do this disagreeable thing, the concrete house is both inexpensive in the end and excellent as a building material. The first cost of a single concrete house is more than that of a house of the same size built of wood, but, the life of the material is much longer and the necessary repairs are reduced to the minimum, so that in the end the cost is considerably less.

The charge that the concrete house is architecturally insincere can only apply when the concrete is made to imitate some other material, such as rough stone work or elaborate carving. This is rather an error of taste than a radical fault of the material, for the concrete can be easily moulded in one shape or another, and it at its best when allowed to look just what it is, or when the surface is coated with small stones or rough cast. A simple and inexpensive method of building house walls is that of using fireproof slabs, reinforced by slight iron rods and covered on the outside with rough cast and lathed and plastered within.

The bungalow, or one story type of house has many attractions if one has the plot of ground on which to set it. The long, low eaves with the recessed porches for shade and the series of good sized rooms gives a pleasant result. That many of our suburban houses are unattractive is obvious, and much of the fault lies in the desire for exterior display of ornament. Ornament is a dangerous plaything. One good bit placed so that its value is enhanced will distinguish a house far more than the same amount of cost and labor spread over a larger surface. The machine made ornament and meaningless detail are sins of commission that it is to be hoped will shortly disappear from the designs of an architect and the minds of the builders.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Harry G. Adams will give a talk on "Personal Work" at the Congregational church tomorrow night.

Miss Louise Harral will lead the Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church on Friday night.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie will lead the Young People's Society meeting at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday night.

Beginning with next Sunday, the Sunday-school of the First Presbyterian church will be 2:45 o'clock instead of 2:30 as before.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. T. Ostrom, of 748 Carlton avenue.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock for sewing.

There will be baptism at the Park Avenue Baptist church on Sunday night, as a result of the evangelistic services being held each Sunday night.

The Boys' Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet in the church parlors Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The subject will be "China," and besides important business will be considered.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 13, 1906.

Shake 'em up, Mr. Daab, shake 'em up. We want that same brand of ball next season.

Statistics show that there were seventy-three strikes last year. That doesn't include the number made by the printers' devils.

It is not "how would you like to be the iceman?" but "don't you wish you were a politician?" The register of deeds and the sheriff are sojourning in Florida.

Considering how easy it is for Count Boni to live by his wits, it is small wonder that certain life insurance officers should prefer self-exile in France to honest living in America.

Brooklyn minister told the Peddle students yesterday that Lincoln was greater than Washington. It is not long since Governor Pennypacker declared that the late Senator Quay was greater than Webster or Clay.

Dr. Gladden is rather inclined to believe that Congressman Fowler's bill for clean money fails utterly to go to the root of the matter.—Newark News.

There they are at it again. Won't they ever let us try as much as Fowler does himself that he represents the Fifth district.

Every citizen of Plainfield and North Plainfield should write to their representatives in the Legislature to oppose the passage of the bill providing for an "open season" for killing of doves. There is no reason whatever for legalizing the slaughter of those little birds, and the senator or assemblyman who advocates the enactment of the proposed measure, to say the least, is a heartless person.

The forthcoming conference of the State Charities' Aid workers will have as its primary objects discussion of methods for the raising of the standard of relief among the employes of the State, county and municipal institutions and for the bringing about of more effective schemes of co-operation among the various public and private benevolent institutions in New Jersey. That it will be productive of good results there can be no doubt. Officers of the many charitable institutions, members of the judiciary, leading participants in church benevolent organizations as well as many individuals in their private capacity who work independently for the uplifting of the masses and the betterment of mankind will make addresse during the sessions. The first meeting will take place Thursday morning at the Public Library in Newark and the sessions will also be held on Friday and Saturday. It is quite probable that Plainfield will be represented by a large delegation of men and women actively interested in the laudable work of the organization.

PASSED BY PHARMACY BOARD.

Those Who Successfuly Go Through the State Examinations.

Trenton, Feb. 13.—Dr. Henry A. Jordan, secretary of the State Board of Pharmacy, has announced the list of those who passed the recent examinations in this city for licenses to practice pharmacy in this State. There were six Newark candidates successful. The list follows:

Registered Pharmacist—Harry J. Abrahams, Newark; Morris E. Barkowitz, Newark; Abraham Brodsky, New York; Thomas A. Connor, Bayonne; John Henry Crowe, Englewood; C. Maclay Diller, Philadelphia; Charles David Flynn, New Brunswick; Jacob B. Gollobin, Newark; Philip Calestine McLaughlin, Camden; Edwin Leigh Newcomb, Vineland; Henry C. Neer, Park Ridge; Carl William Postz, Jersey City; Chester Riland, Rahway; Charles Anton Reihel, Elizabeth; George Balthaser Spath, Jersey City.

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OBJECT OF CONFERENCE AT NEWARK BEGINS THURSDAY MORNING.

The following communication has been sent to this office with a request for publication:

Editor The Daily Press:

The yearly State conferences which are held in various parts of the United States are of very important educational value in the study of the sociological problems with which those have to deal who are engaged in work among the dependent and criminal classes of the community.

In New Jersey four such conferences have been held; three in the Assembly chamber of the State capitol, Trenton, and one in the Hotel Chelsea, Atlantic City. These meetings have been attended by large and representative audiences and the programmes have been interesting and instructive.

The fifth annual conference will be held in the Public Library, Newark, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. To quote from the January issue of the New Jersey Review: "One of the objects of this conference is to raise the standard of relief among the employes of the State, county and municipal institutions, and to bring about more effective co-operation between the various public and private benevolent agencies of the State.

"The conference is intended to afford opportunities for the mutual interchange of views and experiences. People interested in all kinds of charitable and reformatory work come together to learn from and to teach each other about new and improved methods. The discussions are of the most practical and useful kind. The managers and officers of the State institutions, the judges, prosecutors, probation officers, truant officers, Boards of Freeholders, county commissioners, police officers, wardens of jails and almshouses, overseers of the poor, and health officers are urged to be present. Churches, clubs and private benevolent societies interested in the betterment of social conditions are urged to send delegates."

Each year these conferences should grow in interest and value, and this may be attained only by the hearty co-operation of the people of the State.

The fifth conference, with the variety of its programme, offers to each individual some subject of special interest in touch with the conditions of his life. Every man and woman who is interested in knowing what New Jersey is doing for the relief of its poor and the care of the helpless and criminal is invited to attend the conference and take part in the discussions. A.

YEAR'S RECORD OVER THE STRIKES.

Building Trades Affected the Most—In Only 22 Out of 73 Were the Workmen Successful.

Trenton, Feb. 13.—In the annual report which has just been submitted to Governor Stokes by Winton C. Garrison, chief of the State Bureau of Labor and Statistics, a section is devoted to the subject of "strikes and lockouts" and some interesting information is given concerning these industrial disturbances in this Commonwealth for the twelve months covered by the report.

There were seventy-three strikes in that time, the greater number of them being among men in the building trades. Reports as to the number of persons involved are given in only thirty-three instances, these showing an aggregate of 3593, about ten per cent. of whom were women.

The strikes reported lasted in duration from two days to eleven months. Wage losses are reported for twenty-one of the strikes and these aggregated $145,713.

Among the strike reasons given are: For increase of pay, against reduction of pay, against members of other unions, against non-union men, for shorter hours, against obnoxious bosses, because of disagreement over apprentices, to secure recognition of union and for sympathetic purposes. There were only two purely sympathetic strikes.

Of the total number of strikes twenty-two are reported as having been successful, seventeen partly successful (compromised). The other strikes failed entirely to effect a change in the conditions at which they were directed.

In none of these strikes is there any record of any effort having been made to secure adjustment through the State Boad of Arbitration, a body which the State maintains for the purpose at an annual outlay of nearly $7,000.

There has been a movement on foot for several years to abolish this board on the ground that it is rendering no service for the money paid its members, but nothing definite has yet been done by the Legislature.

Double Wedding at Jersey City.

Jersey City, Feb. 13.—A double wedding took place Saturday night at the home of Joseph Forst, of 403 Ocean avenue. The brides were his daughters, Theresa and Anna M. The latter wedded John L. Earl, and Theresa married Edward Ahrens, of Hoboken. Rev. E. A. Neury officiated.

The Great Alteration Sale.

This sale has created a flurry in our Carpet business. Never has the department been so pushed at this season of the year. People are crowding to share in the low prices now prevailing before removing stock to main floor. The time is growing short. Wise buyers will act quickly.

A FEW SPECIAL PRICES:

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Axminster Carpets are designed particularly for parlor use. The pile is high, giving a delightfully soft tread. The colors are rich and warm or light and dainty, just as your taste may dictate.

The designs are choice in every respect. This is a rare opportunity to secure fine Parlor Carpets cheap. Above price includes making and laying.

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This price is 15c per yard less than you can get tnem in New York City. Several of our customers have demonstrated the truth of this statement. They are excellent Carpets to wear and the patterns are suitable for a great variety of purposes. We show 25 styles. Made and laid for above price.

We are making low prices on Japanese and Chinese Mattings, of which we have a good assortment.

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS 79c YARD.

This price is for new fresh goods in the best of patterns. Excellent Hall and Stair patterns in the line. Above price includes making and laying.

VELVET CARPETS 90c PER YARD.

Splendid heavy goods, good colors, good patterns. About 6 or 8 patterns only left. Act quickly. Above price includes making and laying.

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14x30	Moravian Smyrna	29c
22x45	Moravian Smyrna	65c
27x54	Moravian Smyrna	98c
5x8	Moravian Smyrna	3.98
3x9	Moravian Runners	2.98
9x12	Moravian Rugs	9.98

These rugs are remarkably good low priced rugs. The edges are well secured, the colors strong and the designs are excellent copies of Oriental effects.

At 1.25 each—We have new imported 27x54 Velvet Rugs that rival in general effectiveness the real Wiltons.

We have small lot dotted and figured Suisse Curtains from 50c to 1.00 pair. All greatly reduced in price.

February Housefurnishing Sale:

TEA KETTLES.
Solid Copper, Nickel Plated.

No. 6 size, reg. price 89c, sale..69c
No. 7 size, reg. price 98c, sale..79c
No. 8 size, reg. price 1.10, sale..89c
No. 9 size, reg. price 1.25, sale..99c

GALVANIZED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
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10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

ASH CANS, WITH COVERS.
Regular price 1.48, sale 98c

SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

NICKEL ALARM CLOCKS.
Regular price 89c, sale 69c

MRS. POTTS' IRONS.
Regular price 98c, sale 69c

YELLOW PIE PLATES.
Square Shape.
Regular price 10c, sale 5c

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Made of good quality willow.

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Small size	49c	39c
Medium size	59c	49c
Large size	78c	59c
Extra Large size	98c	69c

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The 2.00 kind for 1.69
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FANCY SCRAP BASKETS.
Importer's Samples.
Regular 25c Baskets for..... 19c
Regular 50c Baskets for..... 29c
Regular 75c Baskets for..... 39c
Regular 98c Baskets for..... 49c

GRAY ENAMELED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
Twin Match Safes	10c	6c
Handy Tea Strainers	10c	6c
Wash Basins	35c	15c
Dish Pans	59c	29c
Stew Kettles	35c	19c
Sauce Pans	35c	19c

WAFFLE IRONS.
New Heart-shaped kind.
Regular price 1.00, sale 69c

A LAMP BARGAIN.
Nickel plated central draft Lamps. Complete with embossed dome shade, chimney and tripod.
Regular price 1.98, sale 1.50

COLUMBIA FAMILY SCALES.
Regular price 1.25, sale 95c

TOILET JARS, WITH COVERS.
Enameled white, with gold lines.
Regular price 48c, sale 35c

FOOT BATH TUBS.
Enameled inside and out.
Regular price 39c, sale 25c

THE QUAKER DUST PAN.
With heavy edge, which prevents bending up.
Regular price 19c, sale 12c

CURTAIN STRETCHERS.
The "No Sag" kind, with anti-rust pins.
Regular price 1.25, sale 78c

BLACK COAL HODS.
Regular price 25c, sale 17c

DOUBLE ROASTING PANS.
The self basting kind.
Regular price 48c, sale 25c

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Extra Heavy Polished, long and short handled Dippers and Six-quart Flaring Pails.
Regular price 25c, sale 10c

GOOD QUALITY BROOMS.
Regular price 29c, sale 19c

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39c—Ladies' Muslin Drawers, extra well made from a good quality of muslin, nicely trimmed and usually sold for 75c.

39c—Ladies' Muslin Night Robes, the best value ever offered for the money; nicely made, cut extra full and trimmed with insertion and tucks; regular value 75c each.

39c—Ladies' Muslin Skirts, made extra full from nice quality of muslin and trimmed with cluster of three tucks; reg. val. 75c each.

SKIRTS.

A few more Skirts left, were sold at 3.50, now selling at 1.98

The balance of our Winter Waists must be sold regardless of cost. We divide them in two lots:

LOT ONE—Were 2.00 to 4.00, selling at 1.00

LOT TWO—Were 1.00 to 2.00, selling at 50c

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We can show as large and complete lines of enamel Beds and Mattresses as you would care to see, and all good reliable makes, too. Our prices for this sale will convince you that we can sell you Furniture and Bedding as reasonable as we do our Carpets, Rugs and Shades.

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Boys' Arctics, sizes 3 to 6	85c
Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	75c
Child's Arctics, sizes 6 to 10½	59c
Men's Rubbers, sizes 8 to 11	55c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers	40c
Ladies' Low Rubbers	35c

WATCH OUR BARGAIN COUNTERS.

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AUTOISTS ARE STIRRED UP

State's Associated Clubs Want Hearing on February 20 in Big Hall.

CAR OWNERS ORGANIZE

The officers of the Associated Automobile Clubs of New Jersey will go before the Judiciary Committee of the Senate next Tuesday, and ask for the privilege of holding the auto hearing arranged for Tuesday, February 20, in some place other than the State House, it being claimed that neither the Senate Chamber nor the Assembly Chamber will be large enough to accommodate the crowd of autoists who will attend to oppose the Frelinghuysen auto bill and drastic legislation of that character.

Two thousand autoists from this State and as many more from New York and Pennsylvania, are expected to be present. If the committee will consent to the desire of the autoists Taylor Opera House or some big hall will be hired for the hearing. Wilbur F. Sadler, of Trenton, chairman of the law committee of the Associated Automobile Clubs of New Jersey, has the matter in charge.

Mr. Sadler is endeavoring to secure some noted speakers to represent the automobile side of the question. It is likely that Judge James B. Dill and Counselor Richard V. Lindabury will be among the speakers. The hearing will be primarily for the autoists, but it is understood that the farming interests will also be represented by speakers, who will urge the adoption of radical regulations to restrict automobiling.

Robert S. Gaskill, a lawyer of Mt. Holly, has received a communication from the automobile dealers of Philadelphia, asking for his views on the proposed automobile law for New Jersey. He said in reply:

"The law as proposed by Mr. Frelinghuysen would be unfair and pernicious. I am frank to say that the privilege now afforded to owners of automobiles is very much abused by the owners of large cars. It is the large car that comes thundering down the road at a fifty-mile clip, just clearing a carriage or a pedestrian at this tremendous speed, sometimes driven by a careless, or perhaps drunken, chauffeur, that brings out the universal criticism that seems to be moving our Legislature to action. This should be prohibited. The limit through country roads is now too low and in cities too high. Forty or fifty miles an hour is none too high on a clear road and fifteen is none too high in a city.

"This is the principle that should govern: All persons should have the privilege of our roads without unnecessary danger in the enjoyment thereof. It is an unnecessary danger forced upon the user of a road to compel him to meet a heavy motor car at a fifty-mile clip. The most experienced runner may go wrong in some way about the passing point, and then the catastrophe.

"It is unnecessary to keep up this speed to make an enjoyable or useful trip in an auto. The driver should be compelled to come down to a certain speed when passing another vehicle. A man should be allowed to take all the chances he pleases at high speed, but he should be compelled to avoid this danger to others. My recommendation would be that the limit be fixed about as I have stated, with the further restriction that the speed be cut down whenever approaching another vehicle to a limit of, say, ten miles an hour.

"We need no high-priced overseer. The violation of a reasonable law, such as I have suggested, should be a crime punishable with imprisonment, touching alike the rich and the moderate, and the law could be enforced upon the complaint of any one. We have no supervising officer over offenders under our criminal statutes. Public prosecutors throughout the State attend to this business. Any one violating a criminal law may be prosecuted and punished by the courts upon the complaint of any citizen. The automobile law mentioned by me could be enforced in a similar manner."

A copy of this letter has been sent to the leading members of the Legislature.

White Pine Cough Syrup.

Randolph's White Pine Cough Syrup, either with or without Tar, is a very valuable remedy to have in your house at all times; especially during the sudden change of weather.

It cures Coughs, Bronchitis, Loss of Voice, Sore Throat, etc., and will soon break up the most persistent cold.

Try it today.

Price per bottle, **25c.**

Agent for 'Huyler's' Famous Candies.

L. W. RANDOLPH

The City Pharmacy,

143 West Front St.

SENATORIAL FIGHT IS ON

Contest This Year is Expected to Begin Earlier Than Usual.

METHOD OF CHOOSING

The battle for the United States Senatorship next year promises to begin pretty nearly a year ahead of time. The proposition to have the preference of the voters expressed not later than the primaries in next September renders it almost absolutely necessary for the candidates to get to work right away. There are two measures before the Legislature calling on the voters to give an idea of their choice long before the next session begins. As a matter of fact, there isn't much difference between the Colby and Hillery propositions on the subject. Colby requires the candidates to have petitions signed by at least eight hundred voters in the State for a certain candidate before his name is put on the tentative ticket. Hillery requires that one hundred voters in each county shall have a petition for their candidate filed with the county clerk in each county, verified by the affidavits of ten reputable citizens of the party referred to, in advance of the primaries, before the name shall be placed on the ticket at the primaries.

The object is the same and the result is practically the same. Under the Colby programme the eight hundred signers could come from the same county. Under the Hillery bill there would have to be, or rather ought to be, one hundred petitioners from each county. The prominent aspirants would have no trouble in complying with either condition.

There is an impression, however, that there is more politics involved in the Hillery than in the Colby condition. While the Colby people are apparently opposed to Dryden, the object in obtaining an advance idea of the preference of the voters was independent of candidtes. Of course, it is supposed by the Colby men that in both Essex and Hudson counties there would be a majority against Dryden, but that is not put out in any public way. Hillery, on the other hand, as the leader of the Senate and the spokesman, so to speak, of the administration, is believed to have the interests of Mr. Stokes at heart, and to presume, incredible though it may seem, that in a large majority of counties the Governor would lead in the popular vote for United States Senator.

Taking this view of the situation as correct, the surmise is easy that it is expected all the candidates will take off their coats without much delay and go to work. It looks as though the Dryden supporters would favor the Colby proposition, for the reason that the conditions could be more readily complied with.

GOFF A "CLUB STEWARD"

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and other liquor was furnished by the club.

Goff was then put on the stand. He alleged that he leased his place to the club for $10 a month and that his only compensation was a weekly salary of $5 as steward of the club. He did confess, however, that the Rising Sun Brewery Company allowed him forty cents on every empty box returned. He also said that the club was organized in September last and took possession a month later.

W. H. Reynolds, of Elizabeth, a collector for the Rising Sun Brewery Company, was the last witness. He said that Goff was a distributing agent for the company's product and that it had been sent to Goff in response to orders received on postal cards.

The defendant is likely to hear the verdict late this afternoon.

COMBINE AGAINST SALOONS.

Clergymen of Many Sects in Fight to Revise Laws.

Trenton, Feb. 13.—Catholic, Episcopalian, Methodist and Presbyterian clergymen, making up a sub-committee of the interdenominational movement for stringent liquor regulations, met yesterday to consider amendments which they will ask the Legislature to add to the present law.

High license, few saloons, regular closing at nights and entire closing on Sundays are some of the reforms recommended. The members of the legislative committee are Bishop Scarborough, Bishop McFaul, the Rev. Dr. Henry Collin Minton, the Rev. George B. Wight, the Rev. Charles J. Kelly, Bayard Stockton and Peter Backus.

Coal Thieves on Lehigh Railroad.

Dunellen, Feb. 13.—Coal thieves have been operating on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and in addition to their unlawful practice, Sunday evening, cut a number of signal wires at West Dunellen, causing much annoyance to the railroad men and doing considerable damage in the signal system. Railroad detectives are now searching for the marauders and it is expected arrests will soon be made. Coal thieves have operated very freely on the Lehigh Valley Railroad of late and much coal has been lost.

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THEATRICAL NOTES.

Each one of the eight exits from the New Plainfield theatre is now marked by a red electric globe, which burns all the time a performance is on. They have been placed by Manager Counihan as another safeguard for his patrons.

Miss Mary Mannering, who heads the cast of "The Walls of Jericho," is the wife of James K. Hackett. She is one of New York's favorite actresses and is always accorded an enthusiastic reception by Gothamites after returning from a road tour. She concluded a co-star engagement with Mr. Hackett at the Savoy theatre Saturday night. The latter is now organizing a company for "The Little Gray Lady," which is to go on a tour of the western states.

May Irwin, who comes to the New Plainfield next week, is one of the few actresses who manage their own companies. She directs all the affairs of "Mrs. Black Is Back" and in addition looks after the leasing of the Bijou theatre, New York, which belongs to her free and clear. She is a sister of Miss Flo Irwin and years ago worked with her in vaudeville. They were named for the stage by Tony Pastor, who also conferred "Lillian Russell" on the artist of that name.

Next to Richard Carle, the most laughable artist in "The Mayor of Tokio" is Miss Emma Janvier, who plays the part of "Madame Stitch, the wardrobe mistress." This talented young woman, whose real name is Emma Spicer, is but twenty-seven years old. She is a New Yorker and a daughter of the late Captain John W. Spicer. Her uncle, Commodore William F. Spicer, was also in Uncle Sam's service and was in charge of the Charlestown Navy Yard at the time of his death. She took her stage name from her cousin, Thomas Janvier, who has written a number of short stories.

SHOOTS CALLER AS BURGLAR.

Paterson Man Visiting Young Woman at Nutley Is Wounded.

Patrick McKenny, twenty-five years old, of Grand street, Paterson, was shot in the face early yesterday morning and is now in the Passaic General Hospital.

He was calling on a young woman in the employ of Charles I. Smith, of Highfield lane, Nutley, and was near the porch when Mr. Smith saw him and mistook him for a burglar. Smith fired twice at him, one bullet entering his right cheek, lodging behind the ear.

McKenny then called out who he was and Smith summoned a physician and the man was carried into the house, where his wound was dressed. Later Mr. Smith took McKenny in a carriage to the Passaic Hospital, and it is believed that he will recover.

Smith was taken into custody and arraigned before a justice of the peace, who paroled him for hearing.

Penny's New Training House.

Philadelphia, Feb. 13.—The new training house of the University of Pennsylvania, which is in process of construction on the terrace leading up to the northwest entrance to Franklin Field, will be completed in time for the use of the football men at the university next fall and will fully equip old Penn's great athletic system. The new building will be regarded as a part of the dormitory system and will be under the charge of the university authorities, who will collect rent from the athletes on the same scale as from the other students. The new building will be three stories in height and will accommodate twenty-six students, there being fourteen sleeping rooms on the first sleeping floor and twelve on the second sleeping floor.

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New Plainfield Theatre

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Return engagement of

RICHARD CARLE IN

The Mayor of Tokio

PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50.

Wednesday, February 14—

Mary Mannering in

The Walls of Jericho

Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, $2.

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The Great Success,

Under Southern Skies.

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Night ..... 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

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DIED.

BRYAN—On Tuesday, Feb. 13, 1906, Rev. James R. Bryan, D. D., aged 77 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

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Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

FIRST-CLASS laundress wanted; Monday or Tuesday preferred; reference required. Apply 515 Grant avenue. 2 12 3

WANTED—Experienced white girl for general housework; must be good cook; no washing; good wages; reference required. Apply 515 Grant avenue. 2 12 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 30 Fairview Ave. 2 13 2

BOY wanted to learn cabinet making and hard wood finishing. Apply Charles L. Holstein, 321 East Second street. 2 13 3

STENOGRAPHER; male preferred; state experience and salary wanted. Address Reliable, care Press. 2 13 2

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call mornings, 506 Grant avenue. 2 12 6

WANTED—A superintendent and an assistant, at the Woman's Exchange. Apply by letter to Mrs. O. T. Waring, 900 Park Ave. 2 10 3

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing; small family; good wages. Apply 816 Carlton avenue. 2 12 3

WANTED—Competent colored woman for general housework; must be good cook and laundress. 414 West Eighth street. 2 13 tf

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—Pattern makers and table makers; steady employment to good men. Aluminum Press Company, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 tf

For Rent.

HOUSE, Ann street and Rock avenue, reasonable; also plot of land adjoining if desired. Apply William Burke, next door. 2 13 5

AT NETHERWOOD, house, stable and large grounds, from September 1. Address A. D., care Daily Press. 2 13 3

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TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

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FOR FLORIDA and the South, the Clyde Line is direct and offers superior service and accommodations. Tickets and full information at office, No. 197 North Avenue, William D. Thickstun, agent. 1 19 1mo

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BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. 4 6 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St tf

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TWO OR THREE rooms wanted for light housekeeping; furnished or unfurnished; convenient to North Avenue station, preferred. Address Commuter, care Daily Press.

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FURNISHED room to let; board near by. 303 East Fifth. 1 22 tf

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GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. 12 19 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—500 Dollars on second mortgage; good security. Address J. L., care Press. 2 13 3

WANTED—Situation as chambermaid and seamstress. Address L. M., care Press. 2 12 3

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. 10 3 tf

Situations Wanted.

SLAVISH girl wants place to do general housework; good plain cook; city references. Call 800 St. Mary avenue.

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Buff Orpington, prize birds, $5.00.
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FOR SALE—Cutter in good condition. J. E. Martine, 954 Kensington avenue. 2 10 3

HOUSE, barn, 18 acres land, $1,800; house and 4 acres land, ½ minute from depot, $1,000. Address X., care Daily Press. 2 10 3

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FOR SALE—Billiard table, ivory balls, cues, rack and everything complete. Address B. D., care Daily Press. 2 13 3

FOR SALE—Valuable farm in Washington Valley. Apply to the owner, Fred Kirch, near Warrenville. 2 13 13

FOR SALE—Beautiful tract of five acres, on Woodland avenue, between the properties of Messrs. Arens and Duflon. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 6 tf

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FOR SALE at one half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. 4 3 tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Fine corner residence, Franklin place and Putnam avenue. For particulars address E. Rowley, 346 Franklin place, or agents. 2 10 6

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FOR SALE—10-room house, Woodland avenue, near Netherwood station, only $7,000; nice 12-room house; good location; open plumbing; only $3,800; building lots; good locations; very low prices; liberal terms; houses to rent, $18, $20 and up. Ira L. LaRue, 109 Park Ave. 2 10 tf

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Dayton, O., Feb. 12.—At the session of the Tri-Church Conference here, which is seeking the union of the United Brethren, Congregational and Protestant Methodist denominations, the reports of committees were received and these are being put through a special inquisition. It may be considered as settled that the union will be effected and the only hitch apparent was as to the name the united denomination shall bear.

Many names were proposed, as the Gospel Christian Church, the United Congregational Church, the United Christian Church, the Christian Church, the United Church of America. The last name was said to be the most generally accepted. The sub-committee, in its report on vested interests, reported that it saw no obstacle in these interests to ultimate union.

The committee on polity presented an elaborate plan of organization under which local churches shall be left free to conduct their business as present custom provides; that there be annual conferences of ministers and laymen and a national conference, the last to be made up of delegates chosen by the annual conference from a list selected in the district conferences on the basis of one to every 10,000 and one for every major fraction thereof. The national conference is to have the power to change the ratio of representation at any time. The committee on doctrine presented a declaration of faith for the united church.

The declaration reads as follows:

"We, the representatives of the Congregational Churches, the Church United Brethren in Christ, and the Methodist Protestant Church, rejoice at this time to enter into union with one another, through the grace of Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in the love of God, and for fellowship in the Holy Spirit. In this solemn act of faith and obedience toward the great Head of the Church, we do most humbly and heartily renew the consecration of our lives to Him and to the service of mankind.

"1. Our bond of union consists in that inward and personal faith in Jesus Christ as our Divine Saviour and Lord on which our churches are founded; also in our acceptance of the Holy Scriptures as the inspired source of faith and the supreme standard of Christian truth; and further in one consent to the teaching of the ancient symbols of the undivided church, and to that substance of Christian doctrine which is common to the creeds and confessions which we have inherited from the past. But we humbly depend, as did our fathers, on the continued guidance of the Holy Spirit to lead us into all the truth.

"2. We believe that God, the father and Lord of all, did send His son, Jesus Christ, to redeem us from sin and death by the perfect obedience of His holy will in life by the sacrifice of Himself on the cross and by his glorious resurrection from the dead.

"3. We believe that the Holy Spirit, the Spirit of God and of Christ, moves in the hearts of men, calling them through the Gospel to repentance and faith, awakening in them spiritual sorrow for past sin and confidence in the mercy of God, together with new desires and a new power to obey His will.

"4. We believe that those of the sons of men who, hearing God's calls of divine love, do heartily put their trust in the Saviour whom his love provided are assured by His word of His mouth fatherly forgiveness, of His free and perfect favor and the presence of His spirit in their hearts."

Society Events in Elizabeth.

Elizabeth, Feb. 13.—Miss Scrymser gave an enjoyable bridge party at her home, in Westfield avenue, Thursday afternoon. There were six tables in play. The decorations were pink roses. The winners were Miss Bessie Brewster, Mrs. Benjamin Barroll, Mrs. Seaman, Mrs. Oberly, Mrs. Palmer H. Charlock and Miss Magie. Mrs. Emily E. Williamson delivered a very interesting lecture on "Prisons" at Trinity church Thursday night. Mrs. Williamson was a member of the international committee on prisons which held a conference last spring at Budapest.

Doctors Have Narrow Escape.

Califon, Feb. 13.—A serious accident was narrowly averted at the grade crossing of the High Bridge branch of the Central Railroad at Crestmoor Wednesday. Dr. Isidore Topkins, accompanied by Dr. Theodore Miller, both of this place, were making a hurried call to Middle Valley in a closed carriage. As the horse struck the crossing the occupants noticed the approaching northbound mixed freight and passenger train, and pulled the animal to one side as the engineer stopped his train within five feet. The train was approaching the station and running at a low rate of speed.

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CLERGYMEN TO MEET IN TRENTON TOMORROW.

Important Steps Will Be Taken in the Effort to Get Better Saloon Legislation.

There will be an important meeting of Catholic and Protestant clergymen in Trenton tomorrow, to take final action on the bill for the better regulation of the saloon business throughout the State, which it is proposed to introduce in the Legislature. At a recent meeting, after the movement had been gotten in full swing by Vicar General John A. Sheppard, of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Newark, under the direction of Bishop John J. O'Connor, it was found that some bill which hododowdwdk the draft of a bill which had been prepared and a committee for that purpose was appointed.

That committee has now completed its work and a new bill has been prepared by former Supreme Court Justice Gilbert Collins, of Jersey City. In it are incorporated suggestions made by those at the last gathering in Trenton. Its provisions cover the sale of liquor or beer in any form to minors, and the punishment therefor, the back room evil, higher license than that at present in force, and other points at issue.

Vicar General Sheppard, who is the pastor of St. Michael's church in Jersey City, last night declined to give a copy of the bill for publication. "What we are aiming to accomplish has already been plainly put before the people by the Sunday Call. The bill simply puts it into legal form. I can not give it to you until it has been presented at the meeting on Wednesday."

Among those who will be at the meeting are Bishops O'Connor and McFaul, of the Roman Catholic dioceses of Newark and Trenton, respectively; Bishops Lines and Scarborough, of the Episcopal dioceses of Newark and Jersey City; Vicar Generals Sheppard, of Jersey City, and Fox, of Trenton; the Rev. John S. Ryan, of St. Bridget's church, of Jersey City; the Rev. Charles T. Kelly, of the Church of Our Lady of Grace, of Hoboken; Monsignor O'Grady, of New Brunswick, and at least a score of Protestant clergymen of various denominations.

It is expected that after the bill is gone over carefully at the meeting it will be ready for presentation to the Legislature at the session on the following Monday evening.

COLORED MEN WIN SCHOOL VICTORY.

Peace Made with East Orange Board —Children to Return to School.

After a bitter fight lasting many months a settlement has been reached between the colored people of East Orange and the East Orange Board of Education, which a while ago organized "Jim Crow" classes in the public schools. The Board of Education held a long conference Saturday night with representatives of the colored people, and yesterday it was said that the negro children who have been out of the public schools since the trouble started, will return and be assigned to proper classes.

When the board started the "Jim Crow" classes the colored people were angry, and have been holding weekly mass meetings ever since. Their wrath was directed mainly against Vernon L. Davey, superintendent of the schools, who, they said, was mainly responsible for the formation of the classes. Supreme Court Justice J. Franklin Fort spoke and worked in their behalf, as did a number of white ministers and prominent lawyers. Former Assemblyman William A. Lord, of Orange, was also prominent in the fight and last week addressed one of their mass meetings.

The colored people were led by one of their number, James N. Vandervall, who is well educated. For a long time the board was unrelenting and, though the colored people appeared before them several times, no progress was made and the bitterness grew. Two weeks ago the board began to weaken and rescinded the obnoxious measures, adopting new resolutions, which at the time were looked upon as just as bad. The board, however, showed a disposition to talk it over with the colored people, and Saturday night Mr. Vandervall, Dr. J. A. Stillwell, the Rev. David D. Turpeau, the Rev. George W. Krygar and Robert Travis held a conference with the board which reached an agreement under which colored children are to be assigned to regular classes in accordance with their fitness. There was a great rejoicing yesterday among the colored people. Announcements of the arrangement were made in their churches.

Auto Association Will Meet.

An important meeting of the Union County Automobile Association will be held at the Y. M. C. A. tonight to prepare plans for future action in protecting the interests of the association. It is expected that Charles A. Reed, who has been engaged to represent the association at the hearing on the Freilinghuysen auto bill at Trenton on February 20, will probably attend and speak.

Harry McCormick, the former big leaguer, although persistently sought after by league managers, declares that he will not return to professional baseball again. He has a lucrative position with the Pennsylvania Steel Corporation, where he will remain, and play with semi-professional teams on Saturdays and Sundays as before.

"The Man on the Box"

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CHAPTER IX.

THE HEROINE HIRES A GROOM.

Remarkable as it may read, his first impression was of her gown—a gown such as women wear on those afternoons, when they are free of social obligations, a gown to walk in or to lounge in. The skirt, which barely reached to the top of her low shoes, was of some blue stuff (stuff, because to a man's mind the word covers feminine dress-goods generally, liberally, and handily,) overshot with gray. Above this she had put on a white golfing-sweater, a garment which at that time was just beginning to find vogue among women who loved the fields and the road. Only men who own to stylish sisters appreciate these things, and Warburton possessed rather observant eyes. She held a bunch of freshly plucked poppies in her hand. It was the second time that their glances had met and held. In the previous episode (on the day she had leaned out of the cab) hers had been the first to fall. Now it was his turn. He studied the tips of his shoes. There were three causes why he lowered his eyes; First, she was mistress here and he was an applicant for employment; second, he loved her; third, he was committing the first bold dishonesty in his life. Once, it was on the very tip of his tongue to confess everything, apologize, and take himself off. But his curiosity was of greater weight than his desire. He remained silent and waited for her to speak.

"Celeste, you may leave us," said Miss Annesley.

Celeste courtesied, shot a killing glance at the tentative groom, and departed the scene.

"You have driven horses for some length of time?" the girl began.

If he might only look as calmly and fearlessly at her! What a voice, now that he heard it in its normal tone! "Yes, Madam; I have ridden and driven something like ten years."

"Where?"

"In the west, mostly."

"You are English?"

"No; Madam." He wondered how much she had heard at the police-court that morning. "I am American born."

"Are you addicted to the use of intoxicants?"—mentally noting the clearness of the whites of his eyes.

The barest flicker of a smile stirred his lips.

"No, Madam. I had not been drinking last night—that is, not in the sense the officers declared I had. It is true that I take a drink once in a while, when I have been riding or driving all day, or when I am cold. I have absolutely no appetite."

She brushed her cheeks with the poppies, and for a brief second the flowers threw a most beautiful color over her face and neck.

"What was your object in climbing on the box of my carriage and running away with it?"

Quick as a flash of light he conceived his answer. "Madam, it was a jest between me and some maids." He had almost said serving-maids, but the thought of Nancy checked his libel.

"Between you and some maids?"—faintly contemptuous. "Explain, for I believe an explanation is due me."

His gaze was forced to rove again. "Well, Madam it is truly embarrassing. Two maids were to enter a carriage and I was to drive them away from the embassy and once I had them in the carriage I thought it would be an admirable chance to play them a trick."

"Pray since when have serving-maids been allowed exit from the main hall of the British embassy?"

Mr. Robert was positive that the shadow of a sarcastic smile rested for a moment on her lips. But it was instantly hidden under the poppies.

"That is something of which I have no intimate knowledge. A groom is not supposed to turn his head on the box unless spoken to. You will readily understand that, Madam. I made a mistake in the number. Mine was 71, and I answered number 17. I was confused.

"I dare say. Seventy-one," she mused. "It will be easy to verify this, to find out whose carriage that was."

Mr. Robert recognized his mistake, but he saw no way to rectify it. She stood silently gazing over his shoulder, into the fields beyond.

"Perhaps you can explain to me that remarkable episode at the carriage door? I should be pleased to hear your explanation."

It had come,—the very thing he had dreaded had come. He had hoped that she would ignore it. "Madam, I can see that you have sent for me out of curiosity only. If I offered any disrespect to you last night, I pray you to forgive me. For, on my word of honor, it was innocently done." He bowed, and placed his hand on the knob of the door.

"Have a little patience. I prefer myself to forget that disagreeable incident." The truth is, "on my word of honor," coming from a groom, sounded strange in her ears; and she wanted to learn more about this fellow. "Mr Osborne what were you before you became a groom?"

"I have not always been a groom, it is true, Madam. My past I prefer to

"IS YOUR NAME OSBORNE?"

leave in obscurity. There is nothing in that past, however, of which I need be ashamed;"—and unconsciously his figure become more erect.

"Is your name Osborne?"

"No, Madam, it is not. For my family's sake, I have tried to forget my own name." (I'll wager the rascal never felt a qualm in the region of his conscience.)

It was the truth which was not truth that won his battle.

"You were doubtless discharged last night?"

"I did not return to ascertain, madam, I merely sent for my belongings."

"You have recommendations?"—presently.

"I have no recommendations whatever, Madam. If you employ me, it must be done on your own responsibility and trust in human nature. I can only say, Madam, that I am honest, that I am willing, that I possess a thorough knowledge of horse-flesh."

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The armory was crowded at both meetings, and enough persons were turned away to swell five overflow meetings in neighboring churches, and the Bijou Theatre. An aggregate of about 12,000 persons listened to the two evangelists in the armory alone. It was estimated that 20,000 or more attended the entire seven meetings which were connected with the mission.

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Camden, Feb. 13.—Four thousand pounds, the weight of a loaded coal wagon, passed over the chest of Charles Hill Thursday, but he was not hurt. The team Hill was driving ran away and he fell so that both front and back wheels passed over him. Those who witnessed the accident thought the life had been crushed out of Hill until they saw him run after the horses and thrash them for the mishap. He was later persuaded to go to the Cooper Hospital, where the physicians said there was no evidence that he had been injured.

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Time Table Corrected to Feb. 2, 1906.

For New York—2.17 2.37, 5.36, 6.02, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.28 7.48, 7.55, 8.02, 8.11, 8.30, 8.36, 8.46, 9.34, 9.59, 10.26, 11.00 a. m., 12.09, 12.44, 1.18, 2.31, 2.42, 2.49, 3.44, 4.12, 4.47, 5.42, 6.53, 6.29, 6.43, 7.06, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40, 10.17, 11.28 p. m. Sunday—2.17, 3.37, 5.05, 7.41, 8.01, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.00 m., 12.58, 1.45 2.40, 3.17, 3.30, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.72, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Newark—5.25 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.48, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.34, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.33, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 3.17, 3.36, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.32, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.33, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Flemington—7.12, 11.00 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.19 p. m. Sundays—8.42 a. m., 5.37 p. m.

For Phillipsburg and Easton—5.25, 8.21, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.41 p. m. Sunday—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

For Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.25, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

For Wilkesbarre and Scranton—5.25, 9.54 a. m., 5.48 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03 p. m.

For Long Branch and Ocean Grove, etc.—8.11, 11.00 a. m., 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 6.22, 11.23 p. m. Sunday (except Ocean Grove)—8.52 a. m., 3.30, 8.13 p. m.

For Red Bank—8.11, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 3.44, 4.47, 5.42, 11.23 p. m. Sundays—8.52 a. m., 3.30, 8.13 p. m.

For Lakewood and Atlantic City—(8.11 Lakewood only), 9.27 a. m., 1.18, 2.49, (9.44 p. m., Lakewood only). Sundays—8.52 a. m.

For Toms River and Barnegat—8.11 a. m., 1.18, 3.44 p. m. Sundays—8.52 a. m.

For Philadelphia—5.17, 7.11, 7.44, 8.51, 9.39, 10.44, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 12.42, 1.39, 2.45, 3.42, 6.45, 7.46, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.17 night. Sunday—5.17, 10.39, 10.44, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 2.45, 3.42, 4.55, 5.39, 6.45, 7.46, 9.46 p. m., 11.25, 1.17 night.

For Trenton—5.17, 7.44, 8.50, 9.46, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.46, 3.42, 6.45, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.71 night. Sunday—5.17, 9.53, 10.39, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 3.42, 4.55, 6.45, 9.46, 11.25 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Reading and Harrisburg—5.17, 5.25, 8.38, 9.54, (10.44, 11.44 Reading only), a. m., 2.11, (5.48, through train), 1.17 night. Sundays—5.17 a. m., 2.08, 5.37, 6.35 p. m., 1.17 night.

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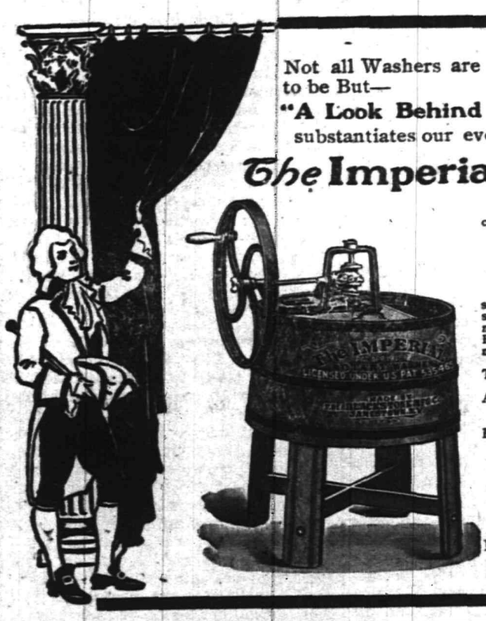

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SOMERVILLE HEBREWS TO BUILD SYNAGOGUE

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The orthodox Hebrews of Somerville are arrranging for a fair to be given in the near future. The proceeds will be used for the building of a synagogue. There are about fifty Jewish families in the town. At present they are holding their religious meetings in Germania Hall. It is understood considerable money has already been contributed for the church building, but the leaders of the Jews are unable to find a lot suitably situated for a building site for their church. Every synagogue must be built in such a way that the altar will be in the eastern end of the building, so that when the congregation worship they will stand with face turned toward the east.

There are no building lots obtainable in town that would serve their purpose and it may be the Jewish Society will buy a large plot of land near Somerville on which the synagogue will be built with streets and a park around it. Nothing definite has been done in regard to the matter as yet. Benjamin Shapiro, Nathan Weill, Herman Klein and others have the matter in hand.

ANOTHER FOWLER BILL FAVORABLY REPORTED.

House Banking Committee Will Report This One—Jersey Petitions Are Frequent.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The Committee on Banking and Currency, of which Congressman Fowler is chairman, has ordered a favorable report on Mr. Fowler's bill to provide for the verification of papers by national banking associations. The report, as filed by the committee, consists principally of a letter from Acting Comptroller Kane, written in response to a request for an expert opinion as to the merits of the bill. After showing the defects of the present law, Mr. Kane says:

While the act of February 26, 1881, Chapter 82, referred to in the case cited, has made the law safe as it relates to the verification of reports made to this office, the law is still defective in not providing for an officer to administer the oath of a director, required by Section 5,147 of the revised statutes of the United States. I believe it is better to have a general statute covering the whole subject of oaths, and therefore recommend the passage of the bill."

Congressman Van Winkle has introduced a bill to increase the pension of Eliza Davidson, widow of the late Maxwell Davidson, of Company M, Fifteenth New York Cavalry, to $30 a month.

Senator Dryden has received and filed a petition from sixty-six members of Vernon Valley Grange, No. 134, in which five distinct things are requested from Congress, as follows: For the passage of the Hepburn rate bill that has just passed the House; for legislation to enable the postmaster general to establish an experimental parcel post system; for the retention of the ten per cent. revenue tax on imitation butter colored in imitation of gennine butter; for the passage of the grange good roads bill, providing national aid for the improvement of the highways; and for untaxed alcohol for various farm purposes.

Senator Dryden has also filed a petition from the Germania Press of New York for legislation that will avoid a tariff conflict with Germany; and one from J. G. Brooks, of Atlantic Highlands, for the unseating of Senator Smoot.

Senator Kean has filed a set of resolutions adopted by the Cigarmakers' Local Union, No. 101, of Elizabeth, which are signed by twenty-five members, protesting against the final passage of the pending Philippine tariff reduction bill.

Senator Kean has also filed petitions for the unseating of Senator Smoot from H. J. Maria, John J. Bills and Edward P. Mayor, all of Atlantic Highlands.

Chas. Dana Gibson Pictures Free.

The New York World will publish a series of articles on pen and ink sketching as exemplified in the work of Charles Dana Gibson, the great American artist, and by special arrangement with Collier's Weekly has obtained a series of ten of Gibson's originals which illustrate best his versatile art. These etchings will be issued as a special art supplement to the Sunday World beginning next Sunday, February 18. They will be produced in a style never before attempted by any newspaper. They will be printed from copper plates on an "eggshell-finish" art paper in black line drawing on a cream buff background. Each picture will be on a separate sheet, ten by fifteen inches, just a convenient size for framing. One of the pictures will accompany each issue of the Sunday World for ten Sundays. Order a set of ten from your newsdealer. The Gibson Art Series is limited and advance order is necessary. The entire ten, with ten weeks' Sunday World, will be sent postage paid, on receipt of 75 cents. It will be more convenient, however, for you to purchase from a newsdealer if one is nearby.

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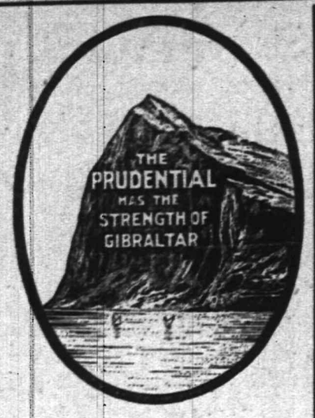

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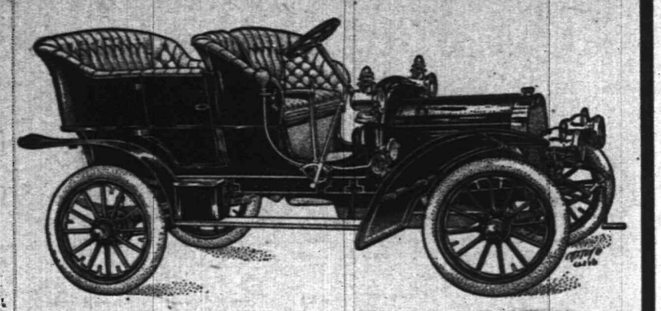

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SPORTS HERE AND THERE

DIAMOND DUST.

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VARIOUS SPORTS.

The Netherwood Field Club has been organized by some of the residents of that section. Grounds have been leased near Leland avenue and a clubhouse and tennis courts will be built at once. The officers for the first year are: President, H. C. Anderson; vice president, R. H. McCready; secretary-treasurer, S. K. Campbell.

STATE PAID HOMAGE TO LINCOLN'S MEMORY.

Silenced Halls at State House Part of Martyr's Natal Day Observance.

Flying from the head of the staff atop of the gilded dome of the Capitol at Trenton yesterday the star spangled banned fluttered a proclamation that the State of New Jersey was honoring the birthday of the immortal Lincoln. In observance of the holiday the business of state was entirely suspended and all the offices in the Capitol were closed.

Governor Stokes went to his home in Millville, Saturday, and remained over Sunday. In honor of the memory of Lincoln he remained at home until yesterday noon, when he went to Trenton. Governor Stokes has become noted as one of the busiest of all the Jersey chief executives and never remains from his desk very long at a time.

Silence in the legislative halls last evening proclaimed that the lawmakers were also honoring the natal day of the martyred president. Both houses of the Legislature will meet this morning and transact the business which was laid aside last night because of the holiday.

Though the State offices were closed yesterday the corridors of the museum and other places of public interest in the building were kept open, and John Connell, the Capitol foreman, was on hand all day to show people about.

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Elizabeth, Feb. 13.—The entire issue of stock for the New York and Philadelphia Electric Railroad Company has been purchased by the firm of A. N. Chandler & Co. ,bankers, of 111 Broadway, New York city. The bond issue is said to be somewhere in the neighborhood of $1,500,000. This money is now being expended by the electric company in the construction of a fast trolley line from Jersey City to Milltown, running through Newark, Elizabeth, Rahway and skirting Metuchen, crossing the Raritan river and on to Trenton and Philadelphia over tracks now owned by the company over which trolley cars have been in operation for five years.

Local people have been asked to purchase some of this stock. The line is separate and distinct from the project of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which is building a fast freight line from Philadelphia to Waverly, but it is believed that behind the purchase of the stock from the Philadelphia and New York Electric Railway Company, the Pennsylvania Railroad is entrenched, and that it is the giant railroad company which is furthering this project.

The trains, according to the illustrations in the circular, are composed of two cars, similar to the smaller size railway passenger coaches, hitched together. They are equipped for third rail service evidently, for no trolley pole is visible.

The Trenton and New Brunswick Fast Line Company has been bought up by this firm of A. N. Chandler, and the fact that work has been in progress in acquiring lands and surveying routes, between here and Milltown, indicates that active work of laying rails will be begun by spring.

The circular in part reads as follows: "The possibilities of local traffic are unlimited. It has been demonstrated by scores of small roads that electric transit for short distances is a serious competitor to steam roads. Freight possibilities of the future have not been included in the traffic estimate. In the transportation of express matter and mail the New York and Philadelphia Railway will begin at once to compete with the steam roads. Low rates, with rapid and frequent service, insures an express business of incalculable magnitude."

CENSURE RAILROAD COMPANY.

Coroner's Jurors Hold It Responsible for Fatal Accident at Hewitt.

Light rails, a heavy locomotive and ties in poor condition were assigned as the causes of a fatal accident at Hewitt, on the Greenwood Lake Railroad, a few days ago, when a locomotive toppel down a thirty foot embankment and Charles Captain, its driver, was roasted to death.

Coroner Wheeler conducted an official inquiry in Roomes' Hotel, Paterson, yesterday afternoon, and the jury censured the company. The company discharged the fireman, conductor and four brakemen and put in as a defense an assertion that they were responsible for the accident. One witness, however, declared that the ties were so rotten that he could pull them and the rails up with his hands.

Women Plan to Save Girls.

Jersey City, Feb. 13.—Charitably inclined women of this city and this section of Hudson county are stirred up against the resort known as "Little Coney Island," and will make strenuous efforts to have girls still in their teens kept out of there. Mrs. Caroline B. Alexander, of Hoboken, is at the head of the movement.

BILL TO FAVOR STEVENS INSTITUTE

IF IT BECOMES LAW HOBOKEN INSTITUTION WILL BE $45,000 RICHER.

Washington, Feb. 13.—There is now a strong probability that the Stevens Institute of Technology of Hoboken will be richer by $45,000 and some odd hundreds, because of special legislation, for which a bill was recently introduced by Senator Dryden. The claim of the institute is for the $45,000 collected by the government as inheritance tax on the legacy left the institution by Mr. Stevens, together with interest on the same for nearly thirty years.

Secretary Shaw has reported in favor of refunding the principal of the amount claimed, but not in favor of the interest thereon, on the ground that the government cannot be expected to pay interest on any claim unless it was illegally collected. As the law under which the money was collected was soon after repealed, the Secretary believes the bill should be passed. The amount of interest claimed by the institute is nearly $100,000, or considerably more than twice as much as the original claim.

Senator Dryden has received from Mrs. Garret W. Van Cluff, of Millstone, Somerset county, a strong plea for Congressional action in helping her to collect a number of bonds of Santa Fe County, New Mexico Territory. "These bonds," writes Mrs. Van Cluff, "were left to me by my father, Rev. James Bolton, who died some months ago, and comprise the most of his property. He bought them in 1884, in good faith, believing them to be a good investment and a source of income in his declining years, and also as a start in life for his children. He was much deceived, however, for he was never able to collect any interest, so far as I know. The money derived from the sale of the bonds was used by the county in building railroads.

"Similar bonds issued by Arizona was made valid by Congress a few years ago, and I now ask for the same action by Congress regarding the New Mexico bonds." Mrs. Van Cluff suggests that some provision validating the said bonds shall be incorporated in the Statehood bill before New Mexico is made a State.

RUINED BY BANK, SHOOTS HIMSELF.

Joseph Hastings, of Allegheny, Dead in Sanitarium.

Summit, N. J., Feb. 13.—The failure of the Enterprise National Bank of Allegheny, Pa., has dragged down another life in its wreck. T. Lee Clark, the cashier of the institution, committed suicide directly after its failure and now his partner in many of his business enterprises has followed Clark's way out of the world.

Joseph Hastings, of Allegheny, who was ruined by the failure of the bank, shot himself in the right temple on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in a sanitarium in this place. His attendant was just outside his bedroom door at the time, and where Hastings could have got the revolver is a mystery.

Corporation Deadwood.

Trenton, Feb. 13.—Preparations are being made by Governor Stokes for issuing his annual proclamation advertising the corporations, the charters of which have been revoked for non-payment of State taxes for two years. The number to be advertised this year is 1,398, against 1,392 last year. The default of this large number of corporations in the paying of taxes is not regarded as "particularly significant." Most of the companies are minor concerns which have outlived their usefulness to their promoters. Some of them never got beyond the "paper" stage. The law provides that such companies as have defaulted may recover their charters by application to the State authorities by paying the arrears. A number of companies take advantage of this provision each year.

Honeyman Party Off.

The Honeyman party, including Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sandford, Miss Sandford, Mrs. Emma F. Ege and A. V. D. Honeyman, together with six other persons from out-of-town, left yesterday over the Pennsylvania Railroad for San Francisco, from which place they will sail by the Japanese Line for Japan, stopping en route at Honolulu for a day. The party expects to be away three and a half months.

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WINE MADE BY NEWARK ANCESTOR OF LONGWORTH FOR WHITE HOUSE WEDDING

Cleveland, Feb. 13.—The wine in which the toasts will be drunk at the Longworth-Roosevelt wedding breakfast is the gift of a Cleveland man, W. H. Loanrd. One hundred years ago the grapes from which this wine was pressed grew in the vineyard of Nicholas Longworth, the great-grandfather of the Congressman. The site of the vineyard is at present in the heart of Cincinnati. For sixty years the wine lay in the cellar of the man who made it. Then, with many other bottles of the same vintage, it was brought out for the golden wedding anniversary of its maker. William Leonard, father of W. H. Leonard, was one of the guests at this celebration. To him were given three bottles of the precious wine. Only one remained to round out its century, and it is in this one that the health of the future Mrs. Longworth will be drunk. This wine was sent to Washington last Monday. Mr. Leonard received a letter from Mr. Longworth on Saturday thanking him for the gift and assuring him that the wine would grace the wedding breakfast.

Nicholas Longworth, great-grandfather of the fiance of Miss Alice Roosevelt, introduced the Catawba grape into Ohio after emigrating from Newark, where he was born in 1783. He went to Cincinnati in 1804. The Catawba grape led to the foundation of the Longworth wine distilleries in Ohio that assisted greatly in laying the foundation of the Longworth family fortune. Nicholas Longworth, when he died, left an estate valued at $10,000,000. He was at the time of his death the wealthiest man in Ohio. The old Longworth mansion in Newark, at High and Longworth streets, was torn down a few weeks ago. Catherine Longworth, a sister of the first Nicholas Longworth, resided there for many years, and there her brother often came from the West to visit her. There is a number of relatives of the Longworths in this city among the old Newark families.

PERSONAL.

Miss Edith M. Vogel, of New York, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Jerome Leary, of Park avenue.

Miss Florence Wilson, of East Sixth street, is ill with pneumonia. The attack is a light one.

Allen Shepherd, of Jersey City, spent Sunday and Monday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shepherd, of Park avenue.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, of Boston, the distinguished mother of Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of Madison avenue, is one of the patronesses with Mrs. Ole Bull, of a ball to be given in Boston for the benefit of the South Bay Kindergarten.

Miss Genevieve Pack and John Fowler Trow, Jr., of New York, spent Sunday as the guests of H. M. Slawson, of East Ninth street. They are to be married in the spring and will probably locate in Netherwood. Mr. Trow is the grandson of the founder of the Trow directories, New York.

Find Diamonds in Sewer.

New Brunswick, Feb. 13.—A pair of $900 diamond earrings, belonging to Mrs. James Deshler, wife of the president of the New Brunswick Trust Company, were located in a sewer on Saturday. The diamonds were in a glass containing alcohol in Mrs. Deshler's room, where she was cleaning them. Her three-year-old grandchild emptied the glass into a wash basin in order to use the glass for drinking water. The diamonds were missed immediately and a plumber was notified. One diamond was found in the sewer where the house connection was made and the other a block below the house.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The choir of Grace church will hold a valentine party in the parish house on Thursday night.

Rev. Dr. Hunter Corbett, of China, will give a missionary address at the weekly prayer meeting in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tomorrow night.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Crescent Company, No. 13, U. R. K. of P., will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday evening in Company K's armory. The general inspection will take place and officers will be installed.

Charged with Robbing Poorboxes.

Elizabeth, Feb. 13.—James and John Quigley were arrested Sunday on a charge of robbing the poorboxes in St. Patrick's church. They effected an entrance the night before, it is said, and after plundering the boxes of their contents remained in the church all night, where they were discovered by one of the sisters of charity, who went there to perform her daily devotions. She notified a policeman, who took the youths into custody. They had with them in the church two bottles of milk. They were arraigned yesterday in police court and held to await the Grand Jury's action.

Miss Hapney Gets Gold Watch.

Miss Lizzie Hapney was presented with a gold watch at the band concert fair last night. She collected $53.10.

—Mrs. William Moore, who suffered a paralytic stroke Sunday, is still unconscious.

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THE WEATHER
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PETITION TO THE LEGISLATURE FROM AUTOISTS

Plainfield Drivers Complete Organization and Formulate Protest Against Bills.

AGAINST RECKLESSNESS

Favor Laws to Check Discreditable Automobile Users—Object to Being Arraigned Before Justices.

The automobilists, drawn together by their opposition to the Frelinghuysen and Jackson bills, completed their organization last night. The temporary officers were made permanent and a constitution and by-laws were adopted.

A petition to the Legislature against the proposed legislation was presente dto the members. It expresented to the members. It exautomobilist, and favored laws curbing him. Objection is made to the taxation of autos, as proposed, and to arrest without warrant. It is contended that the autoist should not be haled for speed violation before any judge lower than the Common Pleas.

The body of the petition reads as follows:

"The undersigned, being citizens of the State of New Jersey, residing in or near Plainfield, and owning or accustomed to drive automobiles, or motor vehicles, respectfully set forth:

"We are not opposed to any reasonable legislation upon the subject of the use of public roads by vehicles of any kind.

"We realize that every new type of vehicle, every new motive power and every new means of locomotion meets with opposition, and must overcome much prejudice before it wins popular favor and is accepted upon its merits.

"We contend that the highways of the State are public property and are intended for the common use of all our citizens, and we admit that in their use, the duty is imposed upon every citizen, no matter what the character of his vehicle, to so use his own as not to injure his neighbor.

"We realize, too, that there are among drivers of automobiles, just as there are among drivers of other vehicles, a certain percentage of incompetent and reckless persons. The number of these persons compared with the total number of drivers is very small. This fact is not generally recognized, and, in the estimation of the public, the sins of the few are too often visited upon the many who are innocent.

"We ourselves are strongly opposed to the use of the roads by the reckless and incompetent driver, who brings discredit upon us as a class; and are willing to advocate any reasonable legislation that will bar him from the road.

"We believe that this can be accomplished, and if so, it certainly should be accomplished without the adoption of any drastic legislation which would unreasonably restrict or unjustly burden us as a class.

"We are satisfied that if the present law on the subject be so amended that no person be permitted to operate a car upon the road unless he has a license, properly granted, and that for reckless driving that license shall be revoked, the problem will be solved.

"We contend that the license fee should be a reasonable and fixed amount and should not be imposed for the purpose of revenue.

"We object to the taxation of automobiles, except under the same general laws and uniform rules which may be applied to other vehicles. We contend that if one class of vehicles is to be taxed upon the basis of the wear and tear it occasions to the streets, then every other class of vehicles must be taxed upon the same basis.

"We are willing to pay our share of the taxes, but we confidently assert that automobilists, as a class, pay already as full a share as any other class, whether it be toward repair or building of roads, or toward any other object of public expenditure.

"We strenuously object to the application of criminal procedure to cases of violation of the speed law. We object to arrest without warrant, and to summary procedure before any justice of the peace, and we contend that cases of violations of speed laws should be within the jurisdiction of no court inferior to the Court of Common Pleas."

The organization will be called the Union County Automobile Association. Its objects, as named in the constitution, are the encouragement of just laws regulating the use of vehicles, the discouragement of radical

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MAYOR N. B. SMALLEY TO BE TOASTMASTER

BOROUGH'S EXECUTIVE GIVEN PLACE OF HONOR AT THE AMERICAN BANQUET

Arrangements are rapidly being completed for the "Juniors' American banquet," to be given at the Casino on Thursday night, March 1. The committee has secured the consent of Mayor Newton B. Smlaley to act as *toastmaster for the occasion.* His Honor is a member of Benevolent Council, and he is very enthusiastic about the proposed banquet, at which time Senator Everett Colby will be one of the speakers.

Efforts are being made to secure Governor Stokes as a speaker, and it is said that he has assured the committee that if legislative matters do not interfere he will attend. Among other speakers will be the State councilor, vice-councilor and other State *officers, including J. Morgan Reed.* Within the coming week the committee will have its programme completed and ready for announcement.

The response for tickets has been large, especially from those outside of the order. About fifty per cent. of the tickets have been reserved for those not members, it being the wish to give others the privilege of attending.

CHURCH WOMEN HOLD A VALENTINE SUPPER

CHICKEN AND HEARTS FIGURE IN A DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR.

Chicken and sentiment were successfully blended at the Monroe Avenue church last night. The Ladies' Aid Society held a chicken supper in an atmosphere very much of St. Valentine's Day. Red hearts figured everywhere in the decorations—on the tables and walls.

The supper was a great success. The attendance was large and the menu was perfect.

The tables were presided over by Mrs. Edgar Beekman, Mrs. W. S. Decker, Mrs. T. Tovall, Mrs. Walter Manning, Mrs. John Daub, Mrs. John Praed, Miss Carrie Brouwer, Mrs. J. C. Pierson and Mrs. Charles Van Pelt. The waitresses were Miss Minnie Gunzelman, Miss Olive Klein, Miss Agnes Brown, Miss Florence Brown, Miss Marion Pierson, Miss Ruth Thompson, Miss May Matthews, Miss Anna Matthews, Miss Stella Rink and Miss Avis Aldrich.

Music was a feature of the evening. A delightful programme was played by an instrumental quintette made up of Miss Charlotte Aldrich, piano; Herbert Smith, Charles Heaune, Sadie Breuwer and Arthur Mosher, violin.

Mrs. Fred Wenzel, president of the society, was in general charge. The reception committee was composed of Mrs. Nicholas Brouard, Mrs. George Mooney and Mrs. J. S. Higham. The kitchen staff was made up of Mrs. H. C. Thompson, Mrs. LaRue, Mrs. William Gunzelman, Mrs. J. D. Brown, Miss Mary Brouwer and Mrs. Carrie Waldron. The candy table was presided over by Miss Carrie Brouwer and Miss Sadie Brouwer. John Daub was cashier.

PLEASED CAPACITY HOUSE.

"Mayor of Tokio" Makes Bigger Hit Than at First Local Performance.

"The Mayor of Tokio" has a host of admirers in this city. The fact was demonstrated at the New Plainfield theatre last night, when the refreshing Japanese play was given its second local presentation. Not a seat could be had after the doors opened and every bit of permissible standing room was sold.

Richard Carle, Emma Janvier, "the wardrobe mistress," and "Rusty," the song book boy, again made big hits and kept the audience laughing continuously. Miss Janvier's work is one of the drollest bits of character acting ever seen on the local stage, and is bright and unusual. The chorus has been improved since the show was here last November and the production in other ways was highly satisfactory.

Dr. Chambliss on London.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss will give an illustrated lecture on Tuesday night, February 20, at the First Baptist church. The subject will be "Here and There in London," and the lecture will be given under the auspices of the Young Women's Missionary Society.

A Trojan Drunk.

Joseph Troy was arrested yesterday by Patrolman Overbaugh for drunkenness and disorder. Sentence was suspended by Judge Runyon this morning.

COPS ARE POORLY PAID

Somerville's Town Commissioners Petitioned to Increase Policeman's Pay.

WANT $60 A MONTH

Hitch Over Legality of Raising Pay Without Vote of the People—Referred to Committee.

The Somerville town commissioners have been presented with a monster petition, signed by the leading residents of the town, asking for an increase in the pay of the members of *the Somerville police force from $50* to $60 a month. Clarence E. Case, of the law firm of Clark & Case, presented the petition in behalf of the police. He said the petition had been signed by the heaviest taxpayers of the town.

In addressing the board, Mr. Case said that the town was the best protected in the State. Not a store or business house in the town had been robbed in ten years and no burglaries of any consequence had been committed in private residences for more than a year. The Somerville policemen, he said, worked twelve hours every day for wages below those of a day laborer who toils on the streets.

The oldest policeman on the force, who had served the town faithfully for twelve years, receives only $50 a month, while the members of the police forces of the neighboring towns of New Brunswick and Plainfield received $57 and $85 a month, respectively.

Mr. Case recalled the tragic death of Policeman Manning T. Erow, who was killed by burglars in the performance of his duty several years ago. Erow's family was left in want, owing to the fact that the peculiar form of government of the town made it illegal for the town commissioners to appropriate *money for the policeman's* funeral expenses or the aid of his family.

The commissioners expressed themselves as heartily in accord with the movement to increase the salary of the policemen, but it was the opinion of the majority of the board that the law under which the town is governed prohibited the body from exceeding the annual police appropriation for the year, which had already been made, and that it would be necessary to leave the matter of increasing the salary of the policemen to the vote of the people at the annual town meeting to be held next May.

Commissioner Charles Houston dissented from this opinion. He said he had recently been informed by Vice-Chancellor Bergen, who was formerly president of the Board of Town Commissioners, that the commissioners had the power to fix its appropriations and expenditures independently of the vote of the townspeople. The matter was referred to the police committee for investigation of the power of the board.

CONDITIONS BAR FIVE FROM P. H. S. ATHLETICS.

Mr. Travell Makes it Plain that Deficient Pupils Can't Play Ball.

Baseball affairs at the Plainfield *High School are looking rather dubious at present.* Some of the best players selected for the team may not be able to take part in this season's schedule unless they get busy in their studies. Five members of the team are now under conditions which they will have to work off before they will be allowed to participate, not only in baseball, but in any other athletic event under the P. H. S. colors.

Yesterday morning at chapel exercises Principal Travell sounded a note of warning to the pupils of the school who have athletic ambitions. Recently one or two boys have just been able to play basketball owing to study conditions, and as they have shown no improvement, they may yet be barred. During recess yesterday some of the boys held a conference and decided that something must be done at once to work off the conditions or the chances for a representative baseball team would be very poor.

To Attend School Dedication.

The committee which is arranging the reception to be given in connection with the opening of the Plainfield High School, Washington's Birthday, has received word that Mrs. James C. Shelland, of Morris, Minn., will be among the attendants. Mrs. Shelland was formerly Miss Julia Bulkley and preceded Dr. Maxson as superintendent of the Plainfield schools. She will make the trip East especially for the dedication and will return home after spending a few days with local friends.

—Delicious Vermont maple syrup is one of the special offerings at Neuman Brothers'. The quality was never better than that of consignments just received.

WILL PETITION COUNCIL

Men of the Monroe Avenue Church Are Firmly Against Goff.

FAVOR SALOON ZONE

Opposed to Repeal of Tyler Ordinance—Against Having Any Licensee at Goff Place on West Front Street.

Unwavering opposition to John Goff's application for a license was voiced by the men of the Monroe Avenue church last night. They held a meeting on the subject, and as strong a stand against Goff was taken as in the original crusade, in which the Monroe Avenue church took a leading part.

Warm approval of the saloon zone ordinance was expressed. The church men will battle strongly to keep that ordiance on the books.

The meeting was well attended. Rev. George Mooney, the pastor, presided over it, and N. Mansfield Smith was secretary. It was voted to present a petition to the Common Council, at the license meeting, February 23, praying that Goff's application be denied, and that the saloon zone ordinance be kept upon the books. Emphasis will be laid upon the point that the church men are opposed to any saloon in the neighborhood. They are against giving a license to Goff or any other man. A committee of five was named to draft the petition. The committee is composed of Samuel Beekman, E. H. Beekman, F. R. Phillips, Blanchard Randolph and N. Mansfield Smith.

COURT TO SENTENCE GOFF ON WEDNESDAY

GENERALLY BELIEVED HE WILL BE HEAVILY PUNISHED.

Remaining out less than an hour, the jury in the John Goff disorderly house case, returned at 3:48 yesterday afternoon with a verdict of guilty as charged but with a recommendation for mercy. The jury's report was received by Judge Vail and he announced that sentence would be pronounced next Wednesday.

The verdict was no surprise to the Plainfielders at court and the opinion prevails that a heavy penalty will be imposed. Goff's defense, as stated yesterday, was that his place was headquarters for the West End Pinochle Social Club and that in serving drinks to them he only acted as steward.

Another Church Petition.

A petition against granting a license to John J. Goff, or to anyone else in that neighborhood, and against the repeal of the liquor zone ordinance, will be presented by the men of the Monroe Avenue church to the Common Council. The step was decided upon at a meeting held in the Epworth House of the church last night, and a committee of five—Samuel Beekman, E. H. Beekman, F. R. Phillips, Blanchard Randolph and N. Mansfield Smith—was appointed to draft the petition. The Monroe Avenue church took a leading part in the original crusade against Goff. Rev. George Mooney, the pastor, was chairman of the meeting. N. M. Smith was secretary.

"The Little Gray Lady" Coming.

Channing Pollock's dainty play, "The Little Gray Lady," has been secured by Manager Counihan for next Monday night at the New Plainfield theatre. It opened at the Garrick theatre, New York, several months ago and scored a big success, but owing to bookings could not remain. It was transferred to the Majestic, where it is now drawing crowded houses, and comes direct from there to this city. The play deals with life among Government employes in Washington, and treats the subject from an entirely new standpoint.

Veteran Carpenter Dead.

William J. Pearson, fifty-five years old, a former Plainfielder, died at the Alexian Brothers' Hospital, Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. He was well known in this city and the borough as the senior partner of the old carpentering firm of Pearson & Gale. The body has been brought to the home of his son, William Pearson, 930 West Third street. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 3 o'clock. The dead man is survived by one son and two daughters.

Whist Party.

Mrs. F. M. VanEmburgh, of Westerveit avenue, entertained a whist circle at her home last night. Gilbert Fletcher won the gentleman's prize and Mrs. Samuel Hollingsworth got the ladies'. Refreshments were served.

SENATE LEADERS CLASH

Hillery Attacks Statements Made By Colby at Public Meeting.

A SHARP ENCOUNTER

"Never Felt That You Were Absolutely Free," Says Essex Man to His Morris Colleague.

A sensation was created in the Senate yesterday when Senator Hillery, of Morris county, arose to a question of personal privilege.

When asked by President Bradley to state his point, Mr. Hillery said:

"The question is whether or not the Senator from Essex (Mr. Colby) is correctly quoted in two certain articles that appear in the newspapers of February 7. I will read the two articles which refer to me, and ask the Senator from Essex to either affirm of deny the truth of the statement. In the Newark News of February 7, 1906, there is the statement: "It was the idea of starting the Colby movement here that the Essex Senator accepted the invitation to visit Morristown and so impressed were the men that arrangements are being made to have Mr. Colby address a public meeting. He told them that he wanted to see Morris county represented in the Legislature by men who had the courage of their convictions and not representatives who bowed to the will of a political boss.'

"That is from the Newark News. I ask the Senator if the statment is correct?"

"No. I made not such statement," said Mr. Colby.

"That is sufficient, Senator," said Mr. Hillery.

"I should like to be heard," Mr. Colby said.

"I have another article," Mr. Hillery resumed. "The other is from the New York Herald, of the same date. The latter end of the article. the one which refers to me, says this: 'He spoke in high terms of Senator Hillery, who, he said, was honest in his actions ,but lacked a strong backbone.' I ask the Senator if he is correctly quoted in this newspaper article?"

"I don't know how to answer that," said Mr. Colby. "I would be glad to recall anything that in the least way reflected upon the integrity of the Senator from Morris. In fact, all through my campaign last summer I cited the Senator from Morris as one of the men in this Legislature of whom the people should be honestly proud. I have suggested, and I repeat it, and I shall say it whenever I please, that I propose as far as possible in every town in this State to have ben represent their constituents who are absolutely free in their intelligence from the dictation of the party boss."

"Then," said Mr. Hillery, "you affirm the truth of the statement here?"

"Yes," said Mr. Colby, "I do—not the truth, but I say that it is my opinion, if the Senator from Morris wants my opinion. I made a statement that I never felt that you were absolutely free in your own intelligence and brains and mind."

Senator Hillery, in defending himself, said in part:

"As to the accusation that I bow to the will of a political boss, Mr. President, that is not true. If the Senator from Essex feels that there is a man in the county of Morris, that there is a man in the State House at Trenton, no matter what his political career, no matter what his political prestige and power, who can suggest or advise me against my will and against my convictions he is wrong.

"I know no boss. We have no bosses in Morris county. If there was a boss in Morris county, Mr. President, I would be the first to raise my voice against him."

Senator Colby, in replying, said he was sorry the incident had occurred. He claimed he had never suggested the Senator from Morris was dominated by a boss or that he did not have a backbone. Then the Senator concluded:

"But I indict him with the rest, Mr. President, on the ground that he does not any more than a great many of his fellow members approach all problems and all difficulties and all intricate questions which we must face here, absolutely and solely on the merits and according to the way his own mind and brain plays about that subject. That is what I say. If I have said one sinble thing against the gentleman's character or against him as a gentleman I would gladly, openly, willingly apologize on the floor ofthis Senate; but, gentlemen, I have only expressed my personal view as to the condition with which I believe him with the rest are subject."

Plainfielder Fined.

Henry James, the Plainfielder who fell in the borough police dragnet, was given his preference of $5 or ten days last night. He took the former.

TO BE NO CHANGE IN P. S. C. MANAGEMENT

OFFICIALS OF CORPORATION SAY NOTHING OF KIND IS NOW CONTEMPLATED.

It is denied by Public Service Corporation officials that there is to be any change in the management of the company under the new combination of interests which is expected to take command shortly. Dr. Leslie D. Ward yesterday *told* a reporter that nothing of this sort was contemplated. "The present officers," he said, "will retain their positions." Continuing, Mr. Ward said:

"There have been consultations and meetings, but they have only been preliminary and nothing definite as to details has been agreed upon as yet. Such a thing as a slip is possible, but the probabilities are that the scheme will go through and everything be perfected in about four weeks, five weeks at the longest.

"If anything does come from these negotiations it will be a great thing for these underlying securities of $225,000,000. It will give them a market so that anybody wishing to sell can get their value. If we can get a wider market it will mean a great deal for our city, county and State. Our securities are absolutely giltedged, but there is not enough loose capital to take care of them when they might be offered. With the introduction of this new capital we can develop the property more rapidly than we could be financiering it year by year."

GALBRAITH ON TRIAL FOR HEINOUS CRIME

FIRST OF THE FIVE ACCUSED PLAINFIELDERS TO FACE A JURY.

John Galbraith, the oldest of the five Plainfielders accused of serious offenses, was placed on trial before Judge Vail at Elizabeth yesterday afternoon. It was continued this morning and from present indications will occupy the attention of the court all day.

The proceedings are being conducted quietly and no one outside of witnesses and the necessary attendants are allowed in the room. Two of the girls were placed on the stand yesterday and gave damaging testimony. Another was thoroughly questioned today and her story made an impression on every one within hearing. It is possible that Chief Kiely and Father Bogan may be called as witnesses this afternoon.

Galbraith is being defended by Walter L. Hetfield, Sr., while the State's case is being handled by Assistant Prosecutor John K. English. The defendant is over seventy years old.

OLD GRADS OF P. H. S. WILL GATHER IN FORCE.

Reunion Washington's Birthday Night Promises Great Success.

The reunion of former High School students, principals and teachers, to be held at the new High School, Arlington avenue, on Washington's birthday night, promises to be a very great success. Many of the older graduates living out of town have signified their intention of returning to the city to renew old friendships on that occasion. It is hoped that Prof. George E. Vincent and Dr. Reese, president of Syracuse University, will be present.

All those who attended the High School in past years will be welcomed at the gathering; graduation is not essential to participation in the reunion. Former students who have not yet received tickets will be given them upon application to W. C. Hubbard, 111 West Fifth street.

His Bike Wasn't Stolen.

Officer Messler found a bicycle standing in front of P. B. Hodge's pharmacy shortly after 10 o'clock last night and gathered it in as a stray. Mr. Hodge claimed it this morning at headquarters. He thought it had been stolen.

Against Saloons.

Through Rev. W. W. Casselberry, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Dunellen is represented in the crusade of the churches in this vicinity for the passage of the local option bill. Mr. Casselberry appeared at the hearing in Trenton last week.

Another Concert.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra will give another popular concert on Monday evening, February 19, and will repeat it on February 20. E. C. Martin will be the soloist. A silver offering will be taken at the door.

TO DIVIDE COUNTY INTO ASSEMBLY DISTRICTS

Union County Republican Committee Plans to Distribute Legislative Offices Fairly.

A COMMITTEE NAMED

J. W. Murray, Jr., William Newcorn and J. F. Buckle Plainfield Members of Standing Committee.

At a regular meeting of the Union County Republican Committee held in the Dix building, Elizabeth, last night, the proposed legislation to elect Assemblymen in districts of the various counties, instead of from the county as a whole, was brought up an dthoroughly discussed. The subject was broached by Charles N. Codding, of Westfield, who stated that the matter is being considered in many parts of the State and that there is a favorable sentiment. He offered a suggestion that a committee of seven be appointed to take in hand a possible division of Union county and to report on the feeling of the voters. The plan has been in vogue in Pennsylvania for a number of years.

Vice-Chairman James C. Calvert, who occupied the chair in the absence of Chairman Smith, appointed the following for this purpose: Hamilton F. Kean, Union; Charles N. Codding, Westfield; Robert J. Kirkland, Elizabeth; S. Rusling Ryno, Rahway; Albert M. Jones, Summit. Mr. Smith and Mrs. Calvert will make up the seven.

The proposed amendment to the constitution, providing that before meetings of the committee at which candidates are to be endorsed for office, each member shall be notified in writing before the session was also taken up, but no definite action was taken.

The following standing committees for the year were appointed: Executive, Hamilton F. Kean, Robert J. Kirkland, John Farrell, William H. Lawrence, James White; finance, Robert J. Kirkland, H. S. Fullerton, John W. Murray, Jr., Henry Krouse and James F. Buckle; speakers and halls, Charles N. Codding, Joseph Kaufman, William Newcorn, W. B. Parrot and William F. Hall.

The meeting was attended by the greater number of the members from this city.

Day Nursery a Success.

The work at the King's Daughters' Day Nursery, 444 West Third street, continues to progress favorably. Last week there was a total of forty-five children provided for at the nursery and there were thirteen cared for one day. The committee in charge realizes that if the patronage increases at this rate it will be necessary to secure an assistant to the matron, Mrs. Bird. On Tuesday night, February 28, "The Pirates of Penzance" will be given at the New Plainfield theatre for the benefit of the nursery. Tickets will be put on sale at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Ice Cutting Ends.

The thaw checked ice cutting at Watchung yesterday afternoon. The Natural Ice Company's harvesters kept at it until their footing gave way beneath them, and succeeded in getting blocks enough to fill a third of the ice houses. An effort was made the night before to keep the men at work all night, but the harvesters refused to go on after 9 o'clock.

Mr. McCutchen Confirmed.

In executive session yesterday the Senate received from the Governor the appointment of Edward G. Roberts, of Newark, as a member of the State Board of Education, in place of ex-Mayor James M. Seymour. The appointments of S. St. John McCutcheon, of this city, James L. Hays, James B. Woodward and Francis Scott as members of the State Board of Education were confirmed.

He'll Sign the Pledge.

Joseph McGuirk, 47 Elm place, was arrested last night, on complaint of his wife, who charged him with raising a rumpus about the house. The patrol wagon carted McGuirk to the quiet of an unpadded cell. He promised to sign the pledge this morning, and Judge Runyon suspended sentence.

Reducing Parish House Debt.

The congregation of St. Stephen's church has reduced the indebtedness on its new parish house to $1,115. The total cost was $5,000. Contributions are constantly being received by the rector.

Mrs. Charles Ryder, of East Front street, is visiting at Greenwich, N. Y.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Under the auspices of the Epworth League, a valentine dime sociable was held at the home of Mrs. Firman Gise, last night. It was largely attended, and very successful. Refreshments were served.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a sewing circle at the home of Mrs. W. W. Casselberry Friday afternoon, working for home missions.

The P. S. C. has begun to send single end cars over the line. One passed through the borough and made the turn at the new loop yesterday.

Miss Mary Gregory, of Newark, and Mrs. Mattie Bunnell, of Irvington, have returned home after a stay with Mrs. A. A. Gray.

Rev. W. W. Casselberry preached in a Philadelphia church Sunday. It is reported that he is thinking of changing his charge.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a musical entertainment tomorrow night.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. A. A. Lake yesterday afternoon.

Miss Laura Van Artsdale, who is teaching in Long Branch, has been visiting her parents for several days.

The P. S. C. gas gang put a new trap in the manhole on Washington avenue yesterday.

John Backalow, who was arrested for drunkenness, was fined $3 by Judge Campbell.

A meeting for men only will be held at the Presbyterain church tomorrow night.

The Study Class held an interesting session at J. R. Campbell's house last night.

Miss Lulu Kern, of Bayonne, is visiting Miss Tilly Muller.

H. S. Garretson is on a jury in New Brunswick today.

The thaw yesterday cut off George Schenck's ice harvest.

Mrs. B. A. Cole has recovered from her illness.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Special Officer Logan, who has been doing night patrol duty in the borough for several months past, showed that he was the right man in the right place on Wednesday morning, when he routed the would-be burglars who were trying to force an entrance into the borough postoffice.

Manager Counihan is offering some of the season's best attractions at the New Plainfield theatre this week. Last night "The Mayor of Tokio" was enjoyed; tonight, Mary Mannering in "The Walls of Jericho," is the attraction, while tomorrow will be the Elks' minstrels.

John Dunn, the local ice dealer, had a large gang of men cutting ice at the "Back Pond" Monday. The work was continued all night and by the time the thaw started in yesterday the large house was half filled with a good quality of ice eight inches thick.

"Larry" Wallace, who was arrested two weeks ago for breaking into Rapp's Hotel, comes up for sentence before Judge Vail at Elizabeth today.

Joseph Gray, who has been detained at home for a week suffering from the effects of a fall, returned to his work at Scott's Press Works yesterday.

Bucket and Engine Co. celebrates the election of its department ticket at a little supper and social tonight in the company headquarters.

The work of repairing the trolley roadbed between here and Westfield will be resumed again in a few days.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Lloyd Harris, of South Plainfield, who underwent an operation in Brooklyn some time ago for rheumatism, continues to improve and has about recovered from his trouble.

A number of the young people around town received the accustomed pleasures of valentine's day in the exchange of little remembrances.

The interment of the body of Mrs. Messler, of Paterson, took place in the South Plainfield cemetery today.

Borough matters are now quietly awaiting the decision of the Legislature at Trenton.

A horse belonging to Mr. Ball, who recently moved here, died yesterday.

Somerville Alumni Banquet.

Somerville, Feb. 14.—The seventeenth alumni reunion of the Somerville High School was held at Cawley's hotel on Saturday evening. About sixty sat down to a banquet. The menu cards were a novelty, which represented a school slate on the outside, and on each of these was written a quotation applying to the person who received it. William S. Woodruff, of the class of '03, Rutgers, who is president of the Alumni Association, called for responses to several toasts. Percival Snyder, '93, responded to "In School Days;" Archibald Taylor spoke to "The High School;" Supervising Principal Ackerman responded to "The Faculty," and President Woodruff made some excellent hits in "Our Alumni Association." The whole affair was highly successful, under the management of a committee consisting of Miss Mary E. Vanderveer, William S. Woodruff and Andrew G. Koehler.

Suspected of Being An Incendiary.

Elizabeth, Feb. 14.—A tailor shop owned by Isaac Jeffy was completely gutted by fire Monday morning. The police arrested Jeffy's brother-in-law, Morris Anderson, on suspicion of setting the place on fire, and he is locked up in a cell at police headquarters. He was the only one in the place when the fire started, and slept in a room back of the store. He denies having anything to do with causing the blaze, and said he was awakened by the smoke, and, partly dressing himself, ran out into the street and gave an alarm. It is said the stock in the store was heavily insured. The police claim that there was no fire where Anderson slept, and the only theory that they can arrive at is that the blaze was the work of an incendiary.

A Copper Capped.

Patrolman John Payne, of the local police force, is mourning the loss of a valuable stick pin which disappeared from his cravat Monday. He holds the opinion that it was stolen as it was so fixed that it could not drop out. The pin is a horse shoe affair set with six diamonds.

Former Plainfielder Very Ill.

William Pearson, a former well known resident of the borough, is dangerously ill at the Alexian Brothers Hospital, Elizabeth. He will be remembered as the senior member of the firm of Pearson & Gayle, the contracting carpenters.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Special interest is attached to the engagement of Miss Mary Mannering, who will appear for a single performance in this city at the New Plainfield theatre tonight, as she will be seen for the first time here in Alfred Sutro's great play, "The Walls of Jericho." The appearance of this brilliant actress in the play that has been the reigning success of both London and New York for so long a time must be considered in the light of a theatrical event of considerable

Mary Mannering, in "The Walls of Jericho," at New Plainfield Theatre Tonight.

importance. "The Walls of Jericho" deals with a phase of fashionable life which is unfortunately true to a very great extent, and in the presentation of this theme Alfred Sutro, its brilliant author, has succeeded in giving a wonderfully clear character study of the manners and conditions of the so-called smart set, at the same time eliminating any of the objectionable elements. He convinces by simply holding up the follies of this existence in all its emptiness to the observer and shows by contrast the strong, healthy mode of life and right thinking which must appeal to a man brought up outside of artificial environment.

One of the pleasantest features of the local theatrical season will be the presentation of that delightful play, "Under Southern Skies." No other play of recent years dealing with life in the Sunny South has met with such favor as Mrs. Parker's entertaining play. In fact, no other play of Southern life has ever been written which presents the romance, the gayety, the lavish hospitality and the humor of life in the South with such natural charm and intense interest as Mrs. Parker has succeeded in putting into "Under Southern Skies." It will be at the New Plainfield theatre Friday afternoon and night.

A scene representing in every detail the handsomest of Broadway's roof gardens is the principal scenic feature in "The Choir Singer," which comes after a highly successful engagement in New York to the New Plainfield theatre Saturday afternoon and night. The entire production is said to be in keeping with the above mentioned scene, which would seem to indicate that a real dramatic treat is in store for local playgoers.

The New York Sun says in its review of May Irwin in "Mrs. Black Is Back," which ran for six months in New York last season, and which will appear at the New Plainfield theatre next Tuesday: "May Irwin returned to the New York stage last evening after a much regretted absence. She brought her own company to the Bijou theatre in a theatrical production which she and its author, George V. Hobart, modestly called only an 'offering' under the title of 'Mrs. Black Is Back.' Mrs. Black, of course, was Miss Irwin, and a large number of her friends testified to their joy over her return. She is still jolly, expansive and provocative of mirth at all times."

SEEKS NEW HIGH SCHOOL.

Somerville Educational Board Wants More Accommodations.

Somerville, Feb. 14.—The Board of Education of this place is agitating the erection of a new high school to accommodate the now overcrowded condition. Many of the wealthier families have found it necessary to send their children to Plainfield to attend the High School or private schools there, necessitating much cost besides transportation and tuition charges, and also a waste of time in travel.

The present quarters are so cramped that something will have to be done shortly, or else the condition of the schools will, it is said, endanger the health of the children, who are now in some instances forced to sit, it is asserted, three in a seat. The Board of Education will shortly have plans submitted to it for inspection, and a new building will be erected in the near future, it is asserted.

Arthur Beebe, of Madison avenue, is sojourning at Atlantic City for a time.

Herbert S. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Yates, all of this city, are stopping at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Albert Utzinger, of Grandview avenue, who recently underwent an operation for an injury to his foot, is convalescing.

Stephen Blazier, of Elmwood place, who has been spending the winter in Florida, is expected to return home early in March.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

A social will be held on Monday night, February 26, under the auspices of St. Stephen's church.

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a literary and social meeting in Vincent chapel Friday night.

The Men's Club of the First Presbyterian church, which planned to meet this week, has postponed the event to some other time, the date of which will be announced.

Tuesday night, February 20, at the First M. E. church, the choir will render "Triumph of David," by Buck, and "Gallia," by Gounod, under the auspices of the Brotherhood.

The Lenten season will begin on Wednesday, February 28, and in common with all other Episcopal and Catholic churches those of this city and the borough will observe it.

Superintendent G. H. Bachelor, of the First Baptist church Sunday-school, will lead the Young People's Society meeting Friday night. The topic will be "How to Conquer Temptation."

There will be an all-day sewing and social meeting at the First Baptist church on Tuesday, February 20, under the auspices of the Women's Home Missionary Society. An informal programme of interest will be presented.

The annual "day of prayer" appointed by the Women's Baptist Foreign Missionary Society will be observed by the circles of the First Baptist and Park Avenue Baptist churches Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the First Baptist church.

Statistical results of evangelical work are not entirely satisfactory evidences of success, and yet it could be wished that they afforded more encouragement than they do. The last annual statement made by Rev. Dr. Carroll, concerning the churches of the United States, seem to indicate a sad decrease of religious growth. During the year 1905 the gains of all religious bodies in this country were 1,815 ministers, 1,636 churches and 519,155 communicants. In 1904 the respective gains were 3,116, 2,624 and 898,857, a falling off that can hardly be accounted for. The largest gains, as usual, are in the Roman Catholic church, but even this has suffered with all other Christian denominations. Of the Protestant churches, the Methodists have received the largest accessions, followed in order by the Baptists, Presbyterians and Lutherans. The Christian Scientists gained 7,441 members. There are in all 154,390 ministers, 201,608 churches and 31,148,445 communicants. This is not an excessive showing in a country containing upward of 80,000 people, and yet it is a very large and influential number in itself. The benevolent contributions ra naway up into the hundred millions, a fact that affords, at least, reasonably good evidence of the sincerlay of those who endeavor to live up to their religious convictions and profession. The results of the revival services will appear in the statistics compiled at the end of the present year.—Newark News.

NO "RELIGIOUS VAUDEVILLE."

Trenton Methodists See Judgment of Wrath in Church Fire.

Trenton, Feb. 13.—Church members of the more strait laced type were yesterday declaring that it may have been a judgment of wrath that caused a fire Sunday night in the old First Methodist church, where a moving picture entertainment was being given in connection with religious service.

The machine caught fire, and it was only with difficulty that the cooler heads prevented a panic. Charles Kimble, the operator of the machine, was badly burned about the hands and arms. The Rev. Myland J. Rice, a local preacher, was overcome by heat, as was also David J. Lee and Mrs. S. J. Embley fainted during the excitement.

Introduction of moving picture machines in several of the churches of the city has been viewed with much disfavor by the more conservative members, and the narrow escape from a disastrous fire panic has strengthened the feeling against "religious vaudeville."

Miss Ryder, of East Front street, is the guest of friends in Bloomfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hurley, of Richmond street, are the parents of a son who came to their home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilmore, of East Front street, have returned from a stay with friends at Chillicothe, O.

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HORACE RAYMOND MUNGER,
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Executors.

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SKIRTS.
A few more Skirts left, were sold at 3.50, now selling at - - - - - - - 1.98
The balance of our Winter Waists must be sold regardless of cost. We divide them in two lots:
LOT ONE—Were 2.00 to 4.00, selling at - - - - - - 1.00
LOT TWO—Were 1.00 to 2.00, selling at - - - - - - 50c
The PARIS, 214 WEST FRONT St.

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J. R. BLAIR is still at 119 PARK AVE
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This season's most desirable sorts of ribbons are to go in this three-day sale at belittled prices. Big lots to choose from. Variety most amazing. Values seldom if ever equaled. Come prepared for pleasant surprises.
VELVET RIBBONS.
Excellent grade Satin-back Velvet Ribbons in this season's most wanted shades at these tempting prices:
No. 7 Velvet Ribbons, regularly 25c a yard, at only 15c
No. 9 Velvet Ribbons, regularly 32c a yard, at only 19c
No. 12 Velvet Ribbons, regularly 39c a yard, at only 25c
No. 16 Velvet Ribbons, regularly 45c a yard, at only 29c
FLORAL RIBBONS.
New Floral Dresden Ribbons; in several new designs, 4⅜ inches wide, regularly 40c a yard, at only 29c
SATIN RIBBONS.
Fine quality new Satin and Taffeta Ribbons, very beautiful finish; all the desirable colors as well as black; suitable for millinery and dress trimming:
Satin and Taffeta Ribbons, 3⅝ inches wide, regularly 25c a yard, at only 17c
Satin and Taffeta Ribbons, 4½ inches wide, regularly 30c a yard, at only 19c
FLORAL RIBBONS.
Dresden Warp-Printed Ribbons, in dainty new spring floral designs; 6⅝ inches wide, regularly 50c a yard, to go at only 39c

6,000 Handkerchiefs in a Sale
There wouldn't be much to blow about in this event if the handkerchiefs were ordinary, cheap stock, but importance attaches to it because the handkerchiefs are of such excellent quality, are strictly perfect and are to go at such remarkably low prices.
500 dozen Women's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs of purest linen in this lot; on fine sheer and heavy cloth; in full sizes; neatly, evenly and perfectly hemstitched; with one-inch hems, and because we have only the one width to offer you we will sell
Handkerchiefs Worth up to 50c, for 12½c and 17c.
If you are thrifty, you'll buy in boxes of a dozen—$1.40 and $1.90.

Winsome New Wash Dress Fabrics.
We present to our patrons positively the largest and most comprehensive collection of washable dress stuffs that is shown or will be shown by any Newark house, and we doubt if the biggest and best New York houses either equal or excel the great stock here assembled.
Having the very best sources of supply at our command and buying as we do with such a lavish hand, we are able, not only to get the very best price advantages and to get the most exclusive rally of styles, but to control dozens and hundreds of patterns exclusively.
Why pick from stingy stocks when you can choose from representative lines of the best products of the foremost makers in the land?
75 new designs in Anderson's Imported Madras, in stripes, checks, plaids and solid colors, 32 shirtwaist suits, priced for two days' sellingcmfw inches wide, very desirable for shirt waists, and shirtwaist suits, priced for two days' selling at only 25c
Mercerized Check Suitings in black, brown, navy, light blue, pink, green and lavender checks of various sizes; 27 inches wide; excellent value at 25c a yard; your choice of any for two days 19c
Printed Batistes, fine and sheer, dots and small designs in allover effects, on white and colored grouds; 30 inches wide; good value at 15c a yard; Thursday and Friday 10c
125 new designs in fine Imported Irish Dimities which will be more in demand this season than ever before, as they should be, for nothing in the popular-priced fabrics will make up more beautifully in entire costumes; these are 30 in. wide and will be sold for two days at only 25c
Printed Organdies in an almost overwhelming variety of beautiful patterns and charming new colorings—wonderful what exquisite effects the artist, designers and printers have wrought in these dainty fabrics; some of the designs are small; others of the showy large kind; enough patterns to tire you looking at them; 30 inches wide material; good 25c value; two days at the special price of 15c
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USE PRESS WANT ADS

AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to change the name of Lane Avenue to Laing Avenue.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the street in said City of Plainfield now known and designated as Lane Avenue shall be hereafter known and designated by the name of Laing Avenue.

Adopted by the Common Council February 5, 1906; aprpoved by the Acting Mayor February 5, 1906.

R. I. TOLLES,
Acting Mayor.

Attest: J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

SECOND-HAND MEN'S CLOTHING
bought. Good prices given. Postal or note receives prompt attention.
I. RICHARD, 7 Somerset St.

ASBURY TO SUPPORT ANTI-POUND NET LAW.

Fishing Club Pledges Its Assistance In Fight Against Abuse Of Laws.

Asbury Park, Feb. 14—W. H. Parsons, president; Frederick F. Felger, vice president, and Joseph Crawford, secretary, of the State Fish and Game Commission, brought their propaganda against pound fisheries abuse here Sunday. They found in the Asbury Park Fishing Club a devoted and enthusiastic follower, and at a meeting held in the clubhouse on the fishing pier, plans were formed to lock horns with the pound net magnates of the Atlantic coast, under conditions that promise, for the restrictive fishing law now in legislative committee, early action.

A resolution was adopted pledging the active support of the club to the anti-pound net law. It is also proposed to enlist the sympathy and assistance of the Asbury Park Board of Trade and the Hotel-keepers' Association.

Messrs. Parsons, Felger and Crawford gave some appalling figures, the purport of which are but little understood on the Jersey shore. It was shown that shore fishermen had been literally excluded from the profits of their trade; that bluefish had migrated to the shores of Ireland and England and that government had been forced to issue its protest against the destruction of food and fry fish.

The commission, it appears, is now disposed to ask for the abolishment of pound fisheries. Its demands are purely restrictive and call for enlarged mesh, apertures and prohibitive coast line for menhaden boats. It is also asked that all nets be lifted over Sunday.

James Edge, Leonard Hulit and Captain Fenimare were appointed a committee from the Asbury Park club to go before the commission. They will take with them as supporters the entire membership of the club and a throng of sympathizing followers from the North Jersey shore.

All signs here now point to an active fight for the law now in committee and substantial support for the movement from every part of the coast.

FELLED BY HIGHWAYMEN.

New York Business Man Clubbed in Public Street Near His Home.

Orange, Feb. 14—The story leaked out today of a most daring attempt at highway robbery ever tried in Summit, where an attack was made on Saturday night on C. J. R. Humphrey, a New York business man, who lives on Fernwood road, Summit.

Mr. Humphrey was returning home over Fernwood road, half a mile from the center of the city. When about a hundred feet from his home, Mr. Humphrey passed a stranger, who struck him on the head, felling him, but not rendering him unconscious. Mr. Humphrey shouted for help and the man ran.

A short distance away the police found a club two feet long which is thought to have been the weapon wielded by the highwayman.

Albert Beers, who has been spending several days at his home here, has returned to Princeton College.

Miss Harriett Goddard, of East Ninth street, will sail for Europe on the Celtic on Saturday. She will be abroad several months.

Dr. and Mrs. Elijah W. Lawrence, of Washington avenue, have engaged a suite of apartments at No. 9 Fulton street, Newark, where they will remain for the present. They expect to return to Plainfield in the spring.

Master's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a final decree issued out of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, in the cause wherein Charles H. Hand is complainant, and George J. Tobin, et als., are defendants, which decree bears date on the 26th day of December, 1905, I, Craig A. Marsh, Special Master in Chancery, as therein directed, will expose to sale at public vendue, on Thursday, the fifteenth day of March, 1906, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, upon the premises hereinafter described, in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, and State of New Jersey, all the following described certain tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the said City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue in line of land now or formerly of Frederick M. Masker and others, said point being distant in a northeasterly direction a distance of two hundred and sixty-two and sixty-three one hundredths (262.63) feet from the intersection of the centre line of Woodland Avenue with the northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue; thence running along said Masker's line in a course of north thirty-two degrees and thirty-four minutes west, a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight and ninety-five one hundredths (178.95) feet to a point; thence running in a course of south fifty-seven degrees and twenty-six minutes west a distance of seventy (70) feet to a point in line of property now or formerly owned by Hermance; thence along line of said Hermance's line in a course of south thirty-two degrees and thirty-four minutes east, a distance of one hundred and seventy-nine (179) feet more or less to a point in the aforesaid northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue; thence running in a course of north fifty-seven degrees and twenty-two minutes east a distance of seventy (70) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Together with the land in front of the same to the centre of La Grande Avenue, subject to the use of the public therein as a public highway.

Including also the inchoate right of dower of the defendant, Annie Hand, wife of said Charles H. Hand.

Including also the inchoate right of dower of the defendant, Mary F. Tobin, wife of George J. Tobin.

Subject to the mortgage encumbrance of said Evan T. Steadman on said lands.

Together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Dated, February 14, 1906.

CRAIG A. MARSH,
Special Master in Chancery.
John H. VanWinkle & Son,
Solicitors, Plainfield, N. J.
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Plainfield, N. J., February 14, 1906.

If Judge Vail wants to help the police authorities here he will show no leniency in dealing out punishment to John J. Goff. Arrested but a few months ago, this man escaped heavy punishment by pleading non vult. The indictment against him was selling liquor without a license. In defiance of the court and the local authorities, he resumed business and the grand jury returned a true bill against him for running a disorderly house. This time he made the flimsy defense that the establishment was conducted by a "club" and that he merely acted as "steward." The jury promptly found him guilty as charged.

No one can help from blushing with shame to think that Robert H. McCarter holds the honored office of attorney-general of New Jersey when he reads the speech made by that official before the East Orange Republican Club on Monday night. Here is a sample of his remarks: "As for reformers, I have no use for them. For me the Republican party, which has withstood the shock and calumny and the attacks of the demagogue, and through it all has stood like a rock, is good enough for me. Reformers are iconoclasts. They hear their voices crying in the wilderness and think it is the detonation of thunder.' For these the Republican party has no place or no use." With such men as McCarter at large, is there any need of questioning the need of more Colbys?

IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED ON WEST END AVENUE.

Work Held Up Until Spring Weather Arrives.

As soon as the spring weather arrives it is the purpose of the syndicate having charge of the improvements on West End avenue, the borough, to renew operations in earnest and complete the same. Mayor Smalley has hustled along the storm sewer work and it is believed that before long it will be possible to start the work of macadamizing the boulevard. This thoroughfare will otherwise be made attractive with trees and shrubbery on either side of the roadway.

The plans for this improvement also call for a lake, and Mayor Smalley expects to begin work in the lowlands at an early date. This body of water will be about 300 feet long and 100 feet wide. Other improvements will include a new bridge over Green brook and this work will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit. William Farrier, of New Market, has this contract, but it is possible that illness may prevent him from executing it. If he cannot undertake it other bids will be advertised for and received. With these improvements there will undoubtedly follow a general repair of West End avenue in the city.

His First Birthday Observed.

In honor of the first birthday anniversary of their son, Rutherford Dalley, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. B. Dalley, of West Front street, gave a party at their home yesterday afternoon. Twenty-four young people were in attendance and enjoyed music, games and refreshments. The little guests of honor was presented with numerous pretty toys.

John A. McCall Dying.

The condition of John A. McCall, ex-president of the New York Life Insurance Company, who is at Lakewood, has reached so critical a stage that his death is expected at any moment. He is surrounded by his family and his wife has scarcely left his bedside since noon Monday.

A. C. La Boyteaux has returned home from a week's stay at Lakewood.

Collector George F. Brown resumed his duties today after a week's detention at home by illness.

American Steam Laundry

H. W. Marshall, Proprietor

122 East Front Street

Lace Curtains from 40 cents per pair up. We handle them carefully and return promptly.

Collars and Cuffs 2 cents each.

Our wagons are painted GREEN.

STANDING IN THE CENTRAL BOWLING LEAGUE

WESTFIELD LIKELY TO COME OUT AHEAD IN JOURNAL TOURNAMENT.

The Westfield Club team in the Central Journal Bowling League has as good as won the handsome silver loving cup for the season of 1905-1906. The cup is to be held by the winner each season until won three times, when it shall become the permanent property of the club so winning it. The second season of the league will close tonight, when all the teams get together. Westfield will roll Cranford Casino Club at Cranford, and with twenty games won, it is a safe estimate that Westfield will take at least two games from Cranford, ending the tournament with twenty-two games won, thereby making it impossible for Elizabeth to get a chance at first place. Elizabeth occupies second place, with eighteen games won. This team must take one game from the Park Club at Plainfield, or there will be a tie for second place. The finish for second place will be exciting, and the result is being awaited with much interest. The Roselle Casino, which won the trophy last year by taking the odd from Westfield on the wind-up night, when over 200 spectators were present, will probably finish in fourth place.

Besides the trophy, Westfield will win the first team prize, valued at $20. The second team prize is valued at $10. Keys, of the Elizabeth Club team, rolled 254 the first night of the league bowling, and this score has not been beaten. He will probably win the high individual score prize, valued at $5. At present Keys stands a good chance of winning the highest average prize, valued at $15. Keys' average is 176.4. Barlow, with 175.21, and Ball, with 175, are also hustling for the same prize. A second highest average prize, valued at $10, and a third highest average prize, valued at $5, will also be awarded. To win these prizes the high average men must bowl in tonight's games. The averages over 160 and standing of the teams to date follow:

	Games.	Ave.
Keys, Elizabeth	27	176.4
Barlow, Park	27	175.21
Ball, Park	27	175
Crane, Cranford	27	173.16
Huntting, Elizabeth	27	172.12
Patterson, Roselle	24	171.7
Hegeman, Westfield	24	172
Condit, Westfield	27	170.18
Blanchard, Elizabeth	21	170.12
Tenney, Elizabeth	27	170.7
Dederich, Newark Bay	27	170.6
Sapher, Cranford	27	169.19
Wheelwright, Eliz.	27	169.13
Howe, Roselle	27	167.6
Willis, Park	27	166.19
Bates, Cranford	27	166.4
West, Roselle	25	162.15
Beckwith, Newark Bay	27	161.2
Daniels, Park	22	160.14
Warner, Roselle	21	160.7

Standing of Teams.

	W.	L.	Ave.	H.S.
Westfield	20	7	831.15	950
Elizabeth	18	9	850.9	932
Park Club	15	12	844.9	949
Roselle	10	17	812.9	897
Cranford	9	18	821	941
Newark Bay	9	18	812.29	902

High individual score—Keys, Elizabeth 254

High team score—Westfield 950

SALES AND RENTALS.

Reported by the Armstrong Mulford Real Estate Agency.

The following sales and rentals have been made since January 1 by Armstrong Mulford, real estate agent of North avenue: Mrs. Elizabeth E. Schofield has purchased from John H. Thompson, the house and lot known as No. 743 Carlton avenue; Eugene P. Morris has purchased from Dr. Dupuy the property No. 1002 East Seventh street; Mrs. P. Felemly, of New Germantown, N. J., has purchased from Jennie A. Cramer the property No. 822 Richmond street; C. L. Clark, of Westervelt avenue, has purchased the Gavett house on Sandford avenue; Mrs. S. M. Peterkin, of Belvidere avenue, has purchased Mrs. Chilton's lot on Berkeley avenue, adjoining Mr. Feickert's home; Clifford D. Manning has purchased the VanWyck lot on Watchung avenue, near Franklin place and will erect two fine dwellings there; Bertha Hochberger, of East Fifth street, has purchased from H. A. Murgatroyd, of Brooklyn, N. Y., the property No. 429 East Fifth street; Peter M. Felmley, of New Germantown, N. J., has purchased from the Estate of E. C. Mulford a lot on East Fourth street, near Richmond street, and will erect two houses. H. C. Dekata, has rented No. 633 Belvidere avenue; M. L. Duncan, of Madison avenue, has rented No. 36 Westervelt avenue; Dr. B. VanD. Hedges has rented the house now occupied by Dr. Carman, corner of Sixth street and Watchung avenue.

Boorum Appointed Judge.

The Governor sent to the Senate yesterday afternoon the appointment of Theodore Boorum as President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Middlesex County, in place of Woodbridge Strong.

Plainfield Bill Passed.

The House at Trenton has passed the bill permitting the Collector of Taxes of Plainfield to complete the official business of his predecessor.

The Great Alteration Sale.

This sale has created a flurry in our Carpet business. Never has the department been so pushed at this season of the year. People are crowding to share in the low prices now prevailing before removing stock to main floor. The time is growing short. Wise buyers will act quickly.

A FEW SPECIAL PRICES:

AXMINSTER CARPETS $1.00 PER YARD.

Axminster Carpets are designed particularly for parlor use. The pile is high, giving a delightfully soft tread. The colors are rich and warm or light and dainty, just as your taste may dictate.

The designs are choice in every respect. This is a rare opportunity to secure fine Parlor Carpets cheap. Above price includes making and laying.

SLOANE'S BODY BRUSSELS $1.25 PER YARD.

This price is 15c per yard less than you can get them in New York City. Several of our customers have demonstrated the truth of this statement. They are excellent Carpets to wear and the patterns are suitable for a great variety of purposes. We show 25 styles. Made and laid for above price.

We are making low prices on Japanese and Chinese Mattings, of which we have a good assortment.

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS 79c YARD.

This price is for new fresh goods in the best of patterns. Excellent Hall and Stair patterns in the line. Above price includes making and laying.

VELVET CARPETS 90c PER YARD.

Splendid heavy goods, good colors, good patterns. About 6 or 8 patterns only left. Act quickly. Above price includes making and laying.

RUGS.

14x30	Moravian Smyrna	29c
22x45	Moravian Smyrna	65c
27x54	Moravian Smyrna	98c
5x8	Moravian Smyrna	3.98
3x9	Moravian Runners	2.98
9x12	Moravian Rugs	9.98

These rugs are remarkably good low priced rugs. The edges are well secured, the colors strong and the designs are excellent copies of Oriental effects.

At 1.25 each—We have new imported 27x54 Velvet Rugs that rival in general effectiveness the real Wiltons.

We have small lot dotted and figured Suisse Curtains from **50c to 1.00 pair.** All greatly reduced in price.

February Housefurnishing Sale.

TEA KETTLES.
Solid Copper, Nickel Plated.

No. 6 size, reg. price 89c, sale..69c
No. 7 size, reg. price 98c, sale..79c
No. 8 size, reg. price 1.10, sale..89c
No. 9 size, reg. price 1.25, sale..99c

GALVANIZED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

ASH CANS, WITH COVERS.
Regular price 1.48, sale 98c

SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

NICKEL ALARM CLOCKS.
Regular price 89c, sale 69c

MRS. POTTS' IRONS.
Regular price 98c, sale 69c

YELLOW PIE PLATES.
Square Shape.
Regular price 10c, sale 5c

CLOTHES BASKETS.
Made of good quality willow.

	Reg.	Sale
Small size	49c	39c
Medium size	59c	49c
Large size	78c	59c
Extra Large size	98c	69c

BISSELL'S CARPET SWEEPERS.
The 2.00 kind for 1.69
The 1.25 kind for 98c

FANCY SCRAP BASKETS.
Importer's Samples.
Regular 25c Baskets for..... 19c
Regular 50c Baskets for..... 29c
Regular 75c Baskets for..... 39c
Regular 98c Baskets for..... 49c

GRAY ENAMELED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
Twin Match Safes	10c	6c
Handy Tea Strainers	10c	6c
Wash Basins	35c	15c
Dish Pans	59c	29c
Stew Kettles	35c	19c
Sauce Pans	35c	19c

WAFFLE IRONS.
New Heart-shaped kind.
Regular price 1.00, sale 69c

A LAMP BARGAIN.
Nickel plated central draft Lamps. Complete with embossed dome shade, chimney and tripod.
Regular price 1.98, sale 1.50

COLUMBIA FAMILY SCALES.
Regular price 1.25, sale 95c

TOILET JARS, WITH COVERS.
Enameled white, with gold lines.
Regular price 48c, sale 35c

FOOT BATH TUBS.
Enameled inside and out.
Regular price 39c, sale 25c

THE QUAKER DUST PAN.
With heavy edge, which prevents bending up.
Regular price 19c, sale 12c

CURTAIN STRETCHERS.
The "No Sag" kind, with anti-rust pins.
Regular price 1.25, sale 78c

BLACK COAL HODS.
Regular price 25c, sale 17c

DOUBLE ROASTING PANS.
The self basting kind.
Regular price 48c, sale 25c

TINWARE SPECIALS.
Extra Heavy Polished, long and short handled Dippers and Six-quart Flaring Pails.
Regular price 25c, sale 10c

GOOD QUALITY BROOMS.
Regular price 29c, sale 19c

BANNER OIL HEATERS.
Regular price 4.98, sale 3.98
Regular price 2.98, sale 2.50

WOODHULL & MARTIN.

SAYS MR. PERKINS' TAX BILL IS O. K.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL THINKS IT AND MILLER MEASURES CONSTITUTIONAL.

Trenton, Feb. 14.—At the opening of the House yesterday Mr. Perkins submitted the opinion of the Attorney-General on the main stem railroad taxation bills, and moved that it be read in full by the clerk and spread upon the minutes. The motion was adopted and the opinion, which is addressed to the Speaker, was read.

The opinion supports the constitutionality of bill No. 1, the Perkins measure, and of bills Nos. 54 and 56, both introduced by Mr. Miller. The Miller bills and the Perkins measure are identical, except so far as they provide for a specific distribution of the fund raised by taxation.

As to the Martin bill, No. 8, the Attorney-General points out in it what he regards as an error. He declares tha this proposed act would clearly fix a different rate for the main stem tax of each railroad, and that "this, of course, would in no way produce an equal rate between two main stems, but would vary as the tax rates in the various taxing districts varied."

Then the Attorney-General adds: "Having reached the conclusion that the segregation of main stem property, for purposes of taxation, requires a uniform rate to be applied in order to render the act valid, I am forced to the conclusion that a system which would apply a different rate to different main stems would not conform to the constitutional requirement, in that it would apply a different rate to members of the same class."

Concerning the Galvin bill, No. 21, the Attorney-General says he knows of no reason to question its entire constitutionality.

As to the Cottell bill, No. 19, he regards as unconstitutional its method of assessment.

Hospital Figures.

The Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital transacted only routine business at their monthly meeting last night. The medical board reported as follows for the month: Patients remaining at last report, 21; admitted, 48; total number treated, 69; discharged cured, 32; improved, 8; unimproved, 1; died, 7; remaining, 21; hospital days, 841; operations, 45; dispensary patients, 40; visits of patients to dispensary, 118; operations, 8.

Mme Edwards, Lessee and Mgr.

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W. Seventh St. and Arlington Avenue.

Engagements for Concerts, Lectures, Readings, Recitals, Receptions, Dances, Dinners Bowling Alleys Meetings, etc., can be arranged on application as above.

NOTICE.

All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1st, and all persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk before February 22nd.

After March 1st no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY,
Chief of Police.

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Advertised Mail Matter.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 12, 1906.
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THEATRICAL NOTES.

Following May Irwin, the next "big" star to be seen in Plainfield, is Blanche Walsh, who will present "The Woman In the Case" on March 12.

The Elks' minstrel committee has secured Polk, Collins and The Carmen Sisters, as one of the features of their olio. The quartette presents one of the greatest novelty banjo acts ever put in vaudeville.

Manager Counihan has received word that he is to get "The Clansman" about the middle of next month. The extension of time in New York cut out Trenton, Wilmington, Del., Easton and Allentown, Pa., as well as Plainfield.

Few persons know that Miss May Irwin, who comes to Plainfield next week, is an expert cook. She loves to delve in the mysteries of the culinary art and has mastered so many of them that she has written a cook book called "May Irwin's Home Cooking," published by the Stokes Company.

The "Mayor of Tokio," which appeared at the New Plainfield last night, shows the remainder of this week in Pennsylvania cities and then jumps to Norfolk, Va. From there it will work down to New Orleans and then back to Chicago, its starting point last June. All the members of the company are looking forward to the trip with much pleasure as it is one a little out of the beaten path.

SOMERSET FREEHOLDERS.

Transact Small Amount of Business at Regular Monthly Meeting.

Very little was doing at the meeting of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders in the Court House at Somerville yesterday.

The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company made an application for permission to set thirty poles along the county road from Frankfort to Flagtown. Referred to the committee on roads, with power.

The application of the citizens of Basking Ridge for the privilege of constructing a sidewalk along the county road from the village to the railroad station was granted.

The board will meet the Town Committee of Bernards at Bernardsville Friday morning at 11:30 to inspect the drainage of the county road at that place.

Frelinghuysen's Resolution.

Senator Joseph Frelinghuysen has introduced a joint resolution in the Senate providing that a joint committee of the House and Senate visit the site of the tuberculosis sanatorium at Glen Gardner and report the condition and state of the work, apropos of the reported differences with the contractors.

—The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Veysey, 812 Park avenue.

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FRELINGHUYSEN'S BILL

Weaknesses Pointed Out—Demands for Various Branches—Expenditures for Medals.

The new military bill, introduced in the Legislature last week by Senator Frelinghuysen, of Somerset county, under which it is proposed to bring the National Guard within the provisions of the Dick Regular Army bill, has created much discussion among the National Guardsmen of the State. The bill is a lengthy one, and is in most respects a counterpart of the military bill of two years ago which failed of passage because of the opposition to some of the provisions which were claimed to be inconsistent with the regular army regulations with which it was supposed to conform, and because it was ungrammatical and improperly expressed. The commission which prepared the present measure has sought to overcome these defects, but among persons familiar with military matters it is pointed out that there still remains numerous inconsistencies which make the bill objectionable.

At the outset, the new bill increases the membership of the State Military Board by making the colonels of the regiments and the senior officers of the Naval Reserve members of the board, an increase of six members. This, it is pointed out, will mean an increased expense to the State, the members of the board being paid according to their grades for attendance upon meetings of the board in addition to their expenses. This increase in membership was made in answer to the demand of the men in the line to be represented.

The addition of a representative of the Naval Reserve has resulted in a demand from the cavalry and artillery for representation. The increase in the membership of the board will mean an added cost of more than $1,000 a year. The suggestion has been made that the general officers act as the executive committee of the board, and that when matters affecting the men in the line come up for consideration, the additional members provided for in the new bill be called in.

By reason of the increase in the staffs and because of the additional allowances for uniforms, $50 a year for mounted commissioned officers and $30 a year for other commissioned officers, it is claimed that the State's expense under the new bill will be increased about $18,000.

Another increased expense that is found in the new bill is that in relation to musical organizations, for which $500 is allowed to each regiment. All military band musicians are allowed $4 a day, instead of being graded as in the regular army and being paid according to grade. The present allowance is said to be sufficient for musical organizations. It is said, too, that the new enlistment regulations, by which a man may enlist for three years and renew his enlistment for one year thereafter, will result in an increase of cost to the State, because a uniform is counted upon to last a man about three years, and should he decide to re-enlist for one year he would need a new uniform which might be discarded by him should he not enlist again at the expiration of his one year's re-enlistment.

The sections of the bill relating to the quartermaster-general's and adjutant-general's departments are criticised because the deputy adjutant-general is given the rank of colonel, while the deputy quartermaster-general has the rank of lieutenant-colonel. It is claimed that these two officers should have equal ranks. Another inconsistency is claimed to exist in this section of the bill in the fact that the quartermaster-general is authorized to employ such clerical services as he may desire, while no such provision is made for the adjutant-general's department, in which, it is claimed, the need for such services is equally as great.

Numerous inconsistencies are claimed to exist in the new measure in the matter of the make-up of different branches of the service as compared with similar branches of the regular army, these inconsistencies being especially glaring in cavalry troops and batteries of artillery. In the matter of the treatment of deserters, it is said the new bill is lenient to a degree that is uncalled for. If a man is convicted of a felony, or cannot be found after due diligence, he is merely to be dropped from the roll of the organization to which he belongs. Section 35 of the bill gives the inspector-general of rifle practise four assistants instead of three, the latter number, it is claimed, having proved entirely insufficient for this officer. In the matter of regimental formation the new bill calls for regimental paymasters, surgeons and adjutants, which is not according to the regulations of the ary.

The bill contains a clause authorizing the issuing of medals for proficiency in marksmanship, but it has been pointed out that the State is annually spending several thousand dollars for medals for attendance, service and other things for the cost of which there is no authority in any law. Those who have examined the new bill say that it should provide for the cost of medals of this class as well as for the marksmanship medals. Another deficiency which has been found in the bill is that it makes no provision for pensioning men who are disabled in service.

It has been estimated that the increases that have been made in the staffs, together with other items of expense above alluded to will mean an increased cost to the State as a result of the new bill, of about $25,000 a year.

Those who have made a careful study of the new bill say that the items cited above are only a few, but are the most important inconsistencies of the measure, and they assert that even if passed by the Legislature it will not pass muster when subjected to the scrutiny of the general staff at Washington, by which it will be carefully examined with reference to its conformity to the provisions of the Dick regular army bill.

BIG PROVISIONAL GIFT FOR DREW SEMINARY.

Samuel W. Bowne Willing to Give $100,000 if Board of Trustees Will Try to Raise a Like Amount.

Madison, Feb. 14.—At a recent meeting of the board of trustees of Drew Theological Seminary President Henry A. Buttz announced that Samuel W. Bowne, president of the board, had offered to contribute $100,000 of an additional endowment fund if the board would authorize and undertake the work of securing $100,000 for that purpose.

It was also announced that the seminary had received the legacy of $10,000 bequeathed by the will of the late William H. Murphy, of Newark.

The faculty and students at Drew are highly pleased over Mr. Bowne's generous gift. Mr. Bowne is one of Drew's most generous wealthy friends, he also having with Mr. Hoyt built the Hoyt-Bowne dormitory.

Colby After Lighting Companies.

Senator Colby has introduced a bill in the Legislature requiring that a uniform and equal price shall be charged to all customers of electric companies in cities, but also providing a uniform sliding scale of discounts in case of large accounts.

Went Through Ice.

Nine-year-old Philip Klein, son of Edward Klein, of Richmond street, tried the spongy ice at the upper end of Tier's pond yesterday and went through. He struck a shallow spot and escaped with a scare and a wetting.

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MATTISON—In North Plainfield, Monday, February 12, 1906, William E. Mattison, M. D., in his 84th year.

Funeral services Thursday, February 15, from Warren chapel at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. Interment Millstone, New Jersey.

BRYAN—On Tuesday, Feb. 13, 1906, Rev. James R. Bryan, D. D., aged 77 years.

Funeral services at the First Methodist Episcopal church, West Front street, on Friday, Feb. 16, at 2:30 p. m. 2 14 2

MARTIAL—In this city, February 14, 1906, Fernand, son of Julius and Blanche Martial, in his 22d year.

Funeral from his late residence, 29 Somerset street, Friday afternoon, February 16, at 2 o'clock. 2 14 2

WYCKOFF—On Tuesday, Feb. 13, 1906, Kate M., wife of Martin L. Wyckoff, in her 45th year.

Funeral services at her home, 231 Somerset street, North Plainfield, on Thursday, February 15, at 3 p. m. Interment at Stanton, N. J.

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Help Wanted.

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WANTED—Experienced white girl for general housework; must be good cook; no washing; good wages; reference required. Apply 515 Grant avenue. 2 12 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 30 Fairview Ave. 2 13 2

BOY wanted to learn cabinet making and hard wood finishing. Apply Charles L. Holstein, 321 East Second street. 2 13 3

STENOGRAPHER; male preferred; state experience and salary wanted. Address Reliable, care Press. 2 13 2

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. Call 112 West Front street. 2 14 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call mornings, 506 Grant avenue. 2 12 6

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing; small family; good wages. Apply 816 Carlton avenue. 2 12 3

WANTED—A strong, bright boy about 16 years, to learn a trade. Apply Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue.

WANTED — Waitress - chambermaid (white); personal reference required. Apply 313 Franklin place. 2 14 6

GIRL wanted to wait on elderly lady. 515 Park Ave. 2 14 3

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WANTED—Competent colored woman for general housework; must be good cook and laundress. 414 West Eighth street. 2 13 tf

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

COMPETENT girl wanted for general housework. Call 34 Washington avenue. 2 14 3

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WANTED—500 Dollars on second mortgage; good security. Address J. L., care Press. 2 13 3

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SAID EXPENSES WERE TOO HIGH

FINANCIERS FOUND FAULT WITH COST OF OPERATING PUBLIC SERVICE.

For mal control of the Public Service Corporation, which has been managed by local interests since May, 1903, will be transferred at an early date to the New York and Philadelphia capitalists who control the public utilities of the latter cities and have Hudson and Delaware River connections with New Jersey.

The movement, which has been under way for several months, was engineered and brought to a successful conclusion by A. J. Cassatt, representing the Pennsylvania Railroad interests; Randal Morgan and Thomas Dolan, for the United Gas Improvement Company; Leslie D. Ward, for the Prudential-Fidelity interests; former Senator Smith, for several local interests, including his own holdings in many of the underlying companies, and George W. Perkins, of J. P. Morgan & Co., for the New York end.

The initial demand for the change is said to have its origin in complaints of poor service, heard not only in one section of the State, but in every instance where the new corporation was in control, and that meant practically all of the State, as it includes about 650 miles of street railroads and all the important gas and electric companies in New Jersey.

These complaints were attributed in a measure to the fact that the Public Service Corporation when incorporated had promised great improvements and used that as the principal reason for cutting the par stock value of the trolley and electric companies it acquired by purchase with interest bearing certificates from $59,000,000 to $20,200,000.

This was done, it was said at the time, to "squeeze the water" out of overcapitalized corporations and provide a guaranteed dividend on a fair valuation, thus stimulating investment and providing the capital necessary for improvements.

In this connection $12,500,000 Public Service stock was sold at par, and $7,250,000 interest bearing notes were issued, making a total of almost 20,000,000, which the public assumed was used for improvements.

That at least a part of the sum was so used appears evident from the statment that the $11,508,000 bonds pledged as collateral for the $7,250,000 loan made in 1904 are said to have been acquired for moneys advanced by the Public Service to merged and leased companies for improvements.

Of this about $8,500,000 seems to be charged to the North Jersey and Jersey City, Paterson and Hoboken lines, and $1,500,000 to the South Jersey Gas, Electric and Traction Company. Notwithstanding these large outlays it is said the "improvements" did increase the earning capacities of the improved roads.

In a measure this was attributed, according to the financiers who demanded a change, to lax methods of management and expensive operating forces, amounting to sixty, and, in some instances, to seventy per cent. of the gross earnings.

Rutherford Minister Dead.

Rutherford, Feb. 14.—Rev. Jesse S. Gilbert, fifty-nine years old, of 92 Arient way, died here Sunday night after a ten days' illness of apoplexy. He leaves a widow, five daughters and a son. He was for thirty-seven years a member of the Newark Conference. In 1867 and 1868 he had charge of the South Market Street church, Newark. In 1869 he went to Irvington and from 1870 to 1872 he was in Verona. He went back to Newark in 1876 and remained there in charge of Trinity church until 1882. He then took charge of the Paterson Avenue church, Paterson, until 1885, when he went to Allendale. In 1886 to 1888 he was in Mendham; 1889 to 1893 in Wortendyke; 1894 in Paterson; 1895 to 1900, Spring Valley and Monsey; 1900 to 1904, Paterson.

Policeman Brutally Beaten.

Hoboken, Feb. 14.—While attempting to follow out the orders of Chief of Police Hayes Saturday at midnight to close all dancing halls at that hour, Special Policeman John Ryan was brutally assaulted by a number of the male patrons of a resort. He was thrown down, kicked about the body and trampled upon. Yesterday he was in a critical condition and warrants have been issued for ten arrests. The assault took place at Reinking's hall while a ball was in progress.

Professor Filson Dead.

Easton, Pa., Feb. 14.—Professor D. Elliott Filson, of Blair Hall, Blairstown, N. J., died Sunday night of typhoid fever. He was thirty years old. Filson's death follows that of his father, Rev. W. H. Filson, of Easton, who died December 31 last. Both were students of Lafayette College, and both took honors on graduating.

Dinner Both "Wet" and "Dry."

Recorder Lazarus, chairman of the Bayonne Board of Trade's annual dinner, yesterday announced that the dinner will be both "wet" and "dry." Those desiring wines may have them, and there will be ice water for the teetotalers. Several Prohibitionists in the board favored having nothing stronger than water.

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"It is very unusual," she said, searching him to the very heart with her deep blue eyes. "For all I know you may be the greatest rascal, or you may be the honestest man, in the world." His smile was so frank and engaging that she was forced to smile herself. But she thought of something, and frowned. "If you have told me the truth, so much the better; for I can easily verify all you have told me. I will give you a week's trial. After all,"—indifferently—"what I desire is a capable servant. You will have to put up with a good deal. There are days when I am not at all amiable, and on these days I do not like to find a speck of dust on the metals or a blanket that has not been thoroughly brushed. As for the animals, they must always shine like satin. This last is unconditional. Besides all this our force of servants is small. Do you know anything about serving?"

"Very little." What was coming now?

"The chef will coach you. I entertain some, and there will be times when you will be called upon to wait on the table. Come with me and I will show you the horses. We have only five, but my father takes great pride in them. They are all thoroughbreds." "Like their mistress," was Warburton's mental supplementary.

"Father hasn't ridden for years however. The groom I discharged this morning was capable enough on the box, but he was worse than useless to me in my morning rides. I ride from nine till eleven, even Sundays some times. Remain here till I return."

As she disappeared Warburton drew in an exceedingly long breath and released it slowly. Heavens, what an ordeal! He drew the back of his hand across his forehead and found it moist. Not a word about the fine: he must broach it and thank her. Ah, to ride with her every morning, to adjust her stirrup, to obey every command to which she might give voice, to feel her small boot repulse his palm as she mounted; Heaven could hold nothing greater than this. And how easily a woman may be imposed upon! Decidedly, Mr. Robert was violently in love.

When she returned there was a sun bonnet on her head, and she had pinned the poppies on her breast. (Why? I couldn't tell you, unless when all is said and done, be he king or valet, a man is always a man; and if perchance he is blessed with good looks, a little more than a man. You will understand that in this instance I am trying to view things through a woman's eyes.) With a nod she bade him precede her and they went out toward the stables. She noted the flat back, the square shoulders, the easy, graceful swing of the legs.

"Have you been a soldier?" she asked suddenly.

He wheeled. His astonishment could not be disguised quickly enough to escape her vigilant eyes. Once more he had recourse to the truth.

"Yes, Madam. It was as a trooper that I learned horsemanship."

"What regiment?"

"I prefer not to say,"—quietly.

"I do not like mysteries,"—briefly.

"Madam, you have only to dismiss me, to permit me to thank you for paying my fine and to reimburse you at the earliest opportunity."

She closed her lips tightly. No one but herself knew what had been on the verge of passing across them.

"Let us proceed to the stables," was all she said. "If you prove yourself a capable horseman, that is all I desire."

The stable-boy slid back the door and the two entered. Warburton glanced quickly about; all was neatness. There was light and ventilation, too, and the box-stalls were roomy. The girl stopped before a handsome bay mare which whinnied when it saw her. She laid her cheek against the animals nose and talked that soft jargon so embarrassing to man and so intelligible to babies and pet animals. Lucky horse! he thought! but his face expressed nothing.

"This is Jane, my own horse, and there are few living things I love so well. Remember this. She is a thoroughbred, a first class hunter; and I have done more than five feet on her at home."

She moved on, Warburton following soberly and thoughtfully. There was a good deal to think of just now. The more he saw of this girl, the less he understood her purpose in hiring him. She couldn't possibly know anything about him, who or what he was. With his beard gone he defied her to recognize in him the man who traveled across the Atlantic with her. A high-bred woman, such as she was, would scarcely harbor any kind of feelings toward a man who had acted as he was acting. If any man had kissed Nancy the way he had kissed her, he would have broken every bone in his body or hired some one to do it. And she had paid his fine at the police-station and had hired him on probation! Truly he was in the woods and there wasn't a sign of blazed trail. (It will be seen that my hero hadn't had much experience with women. She knew nothing of him whatever. She was simply curious and brave enough to attempt to have this curiosity gratified. Of course, I do not venture to say that, had he been coarse in appearance, she would have had anything to do with him.)

"This is Dick, my father's horse,"—nodding toward a sorrel, large and well set-up. "He will be your mount. The animal in the next stall is Pirate."

Pirate was the handsomest black gelding Warburton had ever laid eyes on.

"What a beauty!" he exclaimed enthusistaically, forgetting that grooms should be utterly without enhusiasm. He reached out his hand to pat the black nose, when a warning cry restrained him. Pirate's ears lay flat.

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"I should like to ride him."

The girl looked at her new groom in a manner which expressed frank astonishment. Was he in earnest, or was it mere bravado? An idea came to her, a mischievous idea.

"If you can sit on Pirate's back for ten minutes there will not be any question of probation. I promise to engage you on the spot, recommendation or no recommendation. Would he back down?

"Where are the saddles Madam?" he asked calmly, though his blood moved faster.

"On the pegs behind you."—becoming interested. "Do you really intend to ride him?"

"With your permission."

"I warn you that the risk you are running is great."

"I am not afraid of Pirate, Madam," in a tone which implied that he was not afraid of any horse living. The spirit of antagonism rose up in him, that spirit of antagonism of the human against the animal, that eternal ambition of the one to master the other. And besides, I'm not sure that James didn't want to show off before the girl—another very human trait in mankind. For my part, I wouldn't give yesterday's rose for a man who wouldn't show off once in a while, when his best girl is around and looking on.

"On your head be it, then"—a sudden nervousness seizing her. Yet she was as eager to witness the encounter as he was to court it. "William!" she called. The stable-boy entered, setting aside his broom. "This is James, the new groom. Help him to saddle Pirate."

"Saddle Pirate, Miss Annesley!" cried the boy, his mouth open and his eyes wide.

"You see?" said the girl to Warburton.

"Take down that saddle with the hooded stirrups," said Warburton, briefly. He would ride Pirate now, even if Pirate had been sired in Beelzebub's stables. He carefully inspected the saddle, the stirrup-straps and the girth. "Very good, indeed. Buckles on saddles are always a hidden menace and a constant danger. Now, bring out Pirate, William."

William brought out the horse, who snorted when he saw the saddle on the floor and the curb on Warburton's arm.

"There hasn't been anybody on his back for a year, sir, not since last winter. He's likely to give you trouble," said the boy. "You can't put that curb on him, sir: he won't stand for it a moment. Miss Annesley, hadn't you better step outside? He may start to kicking. That heavy English snaffle is the best thing I know of. Try that, sir. And don't let him get his head down, or he'll do you. Whoa!" as Pirate suddenly took it into his head to leave the barn without any one's permission.

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For New York—2.17 2.37, 5.36, 6.02, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.28, 7.48, 7.55, 8.02, 8.11, 8.30, 8.36, 8.46, 9.34, 9.59, 10.26, 11.00 a. m., 12.09, 12.44, 1.18, 2.31, 2.42, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.29, 6.42, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40, 10.17, 11.28 p. m. Sunday—2.17, 3.37, 5.05, 7.41, 8.01, 8.52, 2.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.00 m., 12.58, 1.45, 2.40, 3.17, 3.30, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.52, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Newark—5.35, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.45, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.34, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.32, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 3.17, 3.36, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.32, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.33, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Flemington—7.12, 11.00 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.19 p. m. Sundays—8.42 a. m., 5.37 p. m.

For Phillipsburg and Easton—5.25, 8.21, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.41 p. m. Sunday—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

For Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.25, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

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For Long Branch and Ocean Grove, etc.—8.11, 11.00 a. m., 2.44, 4.13, 4.47, 6.22, 11.28 p. m. Sunday (except Ocean Grove)—8.52 a. m., 3.30, 8.13 p. m.

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For Trenton—5.17, 7.44, 8.50, 9.46, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.46, 3.42, 6.45, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.71 night. Sunday—5.17, 9.53, 10.39, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 3.42, 4.55, 6.45, 9.46, 11.25 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Reading and Harrisburg—5.17, 5.25, 8.38, 9.54, (10.44, 11.44 Reading only), a. m., 2.11, (5.48, through train), 1.17 night. Sundays—5.17 a. m., 2.08, 5.37, 6.35 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Pottsville, Sunbury and Williamsport—5.17, 8.25, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 8.21 p. m., 1.17 night. Sundays—5.17 a. m., 2.03 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington—1.17, 5.51, 10.51 a. m., 2.45, 6.45, 7.47 p. m. Sundays—10.51 a. m., 2.45, 6.45 p. m., 1.17 night.

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NEW TROLLEY SCHEME.

New York Syndicate Supposed to Be Planning Mountain Line.

Plans for a high-speed trolley line between Newark and Somerville, to run along the foot of the Watchungs in this section, are said to be afoot. A New York syndicate is supposed to be back of the project.

A statement made by Jonas Staats, who lives on the mountain near Bound Brook, and the sale of three farms, 264 acres in all, near there to New York men are the basis for the report. The farms were bought recently. Big sums are said to have been offered for other farms in the vicinity. Surveyors employed by McGuire & Co., a New York firm that has been doing the buying, have been at work along the mountain in the neighborhood, and Staats declares one of them told him a metropolitan syndicate was back of the land deals and sought to get mountain land as far east as Springfield, with the definite intention of building and operating a high-speed trolley along the Watchung range as soon as satisfactory right of way had been secured.

The North River subway scheme is believed to have a bearing on the project.

—Horace J. Martin has leased the house at 434 Watchung avenue, corner of East Fifth street, of Charles Kanen, and will move there with his family about April 1, from his present home on Marion avenue. Mrs. Bertha Richards, of East Fifth street, will also take up her residence there.

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PETITION FROM AUTOISTS

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legislation, and the encodragement of good roads.

In the constitution provision is made for the appointment of a conduct committee, which will control the conduct of members on the road. Infractions of the speed laws or of the rules of the road will be penalized, and objectionable autoists will be frowned on. The members agreed that the reckless driven must be discouraged in his course, and that the rank and file of auto users cannot afford to remain indifferent to the excesses of the men who have brought criticism upon them.

A board of twelve trustees will govern the organization. Seven will be Plainfielders, chosen last night, and the rest, to be elected later, will represent other sections of the county. H. C. Suydam, J. P. Stevens, Richard Stevens, Dr. Perrine, W. H. P. Veysey, M. B. Mellor and Dr. P. J. Zegilo were the Plainfielders named. The president is an ex-officio member of the board.

Three classes will figure in the membership—Class A, composed of auto owners; Class B, those interested in the subject; and Class C, dealers or workers in automobiles. The last class will not have votes. The dues per year will be, Class A, $3; B, $2; C, $1. An initiation fee of $2 is provided, but the fee will be waived on the first 100 applications. There was a considerable addition to the membership last night. Twenty-four men attended the meeting, and all those who had not joined before, signed before leaving. Other applications are on hand.

Association members will fly a pennant, which was adopted last night. The annual election will be held the first Saturday in April, after this year. Last night's election is to stand as the regular one for 1906. There will be one change, however, Allen B. Laing, the secretary, finding his business too binding to permit him to continue in office. The board of trustees will choose his successor.

The association will be represented at the hearing on the Frelinghuysen and Jackson bills, on February 20, by Charles A. Reed. A big delegation of members will accompany him.

The full list of officers is as follows: President, Dr. F. C. Ard; first vice president, Dr. P. J. Zeglio; second vice president, J. P. Stevens; treasurer, G. J. Tobin; secretary, A. B. Laing.

Mrs. Wyckoff's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Martin L. Wyckoff, who died at her home on Somerset street, yesterday morning, will be held from her late home tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The interment will be at Stanton. Mrs. Wyckoff had been sick for a long time and leaves two daughters and one son.

Fernand Martial Dead.

Fernand Martial, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Martial, of Somerset street, died this morning after a long illness. He was in his twenty-second year and is survived by several brothers and sisters. The funeral will be held from his parents' home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—Lovers of honey should secure it at Neuman Brothers'. They are offering the pure clover honey that is strictly high grade.

ANNUAL LIBRARY REPORT

Plainfield's Excellent Public Institution Mentioned in Statement to Governor.

COMMISSION AT WORK

Miss Askew, State Organizer, Visited Seventy-nine Libraries and Tells of Their Condition.

Plainfield's public library gets mention in the annual report of the New Jersey library commission, which has been submitted to Governor Stokes. The document covers the year 1905.

Briefly summarized, the report follows:

January 1, 1905, the commission engaged an organizer, Miss Sarah B. Askew, who was experienced in library work. During the ten months she has visited 79 of the public libraries in New Jersey, many of them several times, and has also visited 10 towns and villages that were without library facilities, in the effort to create interest in the subject of organizing a free public library or to explain the traveling library system.

To assist libraries already established has been the main object. Many of these are in charge of volunteers, and others are managed by librarians who are without technical training and unacquainted with the modern aids that make the work of library administration easier and more accurate and the institution more useful to the people whom it seeks to serve. Many suggested changes have been adopted and the organizer has given considerable of her time to assisting the librarians and aiding in the work of reorganization.

Sixteen of the libraries visited were uncatalogued, 13 had only printed lists of titles arranged alphabetically, 42 were either unclassified or with very imperfect classification, and 14 of these had the books arranged on the shelves as they had been bought, using the accession book as a catalogue. Of the 79 libraries visited 24 were under the old-fashioned ledger form of charging books, four had no charging system whatever, and 14 were using imperfect and time-consuming schemes.

Under the commission's direction six libraries have been assisted in the work of cataloguing their books; the catalogues of two others have been revised and corrected, four have been given instruction in the work of preparing their books for circulation, self-listing has been taught to two others; assistance in making out lists of books to be bought has been given to six libraries and advice as to how and where to buy has been freely given at all times.

Lists of periodicals suitable for the needs of a small library have been made out for five, on request, and assistance in the buying of library furnishings given in two instances. The commission has advised on the plans for two new libraries, and for a considerable number has, on request, suggested rules and regulations for their government.

Two new libraries have been organized during the year and are now doing excellent work. One is at Gladstone, for the use of that town, Peapack and Far Hills, and the other is at North Summit. The aid of the commission was given to both of them.

There were added to the traveling libraries during the year, by purchase, 374 volumes and by gift from the Smithsonian institute 25. From some of the latter articles on important subjects were taken and rebound, making the increase 410 books. The total number accessioned into the traveling libraries is 3,836, of which about 3,400 are now available for use. Five years of use have worn out many volumes, a few have been lost, while some that were donated are of classes that would make them more useful in a reference library.

In January the commission voted to reduce from $5 to $2 the annual fee for the use of the libraries. The only excuse for any charge is that it protects the state against imposition and is in a measure a guarantee that there is a demand for the books.

In seven of the towns visited by the organized addresses were delivered on the subject of free public libraries and the advantages of having them under municipal control. That they were not without beneficial results is demonstrated by the fact that in one of the towns the subscriptions to the library amount to $320 more than they have ever been before, while another voted to make free a library that has hitherto been maintained by subscriptions.

In pursuance of the desire to advance the standard of librarianship in the towns and to give sufficient training to those in charge of the smaller libraries to better fit them for their work, the public library commission is preparing plans for a summer library school to be held at Asbury Park for the four weeks in June or July. The school will be under the direction of Miss Askew, the organizer, who, as instructor, will be assisted by several experienced librarians who have volunteered their services. The Asbury Park free public library will be the place of meeting.

No preliminary examination for entrance will be required, and all needed supplies will be furnished by the commission. The expense to the commission will be light, while that to the students will be the cost of board, for which reduced rate has been promised. The course will be elementary and designed for the benfit of the custodian of small libraries.

BOROUGH HEALTH BOARD REVOKES THREE LICENSES

TAKES DRASTIC MEASURES TO SECURE BETTER SCAVENGER WAGONS.

Responding to notices sent them recently, delegations of ash carters and scavengers appeared before the borough Board of Health last night to consider complaints made that the vehicles used by them in their work are unsightly and unclean. Several members expressed themselves as very much opposed to the disagreeable appearance of the wagons and maintained that something should be done at once or revoke the licenses as a safeguard for public benefit.

The scavengers at first insisted that it was impossible to keep thier wagons in better shape, but argument soon convinced them that a change could be brought about. The licenses of Morris Compton and C. E. Ingraham, scavengers, and Edward Adams, of Coontown, carter, were revoked. Their vehicles were asserted to be offensive weeks ago, and they were notified to appear before the board, but failed to do so. During the meeting it was remarked that one carter, Samuel Robinson, who has held a borough license for years, kept his wagons in a condition that could be copied by the other carters. The vehicles he uses attract no attention whatsoever and a complaint has never been registered against them.

One of the board members said this morning that it was the determination of the health officials to keep up the agitation for a better system and that men running ill-looking vehicles would be served as were the three last night.

HE HAS NO USE FOR REFORMERS.

New Jersey's Attorney-General Declares in Dinner Speech They Are Iconoclasts.

Residents of the Oranges were discussing yesterday the speech of Attorney-General Robert H. McCarter, delivered Monday night at the banquet of the East Orange Republican Club. Mr. McCarter was the last speaker, and many of the diners had left the hall.

The Attorney-General opened with an attack on Frederick W. Kelsey, who is a former Park Commissioner, and who has recently written a book on the history of the county parks. Mr. McCarter spoke of the book and in the same breath said the Park Commissioner had been "buying trees," As Mr. Kelsey is financially interested in nurseries, the assertion caused a buzz to go around the room and the diners who were about to leave for home stopped at the door.

"As for reformers," Mr. McCarter said, "I have no use for them. For me the Republican party, which has withstood the shock of calumny and the attacks of the demagogue, and through it all has stood it like a rock, is good enough. Reformers are iconoclasts. They hear their voices crying in the wilderness and think it is the detonation of thunder. For these the Republican party has no use. Placidly is the measure of perfection. No one is so perfect as Mark Fagan, of Jersey City!"

Mr. McCarter paid a compliment to the Republican machine in East Orange, which, he said, showed strong party sentiment. He pictured the mother of the Republican party standing at the back door beckoning to the warring factions in the party, crying as she did so:

"Children, stop your nonsense; wipe your bloody noses, come in and be good. It's time to go to bed."

The speaker also criticised the Newark Board of Trade, which, he said, was deciding things, and to the New England Society of Orange, which, he declares, was "the mother-in-law of scolds."

Mr. McCarter's topic was "Current Problems."

Vets to Attend Funeral.

Members of Winfield Scott Post, G. A. R., are requested to assemble at the Post headquarters at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to attend the funeral services of Dr. W. B. Mattison, at Warren chapel at 11 o'clock.

Brought Here for Burial.

The body of Mrs. Jane Walbridge, who resided in Brooklyn, was brought to this city yesterday and interred at Hillside. She leaves numerous relatives who live in this city.

Mr. Robbie Ill.

Bays' Secretary Robbie, of the Y. M. C. A., is confined to the house by illness. His place at the association is being filled by Carl Haynes.

The management of the West End team of Somerville is busy selecting strong players for the season. It is believed that an exceptionally strong aggregation will represent the county seat this year.

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Snider's Catsup (20c kind), a bottle	17c
Pride of France Catsup, large bottle	10c
American Mixed Candy (10c kind), lb	7c
Karo Corn Syrup (10c kind), a can	8c
Comb Honey (20c kind), a box	18c
Maraschino Cherries (25c kind), a bottle	21c
McCann's Irish Oatmeal, 5 lb. tin	53c
Salt Mackerel, choice white fish, each	8c
Cromarty Smoked Bloaters, 2 for	5c

BARGAINS!

Cracker Meal (10c kind), a lb	6c
Gordon's Extra Fat Bloaters, each	5c
Soused Mackerel, 1 lb. tins	15c
Columbia River Salmon, Merrimac brand, 1 lb. flat can	15c
Deviled Crabs, including shells, a can	22c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1 lb. can, 35c; ½ lb. can	20c
Swift's Lard, a lb	8c
Best Elgin Creamery Butter, lb	28c

$2 worth of Stamps Free with 25 lb. bag Best XXXX Flour 75c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with 1 dozen California Navel Oranges a dozen 25c, 30c and 35c	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Royal Blue Corn a can 10c 20 Stamps Free	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Harvest Gem Peas a can 12c 20 Stamps Free
$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Parsnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Sweet Potatoes 30c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket White or Yellow Turnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket Red or Yellow Onions 30c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

1 box Gold Medal Cocoa	18c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate	18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract	15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract	15c
1 package Farina	10c
1 package Hasty Tapioca	10c
3 lb. package Rice	20c
2 lb. package Rolled Oats	10c
1 large pkg Wash. Powder	10c
1 package Parlor Matches	12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing	10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each	5c

$1 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3 lb. box Cal. Prunes	25c
3 lb. package B. B. Buckwheat	15c
3 lb. can Syrup	15c
1 package Macaroni	10c
1 bottle Scheuer's Catsup	13c
1 bottle Horse Radish	10c
1 bottle Vanilla	15c
1 can Baked Beans	10c
1 can Pumpkin	10c
1 can Beets	12c
1 can Stringless Beans	12c
1 can Spinach	12c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

Grandma's Cookies, lb	12c
Sultana Fruit Crackers, lb	15c
Fig Bars, lb	12c
Graham Crackers, lb	12c
2 packages Cracker Jack	10c
Chocolate Creams, lb	15c
Cocoanut Bon Bons, lb	12c
French Mixed Candy, lb	12c
Royals, lb	13c
Cocoa Brittle, lb	13c
2 packages Cracker Jack, each.	5c

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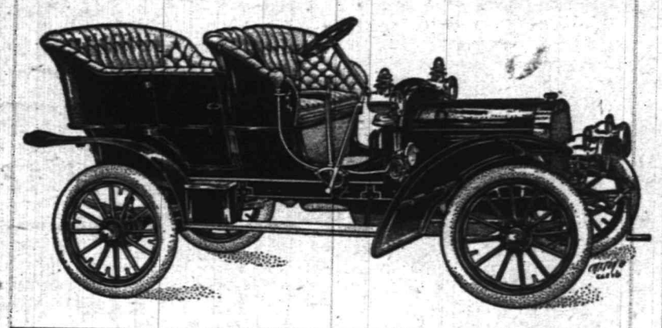

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Actually Robbed a Jail.

Thieves entered early yesterday morning one of the buildings attached to the Passaic county jail, at Patterson, hoisted several bales of hay and bags of oats over the high jail wall and escaped.

The Women's Veteran Relief Union will hold a social and entertainment on Friday night.

Mizpah Lodge, No. 1, U. O. of I. O. L., will hold a New England supper on Wednesday night, February 28.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6.55 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:35 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:35 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER
Fair, colder tonight; Friday fair, not so cold.
Maximum, 45; minimum, 38; 15 hours ending at noon today. Ther. at noon, 22.

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SUSTAINS SCHOOL BOARD

New Market to Have a $12,500 School House; Election Favoring It.

END OF A DISPUTE

Judge W. A. Coddington's Contention Supported by State Superintendent and the Attorney-General.

The Board of Education of the Township of Piscataway, through William A. Coddington, its counsel, has been sustained in its appeal to State Superintendent of Schools C. J. Baxter and Attorney-General McCarter, regarding the vote taken at New Market on September 6 last and the bond issue. The board contended that the proposition to build a school at New Market at a cost not to exceed $12,500 was carried and also that the bond issue was authorized. The opposition maintained that the vote on the new school proposition was a tie, 98 for and 98 against, with one rejected ballot, and it was on this dispute that the appeal was taken. Mr. Coddington received the opinions of both Superintendent Baxter and Attorney-General McCarter today sustaining him in his contention.

On September 6 last there was a meeting of the legal voters at New Market, when a proposition was submitted to build a school house at that place on the site of the old building at a cost not to exceed $12,500. Another proposition was submitted to purchase an adjoining lot not to exceed a cost of $425.

At the meeting there were 197 votes cast and one ballot rejected. A report sent to County Superintendent H. B. Willis stated that the vote was a tie, 98 for and 98 against the proposition to build a school house and that the lot proposition was defeated by a majority of eleven votes.

The School Board investigated the report sent in by the secretary and tellers of the meeting and was satisfied that the vote was not a tie, that the school house proposition was carried by a majority of forty-three votes. The board then prepared a complete return of all the proceedings pertaining to the meeting. One copy was sent to the State Board of Education and the other to the Attorney-General as required by law.

The appeal was taken and an investigation was made by Superintendent C. J. Baxter. His report on the appeal sets forth, "that it is impossible for him to discover by what process of reason 197 ballots were cast and deducting the rejected ballot, the result was a tie, 98 in favor and 98 against." He further says: "I am of the opinion that the proposition submitted to the legal voters of the school district of the Township of Piscataway on September 6, 1905, for the purchase of additional lands at New Market was defeated and the proposition submitted at the same meeting for the erection of a new school building at New Market was carried."

After the investigation and recount the reports were annexed to that of Superintendent Baxter and submitted to the Attorney-General on the proceedings authorizing the bond issue. On Tuesday the Attorney-General approved all the proceedings authorizing the bond issue for the erection of a school building not to exceed in cost $12,500.

In the long continued fight made on behalf of the School Board of Piscataway Township, Mr. Coddington has won a signal victory and the school board is gratified in being sustained in its position." It is the opinion that the tellers, Robert L. Pierce and P. W. Voorhees, as well as the secretary, F. O. Nelson, made a mistake in the count of the votes at the school meeting. The majority of the people interested are pleased that the matter has been settled and that New Market will now have a school house with adequate accommodations.

Single-end Cars.

The much talked of single-end cars have at last been put into service on this division by the P. S. C. Only two of them are running to the Dunellen terminal, but there is promise of more very soon. They are better for the public in the additional room on the rear platform. The chief advantage for the crew is the absence of necessity to cart a dusty fender back to the other end at the finish of a run. They save the company the cost of one motor box.

Will Work the Orient.

The Oriental Degree Court, comprised of members of Franklin, Somerset and Benevolent Councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet on Wednesday night, February 21, and work the Orient on fifteen candidates.

—Neuman Brothers have just received a consignment of high grade canned fruits. In includes Golden Gate peaches, cherries and apricots. Quality the very best.

A NON-PARTISAN BOARD

Bill to Abolish Party Ascendancy in School Government.

BOARD LIMITED TO 8

Provision for Referendum in Bill—Mustn't Be Submitted More Than Once in Five Years.

A bill for the creation of non-partisan school boards was introduced in the Assembly yesterday by Everard Tucker, of the Union county delegation. The measure provides for boards of eight members, not more than four of each are to be of the same political party.

As at present constituted, the Plainfield board has five members. They are all Republicans. Rev. Erskine M. Rodman's friends have been trying to get him on the board for the Democrats for years, but without any glimmering of success.

The acceptance of the act must be submitted to the qualified voters of any municipality at a general or municipal election or a special election called for that purpose, but the governing body of the municipality or the Board of Education of any school district situated in such municipality shall first determine that such question shall be so submitted, or whenever at least five per centum of the legal voters shall by their petiton request that the question be so submitted. The question, however, will be submitted to the same municipality only once in five years.

Plainfield would be likely to support the non-partisan idea, if the law were enacted. There has been considerable talk in favor of taking political considerations from the nomination of board members for a number of years, and the submission of the question under the Tucker bill would probably draw a strong vote in its favor.

The present school board is composed of Dr. J. B. Probasco, L. N. Lovell, C. F. Abbott, F. T. Woodhull and E. M. Cave.

STREET CUT PROPERTY.

Mrs. Bolen Sues for $3,000 Against Emil Messerschmidt.

Mrs. F. G. Bolen, of North Plainfield, has begun an action to recover $3,000 for breach of covenant in warranty of deed against Emil Messerschmidt and his wife, in the Supreme Court, at Elizabeth. The suit is based on damage done to property by borough street improvement. The Messerschmidts sold the property, at Fairview and Westervelt avenues, to Mrs. Bolen in 1903, giving a warranty deed.

They did not know at the time, and the search of title did not disclose, that an old survey sent Fairview avenue across one corner of the place. The borough cut through, under the survey, and lopped eleven feet from the front and two feet from the rear of the property. Charles M. Dolliver is the plaintiff's lawyer.

HAUL OF SILVER FOR BURGLARS IN DUNELLEN.

Beat Small Watchdog Half to Death and Get Booty.

Thieves broke into the house of John Van Middlesworth, Washington avenue, Dunellen, last night and got away with all the silverware.

The robbery occurred between 6 and 9 o'clock when the family were out. On their return they found the rear door forced and evidences of burglary all through the house. A small dog, kept in the house to give warning of stranges' approach, was found half killed by savage blows. There were no clues to tne identity of the robbers. They took only silverware, getting a haul valued at between $150 and $200.

GALBRAITH GUILTY.

He and Others Accused of Henious Offense to be Sentenced Wednesday.

John Galbraith, who with several other men from this city was charged with a henious offense and indicted by the last Grand Jury, was found guilty in the Union County Court yesterday after a trial lasting nearly all day. He will be sentenced on Wednesday, February 21.

Peter Linzer, Thomas Holland and William Ross, who retracted their pleas of not guilty to that of guilty, will be sentenced at the same time. Linzer was represented by W. G. DeMeza, while F. J. Blatz represented Holland and Ross.

Booming Siche Gas Stock.

L. R. Arnett, of The Siche Gas Company, left for Toronto, Canada, yesterday afternoon, to consult with his company at that place. He will return Monday. Mr. Arnett says that the stock for the Plainfield company is selling rapidly and there is every prospect of being able to start up the factory within a short time.

Y.M.C.A. TEAM'S SLUMP

Came at Close of Successful Basketball Season But May be Blessing in Disguise.

WORK OF THE PLAYERS

Scull and Smith Only Members of Last Year's Five—Letson, Leary and Thompson Regarded As Good Men.

After a remarkably successful season, the basketball five of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. took an unexpected slump in the last two games played at the local gymnasium. There didn't appear to be any particular reason for it unless it was the hoodoo which always appears in a game with the Newark Y. M. C. A. boys. It is likely, however, to have been a blessing in disguise and wake the local five up for its hard game Saturday night. The team from the Atlantic Boat Club is coming back and will give the Plainfielders a lively hustle. Plainfield won the first game when the teams met but it was only by a narrow margin and after the hottest kind of playing. The A. B. C. delegation is coming back determined to win and that means a splendid contest between two strong teams. While the visitors play hard and fast, theirs is a clean game and they made many friends on the occasion of their first appearance by their sportsmanlike conduct. As a result a good crowd is promised.

The season is now far enough advanced to size up the work of the different players who make up the local five and to compare them with the opposing teams they have encountered. The season was started with really only two of last season's five as a basis. Captain Harry Scull was at his old place at centre and Ray Smith appeared again as a forward. An injury kept Smith out of the game for several weeks and made it necessary to try out two new candidates for the forward places. Edward Neal and Utzinger played part of last season and their experience has proved invaluable this year, although neither has been able to play regularly.

Fred Letson has been criticised considerably for the style of game he plays, but his method of sticking close to his man, even if it has resulted in occasional fouls for holding, has been effective. Leary, who has been tried at both forward and guard, generally the former, has been a valuable acquisition to the team. He is an aggressive player and is one of the most accurate in goal throwing. His experience as a member of the Colgate University five has made him very valuable to Plainfield. Although he has but little chance to practice, he has played a consistently good game.

Despite the handicap in size and weight, Ray Smith has been able to hold his own against some of the best players in the State. Of late Smith has not been as accurate in goal shooting as heretofore, but in this he has but kept pace with the rest.

Harry Thompson is a new player this year who has shown a distinct improvement since the season started. Thompson was the mainstay of the High School team last season and he has played the same even game this year in the faster company. Ted Gavett is capable of good basketball and, with a little more experience, will develope into a strong player.

While team work is prominent in the winning qualities of the Plainfield five, the real tower of strength is Harry Scull. Scull has been up against some of the finest players in the State and he has held his own wonderfully well. Probably his hardest task has been to take care of Vreeland, Newark's centre and crack player. It is interesting to know that in the last game with Newark, while Scull and Vreeland faced each other, the Newark man was unable to score a single basket from the field. That is a record of which few of Vreeland's opponents can boast.

If the Plainfield association five recovers from this slump it should be in good shape to play the most important games of the season which are scheduled for this month and next. The games with Orange and Montclair promise to be the best that the local management can offer. Their ability is known and they are now keen and leading rivals in the fight for the championship of North Jersey. Next to them stand the Atlantic Boat Club's five, opponents of the local team for Saturday night's game, and the Maxwell House aggregation from Brooklyn, who are likely to play here again before the season closes.

Mizpah's Entertainment.

Mizpah Lodge, Order of Odd Ladies, will give an entertainment and New England supper in its hall on East Front street Wednesday evening, February 28.

ANOTHER MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP ELECTION

Senator Ackerman Introduces Bill Which Aims to Correct Ambiguities in Present Laws on the Subject.

MR. MARSH'S ADVICE

Corporation Counsel Drafted Bill After He Advised Council Not to Proceed Under November Election for Public Ownership of Water Supply.

As drafted by Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, an amendment to the act enabling cities to supply the inhabitants thereof with water was introduced in the Legislature yesterday by Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city, the primary object of the measure being to clear up any doubts that may result from an election under the present somewhat ambiguous law under which Plainfield held an election last November. Soon after the result of the election for municipal ownership of water supply here was known Mr. Marsh advised the public affairs committee of the Common Council that it would not be warranted in going ahead with the matter under the conditions. It was considered doubtful whether there was a clear majority in favor of the proposition within the meaning of the acts of Assembly. Under the proposed amendment, the same vote as that cast at the last election would at any future election carry the proposition for municipal ownership.

Mr. Marsh subsequently advised the Common Council in executive session that some question would be raised as to the validity of the bonds that might be issued were it to go ahead with the municipal ownership project under the election held. Accordingly, the corporation counsel was instructed to draft a bill for presentation to the Legislature that would make the result of a municipal ownership of water supply election free from any question.

Acting upon the request of the Common Council, Mr. Marsh, with the assistance of Councilman Daniel, drew up the following bill, which received favorable commendation from legal lights in the Senate for its careful wording, conciseness and clearness:

"Sec. 16. That this act shall take effect immediately, but its provisions shall remain inoperative in any city in this State until assented to by a majority of those of the legal voters of such city who shall vote either for or against the adoption of its provisions as hereinunder provided, at an election to be held in such city at any time to be fixed by the Board of Aldermen, Council, or other legislative body of such city. If the time fixed for holding said election shall be the time for holding any general election, the former shall be consolidated with the latter, and be conducted in the manner required by law governing such general election. The city clerk of said city shall cause public notice of the time, place and purpose of holding the election to be given by advertisement signed by himself and set upat least eight days prior to and within thirty days next preceding the day of election, in at least five of the most public places within such city, and published in one or more newspapers printed therein for at least six days previous to the day of such election, and the clerk whose duty it shall be by law to provide ballots for such election, whether he be the clerk of the city in which such election shall take place, or the clerk of the county in which such city is located, shall provide or cause to be provided for each voter voting at such election, ballots, upon which ballots (and beneath the list of candidates thereon, if any candidates are to be voted for at such election) shall be printed the following words: "For Against The adoption for this city of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to supply the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water, approved April 21st, 1876,' and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto." If the word "For" be marked off or defaced upon the ballot, it shall be counted as a vote against the adoption for said city of the provisions of said act; if the word "Against" be marked off or defaced upon the ballot, it shall be counted as a vote in favor of the adoption for said city of the provisions of said act; and in case neither the word "For" nor the word "Aagainst" be marked off or defaced upon the ballot, it shall not be counted as a vote either for or against such proposition, nor shall the person depositing in the ballot box a ballot on which neither the said word "For" nor the said word "Against"

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LIQUOR LAW AMENDMENTS

Radical Changes Approved at State Meeting of Bishops and Clergy.

FOR LOCAL OPTION

Drastic Conditions for the Better Regulation of the Rum Traffic—Brief Summary of Proposed Amendments.

The Trenton House conference, composed of Catholic, Episcopal, Methodist and Presbyterian clergymen, with three laymen of this State, having under consideration the reformation of the liquor traffic, emphatically declared its position on temperance legislation yesterday afternoon at a conference held at the Trenton House. The anti-local optionists had given the impression that the sentiment of this conference was against local option.

At the meeting yesterday a resolution was adopted denying that the conference had given any expression against local option at a former conference. Another resolution was adopted declaring in favor of local option.

The conference also approved several amendments to the Werts liquor law and an amendment to the crimes act, which was drawn up by former Judge Gilbert Collins, who is retained as counsel for the Catholic clergymen of Hudson county.

Bayard Stockton presided over the conference. The others present were Bishop James A. McFaul, Bishop John Scarborough, Bishop J. J. O'Connor, Bishop Edward S. Lines, of Newark; Monsignor J. H. Fox, Rev. Dr. Henry Collin Minton, Rev. Dr. Hugh B. MacCauley, Rev. Dr. John H. Fox, Rev. Edward J. Knight, Rev. Dr. Charles E. Nash, of Newark, superintendent of the New Jersey Anti-Saloon League; Rev. Father Ryan, of Jersey City; Rev. Charles Kelly, of Hoboken, and Charles B. Case, of Trenton.

The resolutions referring to local option follow:

Introduced by Mr. Case and seconded by Bishop McFaul:

"Whereas, This conference is informed that it has been misrepresented by certain statements made by one of the principal speakers at the anti-local option hearing before the committee of the State Legislature having in charge the local option bill, the misrepresentations being to the effect that the sentiment of this conference was against local option, and that this conference had appointed a committee for the purpose of drafting a bill to be presented at this session of the Legislature to take the place of the local option bill now before the Legislature; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That this conference did not give expression of any sentiment against local option, nor has it appointed any committee for the purpose of drafting any bill to take the place of the local option bill now pending before the house committee of the Legislature; and be it further

"Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the press in order that this conference may appear in its true light before the citizens of New Jersey."

Introduced by Dr. Nash and seconded by Bishop McFaul:

"Resolved, That this conference wishes to go on record as favoring local option."

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

The matter of the amendment to the Werts law was brought up by the following resolution, presented by Dr. MacCauley and seconded by Bishop McFaul:

"Resolved, That it is advisable in view of the existing legislation and other circumstances that we should proceed farther with the present movement for the amendment of the existing excise laws."

The amendments provide that in all cities having a population of 10,000 or over the license fee shall be fixed at $500; that the application must be signed by both the owner of the property where the saloon will be conducted and the applicant for the license; that the license may be forfeited upon the complaint of one person; that the business of the saloon shall be conducted in plain view, no obstructions or screens being used to the windows; that the saloon shall have but one door and that one shall open on the main street; that where a license has been forfeited no new one shall be granted either to the person conducting the place or to the owner of the property within one year of forfeiture of the license, and that no new license shall be granted to a place within 200 feet of the boundary of the property on which a church, school or armory stands.

The matter was placed in the hands of a committe composed of Monsignor Fox, Rev. Mr. Knight and Mr. Case, to present it to the Legislature.

While the conference is in favor of local option, this bill was prepared to cover places which might not vote for local option.

WANTS $10,000 DAMAGE

Servant Sues S.A. Cruikshank For Alleged Slander.

DEMURRER TO THE SUIT

Counsel for Plaintiff Will Move Dismissal of the Demurrer and a Judgment for His Client Next Tuesday.

Before the Supreme Court at Trenton next Tuesday Counsellor William Newcorn will move that judgment for $10,000 be entered against Simeon A. Cruikshank, of Netherwood, for alleged slander against Jennie Crothy, a domestic formerly in his employ.

Jennie Crothy began proceedings against Cruikshank last winter. The summons was issued on February 16. She charges that on January 15, 1905, when she was on the point of leaving the Cruikshank service, that Cruikshank slandered her by saying: "You are not going to leave this house until I see what is in your trunk," and that Cruikshank, the same day, called Officer Overbaugh to his home and instructed him to search the trunk. Miss Crothy claims that he did it maliciously and that her good name has been injured so that she has suffered damage to the extent of $10,000.

A demurrer was filed by Nelson and William N. Runyon, lawyers for Cruickshank, in which they ask to have the cause dismissed because the declaration is insufficient. Notice has been served on the defendant's lawyers that Counsellor Newcorn will move to dismiss the demurrer next Tuesday and enter judgment against Cruikshank for want of prosecution of the demurrer.

DISTINGUISHED DIVINES TO SPEAK AT FUNERAL

ARRANGEMENTS FOR FUNERAL OF REV. DR. JAMES R. BRYAN.

The funeral services of the late Rev. Dr. James R. Bryan will be held at the First M. E. church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. It is expected that not only the local churches, but all those throughout the Newark Conference will be largely represented. especially those of which Dr. Bryan has been the pastor.

There will be three leading speakers at the service, Bishop E. G. Andrews, of New York; Rev. Dr. Henry A. Buttz, president of Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, N. J., and Rev. Dr. George H. Whitney, of this city, president-emeritus of Hackettstown Institute. All three were close personal friends of Dr. Bryan for many years and know of his earnest work in the ministry. There will be special music by the vested choir of the First M. E. church.

MRS. C. W. McCUTCHEN LECTURES ON EGYPT.

Her Remarks Before Current Events Club Well Illustrated.

The members of the Current Events Club and a limited number of their friends enjoyed a rare treat yesterday afternoon at the Park Club house when Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen gave an illustrated talk on her trip up the Nile in company with her family in a dahabeah.

The many beautiful pictures, artistically taken, exquisitely colored and skilfully exhibited gave a correct idea of the Egypt of today as described by Mrs. McCutchen in a most charming and graceful manner.

Refreshments were served at the close of the exhibit by the daughters of members of the Current Events Club.

Gets Divorce for Desertion.

It took Paul Vollmer, a hat finisher, of Danbury, Conn., less than a half hour today to prove a charge of wilful desertion against his wife, Annie R. Vollmer, whom he married in Orange, October 4, 1899. The case was heard by Vice-Chancellor Pitney, at Newark, who directed Leonard Kalisch, Vollmer's counsel, to draw up a decree for him to sign. There was no defense. The desertion took place on July 13, 1901.

Sermon to Men's Club.

A special sermon to the members of the Men's Club, Grace P. E. church, will be preached at the church March 11: The preacher will be Rev. Louis Shreve Osborne, of Trinity church. His subject has not been announced.

Cottage Prayer Meeting.

A cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of W. C. Leek, 403 East Fifth street, tomorrow evening, and all are invited to attend.

WHOLESALE COAL THEFTS

L. V. R. R. Officers Secure Arrest of Four in Dunellen.

FIFTH MAN IS HIDING

Winfield Smalley, a Plainfielder, Among the Prisoners—Alleged They Sold Two and Three Tons Daily.

Winfield Smalley, of this city, surrendered himself to Justice R. P. F. Von Minden, of New Market, last night to answer a charge of stealing coal, preferred by the Lehigh Valley Railroad. Smalley was the fourth of five men wanted by the railroad detectives to submit to arrest. The other three, John Newburg, William Purnell and Melvin Smalley, were arrested by Constable Pierce in Dunellen yesterday morning. The fifth is in hiding and the officers are looking for him.

The Lehigh Valley road has been missing big quantities of coal all along the New Market section for several weeks, and it sent detectives to investigate the neighborhood. The officers learned enough to secure warrants before Justice Von Minden yesterday against four Dunellenites and the Plainfielder. Constable Pierce was given the warrants, and served Purnell, Melvin Smalley and Newburg at their places of employment without trouble. Winfield Smalley, who works at the Levering & Garrigues shop, Dunellen, was not in sight when the constable came for him. He learned of Pierce's approach, it is said, and skipped from the shop. Pierce sent his description to this city and asked the local police to look for him, but before the officers could start after him he surrendered himself to Justice Von Minden at the latter's home in New Market last night. He came prepared to give bail, and was released under $200, to appear for an examination next Wednesday. Purnell, Newburg and Melvin Smalley were released under the same bond earlier in the day.

The fifth man was still uncaptured at noon. The authorities will not make his name public, for fear the information may affect the chances of capturing him.

It was said this morning by one of the prosecuting officials that the men have been stealing coal by the wholesale. It is alleged that they sold as much as two and three tons of it daily. All the prisoners are well known in Dunellen and the West End. They come of respectable families and none of them had any trouble in securing bonds.

MACHINISTS ROBBED BY NEW-MADE FRIEND

POLICE LOCATE HIM IN SCRANTON AND BRING ABOUT ARREST.

Frank Lamont, a machinist, was arrested in Scranton, Pa., yesterday for the local police. He is wanted on a charge of larceny, preferred by two other machinists, Dennis McMahon, 951 West Third street, and Carl F. Avery, 953 South Second street.

The complainants charged that Lamont, whom they knew but two weeks, chummed with them, gained their confidence and decamped, on February 9, with McMahon's tools and a suit of clothes and an overcoat belonging to Avery. They reported the alleged theft to the police and Chief Kiely traced Lamont into Pennsylvania. The trail led to Scranton, and the quarry was run down by the officers there in response to Chief Kiely's request.

Imperial Chinese Visit Yale.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 15.—The imperial Chinese commissioners visited Yale yesterday, examined its chief buildings and watched the students at work in the gymnasium. A large number of students followed them about the campus and cheered them. President Hadley greeted them with a speech, in which he said the university is glad to have Chinese students and hopes for more. The visitors met a number of professors at the Graduates' Club.

Yale Captain's Host.

Richard C. Morse, of Yale, captain of the 'varsity crew, will be the guest of Richard L. Lovell, of Crescent avenue, over Sunday. Capt. Morse will come to Plainfield to speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday afternoon. His subject will be announced Saturday.

Bishop's Son Removes.

Mr. and Mrs. T. U. Dudley, of 109 Park place, the borough, will remove March 1 to Lowden county, Virginia. Mr. Dudley is the son of the late distinguished prelate, the Rt. Rev. Dr. Thomas U. Dudley, Bishop of Kentucky.

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75c Corset Cover Embroidery, 18 inch, about twenty-five styles 39c
15c Printed Lawn, 40 inches wide, about 1000 yards of seconds, slight imperfections in the print 10c
$1.50 Embroidered Fine White Waist Patterns, just received, one hundred will be sold at 98c
50c Men's White Overalls, all sizes, for Saturday only 35c
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$1.25 Ladies' Kid Gloves, black, white, gray, mode and tan, for 1.00
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

After a week of untiring sleuthing, the Lehigh Valley Railroad police made three arrests in the coal theft cases that have been bothering them for months, yesterday. The prisoners are all local men—John Newburg, Melvin Smalley and William Purnell. Other arrests, it is said, are to follow. There is a rumor that the railroad police have evidence that the robberies were committed in collusion, under a gang system, but no confirmation of this could be obtained yesterday from the officials. The prisoners were given a preliminary hearing before Judge Von Minden, and held under $200 bail apiece, for examination next Wednesday.

A. N. Randolph, who recently sold his electrical business in Jersey City, has not retired for good. He will shortly go into the same business in Plainfield. For the past two weeks Mr. Randolph has been enjoying a well-earned vacation.

The repairs to the gas main at Washington avenue, made by the P. S. C. Tuesday, stopped a serious leak at that point. The work checked the possibility of an explosion, it is said, that was growing in seriousness hourly.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Mair Williams, of New York, cousin of Miss Janie Churchill, to a Canadian. Miss Williams is a former resident of Dunellen.

George Kuldoshes has received an invitation to join the Plainfield auto association. He will probably join.

The work of improving the Samson house has been completed by Rimmer, Apgar & Cuzen.

Daniel Gulick, who has been suffering from lumbago for a week, is able to leave the house.

Wotton Minthorne returned to New York yesterday after a week's stay at Wottonhurst.

One of the W. B. Smith houses has just been repainted. De Witt Fulton did the work.

Miss Edna Vail has returned from a two weeks' stay with friends in Phillipsburg.

Frank Marienschenck has entirely recovered from his recent injury.

A men's meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church tonight.

Mrs. W. W. Oliver has recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. Frank Nye has recovered from a severe cold.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The members of Fanwood Bucket and Engine Co. celebrated their victory over Excelsior Hook and Ladder Co. at the election for fire department officers held several weeks ago by holding a social last night in their rooms. Nearly every active member was out for the election was an event that will go down in the history of the local department as one of the closest and hottest contests ever held for department officers. The regular election is held the first Tuesday in January. When the time began to roll around this year both companies started out to win. The enthusiasm displayed aroused some of the older members, who had long since cast aside the cares of company business, and when the election was held the two tickets, Excelsior headed by former Chief William B. Noble, and Bucket and Engine Co. headed by William Jamison, ran a dead heat, each ticket receiving 20 votes. The Township Committee decided that another election must be held, so the night was set, each side more determined than ever to carry its ticket. The Bucket and Engine Co. started the slogan of "home rule," claiming that the department heads should be men who are in town at all times. Excelsior simply kept on sawing wood and at the monthly meeting of the company added three new names to its roll. This was discouraging for the Bucket and Engine boys, but they kept up the fight and carried it into the enemy's camp with good results, as shown when the ballots were cast. Excelsior Co. cast 27 ballots against 25 for Bucket and Engine Co., but two of the Excelsior members had turned "traitor" and voted the Bucket and Engine Co. ticket, thereby electing William Jamison chief and Charles Eller and Henry Guerrier assistants. The friendly rivalry displayed over the contest proved to be a good thing for the department. The victorious company decided that the victory should be celebrated, so last night they held forth in true old fashioned style by enjoying a programme of speechmaking, selections on the phonograph, cigars and a collation. Excelsior members are not saying anything but are determined that next year the victory will be celebrated in the fire house across the street from the Bucket and Engine Co. headquarters.

The Elks' minstrels at the New Plainfield theatre tonight is the attraction that will draw a large number of the amusement lovers from here, as many of the cast are well known locally and have pleased the amusement public in the past.

Hardly baseball weather, but still some of the cranks are beginning to wish that the 'Plains rooters would get together and have the town represented on the baseball diamond once more.

The scholars at the public school will observe Washington's Birthday, Wednesday afternoon, February 21, by enjoying a programme of music, songs and recitations.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stillger, who have been visiting Mr. Stillger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stillger, have returned to their home in Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hull, of East Front street, have been entertaining relatives from Newark.

The thaw put an end for a time to the excellent skating which has been enjoyed for a week.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tonight in the Library rooms.

Hiccough Patient Recovering.

Harry Taylor, who has been under treatment at Muhlenberg Hospital for appendicitis complicated by a remarkable attack of hiccoughs, is rapidly recovering from the effects of the operation to which the doctors were compelled to resort. He will be able to leave the institution in a short time. The physicians say the operation has probably cured him of aggravated hiccoughs as well as appendicitis.

Booker Washington Speaks.

Hasbrouck Hall, Jersey City, was filled Tuesday night by an audience which had assembled to listen to a lecture by Prof. Booker T. Washington, principal of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute. Mayor Mark M. Fagan presided, and introduced Prof. Washington to the audience. A big sum of money was realized.

Jasper Cadmus and family, of East Sixth street, have returned from a stay with friends in Bayonne.

MAXIMUM TAX RATE LAW IS FAVORED.

State Equalization Board Members Differ as to Details of Such a Law.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—It was noon Tuesday before the House got to work, the delay being caused by a conference which the Judiciary Committee held with the State Board for the Equalization of Taxes. The conference was held behind closed doors and lasted about an hour.

The committee asked the members of the board for an expression of opinion to the wisdom of repealing the Hillery maximum tax law. All agreed that a maximum tax rate established by law was an excellent thing and conducive to good government, but there was some difference of opinion as to the details of such a law.

Major Lentz, the chairman of the board, said that in his opinion a rate of $1.80 could be enforced in all the municipalities of the State and advocated fixing that as a maximum rate. There was some discussion on this point, the members of the board not being unanimous upon the matter.

In discussing the further details of the proposed maximum tax rate law former Speaker E. Ambler Armstrong, of Camden, one of the commissioners, declared that any law on this subject should embody a fixed rate beyond which no municipality could go by referendum or any other method.

Major Lentz did not concur in this opinion. There should be a referendum to any maximum rate law which might be enacted, for that would be following out the principles for home rule for which he was irrevocably in favor.

The conference also considered the subject of amending the law creating the Equalization Board is such a way as to confer further powers upon that body.

FORMER RECTOR'S MUNIFICENT GIFT.

Father McCosker Gives Over $20,000 to St. Mary's Parish, Rahway.

Rahway, Feb. 15.—Rev. Edward McCosker, a rector of St. Mary's R. C. church, of this city, for more than twenty years, and during whose pastorate the handsome $60,000 church and rectory were built, has donated to the church more than $20,000.

Father McCosker, who is now at St. Joseph's Hospital, Paterson, last week celebrated his eightieth anniversary of his birth. He sent for the Rev. George F. Brown, present rector of St. Mary's church, saying that he wished to meet him at the hospital. Rev. Father Brown at once visited Paterson and for the first time met the former rector, who to his surprise turned over to him a large quantity of negotiable paper, consisting of stocks and bonds and mortgages on property, mostly in Rahway, amounting in all to more than $20,000. He wished it used toward clearing the debt from St. Mary's parish. He felt that he was very largely responsible for the debt, having during his pastorate had the buildings erected.

The surprise was a great one, though most welcome, and Father Brown, on Sunday morning, informed the members of St. Mary's parish of the munificent gift. This will about clear St. Mary's church of her debt.

ARCANUMITES PLAN UNION RALLY MEETING.

To Be Held Under State Committee Auspices at Y. M. C. A.

A big rally meeting of Royal Arcanumites has been planned for this city on Februarv 26. It will be held at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Both Plainfield councils, Greenbrook and Plainfield, will take part. The gathering was planned by, and will be carried out under the auspices of, the State of the Order Committee, a State body. A large attendance is expected, the probabilities being that good-sized delegations from councils in surrounding places will attend.

Eminent speakers will address the meeting, and high State officials will be present. The meeting is designed to increase and enliven the Arcanum spirit here, and to that end all the speeches will be of rousing nature. The full programme has not yet been announced.

CARRIED BULLET 43 YEARS.

Shot During Civil War, Man Lived to Be Seventy-seven.

Vineland, Feb. 15.—After living forty-three years with a bullet in his head, George F. Holt, a pioneer settler of Vineland, died Monday night, aged seventy-seven years. He was left for dead in 1863 when Quantrell's guerillas raided and burned the town of Lawrence, Kan. Quantrell's band rode from Missouri and reached the town at daybreak.

When the guerillas fired Lawrence they burned a bakery. The embers covered some dough, which was taken out a year afterward and baked into bread. Holt kept some of the bread as a memento.

The family of Ernest Low, of Fairview avenue, has been spending a few days out of town.

Miss Emily Duvier, of West Fifth street, has returned from a stay with relatives in Jersey City.

Mrs. George Tice, of Perth Amboy, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Hall, of Watchung avenue.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

An unusually large company is employed in the presentation of Lottie Blair Parker's "Under Southern Skies," which will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre twice tomorrow, afternoon and night. There are twenty-three characters in the cast and seven in the executive department. It is the only play of Southern life ever written that does not bring in either a "Northerner," a "moonshiner" or a "soldier." It is purely Southern in character and atmosphere.

A treat is in store for lovers of clean, refined comedy drama, wherein the heart interest predominates, but where the comedy element is also given due prominence and where the clever rendering of a number of effectively introduced songs of varied characters is an additional and highly attractive feature. The play which combines all these interesting qualities is "The Choir Singer," which will be presented with the original cast and with same elaborate scenic equipment as when played recently in New York. This latest of the season's successes will come to the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday for two performances, matinee and night.

"The Little Gray Lady," the play about which the New York critics were more enthusiastic than about any other this season, will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night. The career of this delightful comedy in the metropolis was quite remarkable. It was received with exceptional favor at the Garrick theatre and was then transferred to the Majestic, where there was no dimunition of public interest. "The Little Gray Lady" is aptly called "the great love play." The romantic features of it are very strong. The play deserves to be called realistic, because of the natural manner in which the characters are developed and the way the plot is unfolded. The comedy is of the kind that is evident in everyday life, and not of that "stagey variety," which is forced. The scenes are laid in Washington and are decidedly novel.

May Irwin, who is appearing in the George V. Hobart farce, "Mrs. Black Is Back," which had a successful New York run of six months last season at the Bijou theatre, will be seen in this city next Tuesday night at the New Plainfield theatre. May Irwin, of course, is at all times May Irwin, but in addition to her own pleasing personality it appears, according to New York dramatic critics, that her present vehicle is the best that she has had in many years. The plot, which is logical enough, is built upon a simple white lie. In one way this is not new in farce comedies, but in Mr. Hobart's latest offering the lie forms a foundation for the plot and not for insipid incidents. Miss Irwin has surrounded herself with a splendid supporting company, which includes the representative players and singers from the ranks of comic opera, drama and comedy. Miss Irwin sings a number of new "coon" songs —an important feature of the Irwin entertainment.

AN "AD" FROM JAIL.

Convict Seeks for a Pardon at the Uusual Rates.

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 15.—A new kind of newspaper advertising has appeared in the weeklies of Addison county, Vermont. John W. Ketchum, who is serving a seven-year sentence at the Addison county jail for complicity in wrecking the Farmers' National Bank of Vergennes, to test the feeling of the people in neighboring towns in regard to a movement to get him pardoned has had the following advertisement inserted in several newspapers, headed: "For J. W. Ketchum's release."

"Those who think that after serving five years with good conduct time allowance sufficient punishment for any part he had in the failure of the Farmers' National Bank, of Vergennes, Vt., are asked to sign such a petition, which can be found at any of the following places in Bristol: F. J. Avery's, Bristol Drug Company's store, Bristol House, and Bristol Herald office.

"Parties wishing blanks can get them by dropping a card to J. W. Ketchum, Middlebury, Vt."

Quarantine Over.

Quarantine has been removed from the house of Handford Miller, Fairview avenue, where a case of scarlet fever has been under treatment.

—There will be a special rehearsal of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra tomorrow night, in preparation for the concert to be held February 19 and 20.

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YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, That at a public sale made by the Collector of the City of Plainfield, on the 21st day of September, 1900, the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield purchased for the sum of Twenty-one Dollars and One Cent ($21.01) and that on the Twelfth Day of April, 1901, by assignment of Certificate of Sale duly executed by the proper parties, I purchased for the sum of Fifty-eight Dollars and Forty-eight Cents ($58.48) (which sum includes taxes for the years 1898, 1899 and 1900) all the land and real estate situate in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, fronting on Raymond Avenue, being laid down and designated as Lots No. 23-25 Raymond Avenue, in Block No. 154, in the First Ward of said City, upon the official assessment map of the City of Plainfield, on file in the Office of the City Collector. Said sale being made pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey, passed March 30th, 1886, entitled, "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in the cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment," and the several supplements and amendments thereof.

AND YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED, That you appear or claim to have an estate or interest in said land and real estate, and unless the said land and real estate shall be redeemed as provided in said Act, before the expiration of six months from and after the service hereof, and when one year has elapsed from and after the time of said sale, a deed for the same will be given conveying to the purchaser the fee simple of said land and real estate according to the provisions of said Act.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1906.
Sale No. 54 of 1900.
Frank Huntington, Purchaser.
1 18 7 oaw th
Fees $14.40.

NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS.

Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of Mary L. Force, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1906, on the application of the undersigned, as Executor of the estate of Mary L. Force, deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said Mary L. Force, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscriber within nine months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.
N. Carmen Dunn,
3436 North 18th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
John H. VanWinkle & Son, Proctors, Plainfield, N. J. 1 25 10 th

EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscribers, executors of Michael Nugent, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of March next.
Dated, January 29, 1906.
MARY NUGENT.
EDWARD MAHER.
John H. VanWinkle & Son, Proctors.
2 2 oaw 5

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, substituted administrator with the will annexed of Michael F. Marcley, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of March next.
Dated, January 31, 1906.
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Dated, Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1906.
Sale No. 57 of 1900.
Frank Huntington, Purchaser.
1 18 7 oaw th
Fees $14.40.

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WIND-UP OF SCHOOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

LEAL'S WINS FROM N. P. H. S.—P. H. S. TEAM THE CHAMPIONS.

In the wind-up of the brief but lively schedule of the dual Interscholastic Basketball League, at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon, the Leal's five defeated the North Plainfield High School team, 16 to 10. The result leaves the borough boys without a win.

The game was all one way. Peacock and Mundy made a good showing, but their mates were not up to them in team work. Leals' was lively and teamy, and kept N. P. H. S. guessing all the time. The score at the end of the first half, 6 to 2, foreshadowed the result. Leal's players were taller than their opponents, and size may have had some effect on the scoring. Howard and Endicott made a strong showing.

The line-up:

N. P. H. S.		LEAL'S.
Peacock	forwards.	Howard
Van Arsdale	forwards.	Alpaugh
Mundy	centre.	Endicott
Steiner	guards.	Dallas
Webster	guards.	Brokaw

The league-ending leaves Plainfield High School undisputed superior of her two rivals. The P. H. S. five won all four of the games played, while Leal's won only two. Between the two other teams, N. P. H. S. couldn't get a mark on the right side.

North Plainfield High School seconds broke even on the season's games, by winning from the Leal's junior five, 16 to 14. The game was won with comparative ease, by superior playing. Leal's hustled only by fits and starts, and N. P. H. S. improved each shining minute of the Lealonian lulls.

The line-up:

N. P. H. S. 2ds.		LEAL'S 2ds.
F. McClintock	forwards.	Valiant
Kenney	forwards.	Bates
W. McClintock	centre.	Jewett
Van Arsdale	guards.	Martin
Day	guards.	Averill

In the minor league, P. H. S. was almost as signally successful as in the major organization, losing but one game. Leal's fell behind their larger fellows in position, dropping below N. P. H. S. by one game. The borough youngsters stand two-two in the percentage column.

LITERARY.

The "New York House" is the title of an entertaining and well-illustrated article in the Architectural Record Magazine for February. A choice description and consideration of "Parisian Doorways in the Eighteenth Century" is from the pen of Russell Sturgis. "Some Houses by Howard Shaw," of Chicago, is the topic of a critique, by A. C. David, and a pleasant notice of Naugatuck, Ct., entitled "An Architectural Oasis," is another prominent chapter in this number.

The February Sunset is on hand looking as attractive as ever, with a cover design by Allan Dunn—Midwinter Touring on California Coast Highways. The leading article is a poem by Bliss Carman; a description of mountain climbing in California in the San Gabriel range back of San Bernardino, which is beautiful in rhyme and rhythm, and sets the pace for verse making, which only John Vance Cheney, Alfred J. Waterhouse, Charles Warren Stoddard and George Sterling could follow. There are good stories about fishing and fashions, flowers, and some excellent fiction; the most notable being a story of the South Seas by Lloyd Osbourne, entitled, "Professor No No." Sam Davis contributes a story of the Comstock, with some amusing incidents of the early days, which is illustrated by reproductions of photographs of presidents and prominent people who have visited lower levels of this famous mine.

Would License Trotting Judges.

New York, Feb. 15.—Notable changes in the rules of harness racing have been formulated by the rules committee of the National Trotting Association at the Murray Hill Hotel. When the biennial congress of members is held today it will be asked to adopt a license system for starting judges which is counted on to correct abuses which have become scandalous in the falsification of records by irresponsible local officials at many indoor trotting meetings.

Punishment for Newspapers.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 15.—The council of ministers have decided that the propagation of newspapers of false rumors against the government, individual officials or the army shall be punishable by two to eight months imprisonment, and fines not exceeding $150. In the event of such rumors causing an outbreak of illegal acts or disturbances among the troops the penalty will be increased to sixteen months' imprisonment.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Williams, of Clinton avenue, are happy over the arrival of a boy baby.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 15, 1906.

ELKS MINSTREL TROUPE READY FOR PREMIERE

PERFORMANCE PROMISES TO ECLIPSE ALL PREVIOUS LOCAL ATTEMPTS.

With the assurance that they will be greeted by one of the largest audiences that has ever gathered in the New Plainfield theatre, the members of Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., minstrel troupe are ready to make their bow as blackface entertainers tonight. The final rehearsals is to be held this afternoon, when the finishing touches will be put on by Judge Runyon and his corps of assistants. An orchestra of twelve pieces will accompany the singers and the scenic and electric effects are to be a feature.

The members of the troupe have several specialties that are sure to be distinct "hits." Judge Runyon's topical song, "I've Changed My Mind," is filled with them, and all the end men have gags that will make the audience sit up and pay attention. John A. O'Keefe will be in the middle and the ends will be held down by Judge Runyon, Herbert B. Brooks, Charles J. Ward, William J. Counihan, Thomas M. Muir and George O. Stevens. There are forty-three in the chorus and every man is to be in costume made especially for the occasion by a New York house. The second part is an olio of three numbers and the performance will conclude with an afterpiece entitled "Moonlight on the Levee."

Following the show, the members of the troupe will adjourn to the Elks' clubrooms, where a reception will be held.

HILLERY ADMITS HIS ERROR.

Story that Led to Quizzing of Colby Wasn't in Paper.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—In the Senate late Tuesday afternoon Senator Hillery, of Morris, publicly admitted he was in error when at the morning session he had attributed to the Newark News a story which represented Senator Colby as criticising Mr. Hillery by inference. Mr. Hillery told the upper House members that it was another paper altogether that published the article.

The item dealt with Senator Colby's recent speech in Morristown, which set forth that the Essex man had told his hearers that he wanted to see Morris county represented in the Legislature by men who had the courage of their convictions and not representatives who bowed to the will of a political boss.

It was this item that nettled Senator Hillery and led to his public quizzing of Senator Colby in the Senate as to whether or not he had been correctly quoted.

ELECTROCUTION BILL IS REPORTED FAVORABLY.

Measure That Would Abolish Hanging Appears With Some Changes As Committee Substitute.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—The Wakelee bill, substituting electrocution for hanging in capital punishment cases, was yesterday reported favorably as a committee substitute, containing changes as to phraseology suggested by various county judges and prosecutors.

It was intimated that in this form it may receive favorable consideration.

Twenty-four Years for Firebug.

Stroudsburg, Pa., Feb. 15.—Judge Staples yesterday sentenced George Johnson, a negro, to twenty-four years in the Eastern Penitentiary. Johnson was leader of a gang of robbers who terrorized this town about a year ago. He was found guilty of arson and attempt to kill.

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Local Automobilists Will Attend Public Hearing of Freling-huysen Measure.

Believing it to be the duty of automobilists to protect their interest regarding legislation, the New Jersey Automobile and Moto Club has gone on record as opposing the Frelinghuysen automobile bill and will attend the public hearing on the measure at Trenton next Tuesday. At a meeting of the club at the Board of Trade rooms Tuesday night, it was decided to charter a special car and the members will attend the hearing in a body.

The club listened to a suggestion from W. L. Montrose, representing a local concern, regarding the oiling of roads, which was referred to the road committee. Final arrangements were completed for the annual banquet of the club to be held at the Continental Hotel tonight, and a supply of the club's new badges will be given out.

In reference to legislation against automobiles, the members listened to some plain talk by B. S. Whitehead, who stated that it was up to the autoists to obey the laws. Mr. Whitehead, who recently completed an automobile tour of Europe, stated that the drivers of cars in that country had aroused such a feeling of public indignation on account of their reckless driving that the question of barring the machines from the roads entirely was now being discussed in England. He told of the English constabulary, which had devised traps for the capture of reckless drivers, and incidentally related an instance in which Sir Thomas Lipton had been arrested and fined for exceeding the speed limit. He said that the English laws were rigidly enforced. The limit of speed is twenty miles an hour in the country, twelve in the cities and nine miles in London.

GOOD GOLFING, THIS.

With Aid of Snow Shovel, He Goes Over Course in Forty-one.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 15.—Nine holes in 41, and on the Euclid Heights golf course on February 3. This record, made Tuesday by Ernest Wey, with the assistance of a snow shovel and Caretaker Sigerson, is perhaps the only one made in this region at this time of the year.

Wey decided that there was no cause for saying that spring hadn't arrived. The lower course was hard. Ther was a little snow about the bunker and holes, 'tis true, but in general the course was clear. Out he went in a short jacket, which later he doffed under the heat of the forenoon. The attendant went along to shovel away the snow.

"I went the course in about an hour," Wey said shortly afterward. "There was no trouble at all. The air was fine and so was the course. Of course, one couldn't expect to do it in bogey, you know. The course is in fine shape, and has passed through the winter season, I believe, better than any other in the country."

JACKSON ANTI-FEE BILL TO GET ITS FREEDOM.

Senate Committee on Revision of Laws Decides to Report It Favorably.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—The Senate Committee on Revision of Laws decided yesterday, after a hearing, to report favorably the Jackson anti-fee bill, which places sheriffs, surrogates, registers and county clerks in all counties on a salary basis. Mrs. Emily E. Williamson and Hugh Fox, representing the State Board of Children's Guardians, urged, in particular, the abolition of sheriff's fees.

The director of the Passaic Board of Freeholders and other representatives of that county urged the bill as a whole.

Morris county representatives approved the bill as a whole, but suggested an increase in the salary fixed for surrogates. This will probably be adjusted before the bill is reported.

Rahway Council Meeting.

Rahway, Feb. 15—At the Common Council meeting Tuesday night notice was given that the Pennsylvania Railroad had been notified to give extra protection at the crossings or the speed of trains would be limited to fifteen miles per hour through the town. A communication was read from the company stating that a committee would wait upon Rahway soon for general consultation. It was voted to close Maple avenue through the Brookfield plot of ground. An ordinance was passed prohibiting throwing advertising posters, bills and papers promiscuously about the streets, yards and doorways. An appropriation of $300 was voted to be given each fire company in the city, to be used in the maintenance of the company in lieu of the heretofore $500 exemption from taxes of individual members.

Censures Erie for Fatal Mishap.

Midvale, Feb. 15.—Rails of insufficient weight, an engine too heavy for the roadbed and the poor condition of the ties were the causes to which a coroner's jury attributed the fatal accident at Hewitt a week ago Saturday, when a locomotive toppled down an embankment, killing the engineer, Charles Captain. By its verdict the jury exonerated the engineer of all blame and placed censure on the Erie Railroad Company.

The Great Alteration Sale.

This sale has created a flurry in our Carpet business. Never has the department been so pushed at this season of the year. People are crowding to share in the low prices now prevailing before removing stock to main floor. The time is growing short. Wise buyers will act quickly.

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No. 8 size, reg. price 1.10, sale	89c
No. 9 size, reg. price 1.25, sale	99c

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	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

ASH CANS, WITH COVERS.
Regular price 1.48, sale 98c

SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

NICKEL ALARM CLOCKS.
Regular price 89c, sale 69c

MRS. POTTS' IRONS.
Regular price 98c, sale 69c

YELLOW PIE PLATES.
Square Shape.
Regular price 10c, sale 5c

CLOTHES BASKETS.
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Small size	49c	39c
Medium size	59c	49c
Large size	78c	59c
Extra Large size	98c	69c

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Regular 25c Baskets for	19c
Regular 50c Baskets for	29c
Regular 75c Baskets for	39c
Regular 98c Baskets for	49c

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	Reg.	Sale
Twin Match Safes	10c	6c
Handy Tea Strainers	10c	6c
Wash Basins	35c	15c
Dish Pans	59c	29c
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PRISONERS SHOULD WORK.

Would Have Convicts, in Striped Suits, Break Stone on Roads.

Elizabeth, Feb. 15.—At the executive committee meeting of the Charity Organization Society Tuesday evening the delegates to the New Jersey State Charities Conference, to be held today and tomorrow of this week in Newark, were instructed to vote for and urge the passage of a bill in the present session of the Legislature empowering sheriffs of each county in the State to employ county jail prisoners upon the county roads and city streets and parks.

When seen yesterday morning at the office of the Charity Organization Society Miss Josephine Kremm, the superintendent, said that she did not think that it would in bringing the ball and chain gangs back to the county roads, but she was in favor of having the men attired in prison suits and put to hard manual labor on the roads or in the jail yards at breaking stone.

Miss Kremm stated that this legislation was being urged because it has been found that the charges of non-support and desertion made by wives in police courts all over the State are becoming more numerous. Here, she said, there were six separate cases last month, as compared with four in the months of December, November and October, and from one to three in other months during the year. The delegates to the conference are Miss Harriet Townsend, William T. Day and Miss Josephine Kremm.

Prominent Trentonian a Suicide.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—Henry R. Keeler, prominent here, committed suicide yesterday at his home, just outside this city, by placing a loaded shotgun against his breast and kicking the trigger, discharging the contents of the weapon into his breast and dying instantly. Constant litigation for a number of years is said to be the cause of Keeler's act. He was to appear in the Mercer court yesterday morning as defendant against his brother, George Keeler, in a suit to determine the distribution of property left by their father.

Passaic's New Fire Chief.

Passaic, Feb. 15.—By the votes of the volunteer fire fighters of Passaic, Hugh Waters, of Engine Company No. 4, will be chief of the department for a year. The first assistant chief is Tony Freilinck, of Engine Company No. 1. Mr. Waters' plurality was fifty-six votes. The election was held in the quarters of Engine Company No. 1, with the members of the Fire Committee of the City Council, Messrs. Schleich, Coman and King, sitting as judges.

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After March 1st no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

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We can show as large and complete lines of enamel Beds and Mattresses as you would care to see, and all good reliable makes, too. Our prices for this sale will convince you that we can sell you Furniture and Bedding as reasonable as we do our Carpets, Rugs and Shades.

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$3.50 OVERCOATS at	$2.00
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Men's Arctics, sizes 6 to 11	1.00
Boys' Arctics, sizes 3 to 6	85c
Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	75c
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Men's Rubbers sizes 8 to 11	55c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers	40c
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Mrs. Alfred Brundage is much improved from her recent serious illness.

Mrs. J. A. Cubberley called on friends in Plainfield yesterday afternoon.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. William Richards is being treated by Dr. Nelson for illness.

John Linabuerry has been substituting a few days as baggage master for John Higgins, who was ill.

Mrs. Katherine Brantingham is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George S. Bunting, of Picataway township.

Camp 41, P. O. S. of A., will convene tonight in regular business session at the lodge rooms in Washington Hall.

Miss Marjorie Cubberley attended a valentine party last evening at the home of Miss Irene Samuels, of Plainfield.

Mrs. Peter Johnson, of Plainfield avenue, returned home Tuesday from Asbury Park, where she spent a few days visiting friends.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

REGER APPOINTED.

Made Assistant Postmaster at Somerville.

It was announced at Somerville yesterday that Abram A. Reger has been appointed to the position of assistant postmaster of that place to succeed Azariah M. Beekman, who resigned. This came as somewhat of a surprise as Bogart T. Conkling, manager of the West End baseball team last season, was considered to have the inside track for the place. Those who know, however, say that Conkling withdrew at the last minute, and that left only Ezra H. Welden and Mr. Reger to be considered, and the latter was chosen for the office. Mr. Reger is a brother of Prosecutor John F. Reger, and has been for many years the note clerk in the First National Bank. He will make a trusty assistant postmaster, his friends believe.

Nothing definite has been received here from the department at Washington, D. C., in reference to the appointment of a postmaster to succeed the former incumbent, George W. Cooper, but it is generally conceded that John G. Gaston, the present acting postmaster, will be the man. He is far and away ahead in the race at present, although there are several who have their eyes on the position and haven't given up the fight by any means.

Corporation Law Commission.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—The commission to codify the Jersey laws relating to corporations, which was appointed under an act passed last winter, met at the State House Tuesday. It is composed of John B. Vreeland, William H. Corbin and Judge Joseph H. Gaskill. This is the commission at which Assemblyman Martin aimed a resolution last week. The resolution requested the commission to report in full by today, or, failing in that, to report when a full report might be expected. A full report will not be forthcoming today. In fact, it was stated yesterday that very little work in the way of revising the corporation laws has been done.

Wildwood Consolidation Bill.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—Judge Harrison H. Voorhees brought here Tuesday and had introduced by Assemblyman Hildreth the bill providing for the consolidation of the boroughs of Wildwood, Holly Beach and Anglesea, under the name of Wildwood-by-the-Sea. The consolidation needs but legal action since the three resorts are now one in all other essentials.

Woman Asks Citizenship Rights.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—Mary Numeyer, of this city, has made application to the United States Court for citizenship. The applicant asks for citizen's rights. She has been in this country fifteen years and is a native of Turkey. This is the second instance where a woman made application for citizenship.

White Pine Cough Syrup.

Randolph's White Pine Cough Syrup, either with or without Tar, is a very valuable remedy to have in your house at all times; especially during the sudden change of weather.

It cures Coughs, Bronchitis, Loss of Voice, Sore Throat, etc., and will soon break up the most persistent cold.

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The City Pharmacy,

143 West Front St.

FOR A PAY DAY FORTNIGHTLY NOW.

Bill Affecting All Firms, Save Watermen and Agricultural Work, Appears.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—Among the bills introduced in the House Tuesday was one by Mr. Firth, of Warren, providing that every corporation, partnership or company in this State shall pay its employes every two weeks. With the exception of railroads and trolley companies, every corporation or company is obliged now by law to pay its employes every two weeks. Mr. Firth says his bill is for the purpose of including them in the law.

The bill provides that every person, association, firm or partnership doing business in this State, and every railroad, telegraph, telephone, trolley and traction company, and every other corporation and company of every kind, shall pay at least once in every two weeks in lawful money of the United States to every employe or duly authorized representative of the employe, the full amount of wages earned and unpaid up to within twelve days of such payment.

It is provided, however, that if any employe shall be absent from his regular place at the time of payment, and shall not receive his pay through a duly authorized representative, he shall be entitled to said payment at any time on demand.

Violations are made misdemeanors, punishable by a fine or from $25 to $100 for each offense, provided complaint of the violation is made within sixty days from the date the wages should have been paid.

Special provision is made that the law shall not apply to agricultural work or watermen. The bill is to take effect immediately.

Mr. Walsh introduced a bill providing for the policing of the Essex county parks. It provides for the summary arrest of persons detected injuring the property in the park.

ASKS FOR LIGHT ON DUFFIELD TAX ACT.

House Requests Attorney General's Opinion on Constitutionality of Last Year's Railroad Measure.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—More work was cut out for the attorney general Tuesday afternoon by the Colby people. At the afternoon session of the House Mr. Martin offered a resolution, which was accepted, requesting the opinion of the attorney general as to the constitutionality of the Duffield law of last year, providing for the taxation of second class railroad property at local rates.

It was plain to him, Mr. Martin said, that if his bill for the taxation of the main stem was unconstitutional because the main stem cannot be assessed in different localities at different rates, the Duffield bill must be unconstitutional because that provides that the local taxing districts shall certify to the State Board of Assessors the value of second class property in their localities, and the State Board of Assessors shall assess it at local rates. That, Mr. Martin said, was what the attorney general said in his opinion, was unconstitutional. If the Duffield law is unconstitutional, the House should know it at once, so that it could dispose of the matter.

LOCAL OPTION BILL MAY BE ADVERSELY REPORTED.

Rumor Has Head of Committee Holding It—Only One Favoring It.

Trenton, Feb. 15.—There was a persistent rumor about the State House yesterday that the House Committee on Municipal Corporations would report adversely the local option bill. Chairman Scovel, the rumor had it, was the only member of the committee who favored the measure, and he might submit a minority report telling why the bill should be brought out on the floor and disposed of there.

It was said last week that a majority of the committee favored reporting the measure, and there was some surprise expressed at the change in situation which yesterday's rumor denoted had taken place. When this latest rumor was mentioned to Chairman Scovel he promptly said that no one knew how the committee stood on the local option bill because the committee had not met and foramlly taken action upon it.

Mr. Walsh, of Newark, another member of the committee, when told of yesterday's rumor, said that he did not know how any of his colleagues stood upon the bill, and he declined to intimate what his action would be. Both he and Chairman Scovel scouted the idea that any one could tell what the action of the committee would be, but neither of them would definitely deny the position which was attributed to them by the rumor.

Quail for Jersey.

Long Branch, Feb. 15.—Game Protector James M. Stratton, before leaving yesterday to attend the meeting of the State Fish and Game Commission, said that so far this month 400 dozen quail had been shipped to New Jersey from Kansas and had been sent direct to the game wardens to be released just as soon as the weather would permit. The commission has finished netting the Delaware and Raritan Canal for the taking of black bass and pickerel, which will be distributed in the lakes all over the State. Every lake of any prominence in the State is stocked with more fish than ever before.

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Gold Fillings, $1 up.
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Single Extraction, with gas, $1

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February 16, Matinee and Night—
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Night ..... 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

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The Choir Singer.
Prices—Matinee 25c, 35c
Night ... 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c

One Night—Monday, Feb. 19—
Channing Pollock's Great Love Play,
The Little Gray Lady.
Prices—1.50, 1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c.

Tuesday, February 20—
MAY IRWIN IN
Mrs. Black is Back.
PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50.

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Auction Sale of Household Goods

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Corner Central Avenue and West Front Street. Opposite First Baptist Church.

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Fourth and Richmond Streets.
Tel. call 2214. Westfield Trolley passes my office.

DIED.

BRYAN—On Tuesday, Feb. 13, 1906, Rev. James R. Bryan, D. D., aged 77 years.

Funeral services at the First Methodist Episcopal church, West Front street, on Friday, Feb. 16, at 2:30 p. m. 2 14 2

MARTIAL—In this city, February 14, 1906, Fernand, son of Julius and Blanche Martial, in his 22d year.

Funeral from his late residence, 29 Somerset street, Friday afternoon, February 16, at 2 o'clock. 2 14 2

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Lost and Found.

FOUND—Two photos of children. Call Daily Press office. 2 14 3

LOST—Small gold watch on ribbon fob. Reward if returned to this office.

LOST—Gold school pin, between Y. M. C. A. building and Grove St. Reward for return to this office.

FOUND—Gold watch, in Netherwood. Owner can have same by proving property. 512 Woodland avenue. 2 14 3

LOST—A young fox terrier dog; white body; brown head. Reward if returned to 1216 Denmark road. 2 14 2

Help Wanted.

HELP NOTICE—MEN WANTED TO HARVEST ICE FRIDAY MORNING. NATURAL ICE CO., 222 MADISON AVE.

WANTED—Experienced white girl for general housework; must be good cook; no washing; good wages; reference required. Apply 515 Grant avenue. 2 15 3

WANTED—Boy; reliable; good opportunity. Mathushek & Son Piano Co., 310 West Front St. 2 15 tf

BOY wanted to learn cabinet making and hard wood finishing. Apply Charles L. Holstein, 321 East Second street. 2 13 3

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. Call 112 West Front street. 2 14 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call mornings, 506 Grant avenue. 2 12 6

WANTED — Waitress - chambermaid (white); personal reference required. Apply 313 Franklin place. 2 14 6

GIRL wanted to wait on elderly lady. 515 Park Ave. 2 14 3

GOOD housekeeper wanted, with references. Apply 160 North avenue, Dunellen. 2 15 3

WANTED—First-class lathe and vise men for small steel work. Spicer Universal Joint Manfacturing Co., Madison avenue, between Third and Fourth streets. 2 15 tf

WANTED—Young man on a farm; of clean habits and a good milker. Address R. H. Grog, Terrill road. 2 15 3

WANTED—Competent colored woman for general housework; must be good cook and laundress. 414 West Eighth street. 2 13 tf

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

Help Wanted.

BOY WANTED. Union News Co. 2 15 2

COMPETENT girl wanted for general housework. Call 34 Washington avenue. 2 14 3

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TO LET.

HOUSE, seven rooms, no improvements, five minutes' walk from depot, $12.

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FLAT, five rooms, all improvements, near Grant Avenue station, $15.

HOUSE, nine rooms, all improvements. Large lot. Dunellen. $25.

HOUSE, West Sixth street, near Grant avenue, six rooms and bath, $25.

HOUSE, East Sixth street, seven rooms. Large lot. $25.

STORE near this office, $30.

FINE house, nine rooms, all improvements. Five minutes' walk from station. $30.

HOUSE, nine rooms and bath, five minutes' walk from station. $35. Another one, same figure, same distance, same size.

HOUSE on Netherwood avenue, eight rooms, all improvements; hard wood floors, $35.

SEVERAL residences on the outskirts, $30-$35.

ANOTHER new house, near Grant avenue, having ten rooms, $35.

SEVERAL houses on West Front street, $35. Nine rooms and bath.

SEVERAL at $45 and $50. Furnished and unfurnished.

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FOR RENT—Ten-room house; all improvements. Three minutes to North avenue depot; $30.

FIVE-ROOM FLAT, brand new. FIRST FLOOR. All improvements. Four minutes to North Avenue depot; $25.

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221 Park Avenue.
TELEPHONE 49. 2 14 5

TO LET—Four rooms and bath. Enquire 148 East Fifth St. 2 14 6

HOUSE, Ann street and Rock avenue, reasonable; also plot of land adjoining if desired. Apply William Burke, next door. 2 13 5

AT NETHERWOOD, house, stable and large grounds, from September 1. Address A. D., care Daily Press. 2 13 3

STORE for rent; all improvements. 109 Somerset street. 2 14 4

TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

TO LET—Seven-room house, centrally located; all modern improvements. Inquire at Neuman Bros.' grocery. 2 10 tf

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

Miscellaneous.

YOU have room in that bin for some of Nash's coal. 2 15 10

P. H. LATOURETTE, autioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

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BROWN'S specialty is fine watches and French clocks. Tel. 573-W. 2 13 3 eod

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FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 5 4 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. 4 6 tf

THE best pea coal can be had from Nash at $5.00 a ton. 2 15 10

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

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THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. 10 3 tf

For Sale.

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Buff Orpington, prize birds, $5.00.
Buff Orpington, selected, $3.00.
Black Minorca, prize winners, $1.50.
Buff Plymouth Rocks, pure, $1.50.
Plainfield Poultry Pens,
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FOR SALE—Billiard table, ivory balls, cues, rack and everything complete. Address B. D., care Daily Press. 2 13 3

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Feb. 18: "A Life Refined and Perfected by Its Trials"—Ps. cxix. 67, 71; John xv. 2; Rom. viii, 17, 18; II Cor. iv, 11-18; Phil. iii, 10; II Thess. i, 4, 5; I Pet. i, 6-9.

By REV. WALTER J. YATES, D. D.

"We faint not; but, though our outward man is decaying, yet our inward man is renewed day by day."

The Christian life does not exempt any one from trials and sorrows. No possible way has yet been found to escape cares and troubles, though men have searched long and diligently for it. We are not long in this world before we discover that we are not more favored than others in this respect. We may look at others with envious eyes and fancy that their lot is easier than our own and long to change places with them, but when we come to know more intimately their circumstances we often find that those whom we supposed most pleasantly circumstanced were really carrying burdens which were far heavier and harder to bear than those we were ourselves carrying.

We start with absolute ignorance of everything and utter inexperience. We have everything to learn and all of experience to gain. Why should we expect to acquire knowledge without effort and experience without trial and mistake?

There are aches and pains of body from which no love of friends can or should deliver us. These are incidental to growth. No mental strength and no understanding comes to us save by exertion, and that often of the severest kind. Soul power is acquired, if it ever comes to us, by use of our strength in lifting the heavy burdens which are many times grievous to be borne.

Much useless and not a little foolish talk has been expended on the profitless question why God permits so much evil in the world. Such inquiries have great fascination for some minds, but no one has yet given much light on the curious problem, and no one by his answers has greatly assisted in the bearing of the inevitable burdens.

The fact is clear and unmistakable. We are in a world where trials are the common lot, and he who escapes them is either exceptional in his makeup or in his circumstances. The inquiry of most importance to us is, What shall we do with our trials and what will they do for us and with us?

We can faint under them. We may grow sour and morose. We may make ourselves continually unhappy by complainings and comparison of our condition with that of others. We may even complain against God and feel that He is unjust to us. We may make ourselves disagreeable and all around us miserable.

Or we may take the other course. We need not faint. We are weak, but God is strong and able to give us help and comfort. Delightful as is the feeling of conscious strength, whether it be physical, mental or spiritual, there is no experience in life so exquisitely delightful as in weakness to feel one who is abundant in power imparting of His own ability to us. It is good to walk, but who would lose from his memory willingly the recollection of the childhood hours when the strong arms of father carried us in sickness or weariness? The tenderest touches of the mother hand are known only by the little one who in pain needs the gentleness and sympathy that in health and vigor would not be appreciated or appropriate.

But there is more than getting in this matter. There is giving also. No purer joy ever comes to us than that which we feel when we are able to help some one else out of trouble. It is a great thing to be able to carry one who is weak and needing our strength. The cup of cold water given in sympathy does not wait for its reward until we reach another world. It gets quick return here and now in the glow of kindly feeling it awakens in us. To help one in mental trials and show the path of reason is higher pleasure still, while to direct a soul in darkness to the Christ who gives light is the height of privilege.

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Topic.—Christ's life. II.—His life work and what we may learn about our own work.—John xiv. 8-14.

In the study of the topic on "The Boyhood of Christ" we learned that from His earliest childhood, as in the case of other Jewish boys, He was industrious physically, mentally and spiritually. Even at the tender age of twelve He must have had some conception of His great mission to the world from God, for in answer to His mother's question in connection with His visit to the feast of the Passover at Jerusalem he said, "Wist ye not that I must be about My Father's business?" From early years, therefore, He must have been impressed with the greatness and the seriousness of the work of life that lay before Him. As Christ was impressed with this fact so should all Christians be. Religion itself should be looked upon as a business. The chief end of man's existence in this world is not to live for himself, but to glorify God that he may enjoy Him forever.

The life work of Christ consisted largely in doing the things that were done by ordinary men, but His work, in addition, was infinitely greater than that of man in that He performed miracles. The miracles of Jesus Christ cannot be successfully disproved. That He was the Son of God in a distinct sense, different from other men, should not be doubted. If the testimony of Himself and of those that were associated with Him be not sufficient to convince us of His divinity we should be convinced by His miraculous works. He himself says, "Believe Me that I am in the Father, and the Father in Me, or else believe Me for the very works' sake." The power to work miracles has undoubtedly passed away, and we cannot believe that even the most religious men have the power to work miracles today. But at the same time we have the promise of Christ that He will be with us always and that through His power great things can be accomplished by His disciples. This is particularly true of spiritual work and of the salvation of the souls of men.

In Christ's own lifetime there is no evidence that great masses of people sincerely believed in Him. At the time of His ascension the Christians numbered 120, while under the power of the preaching of Peter on the day of Pentecost 3,000 were led to accept and to confess Christ. This is undoubtedly what Christ meant when He said that those who believed upon Him should after His death do greater works than He had done. It is still possible for us to do spiritual work for Christ that will produce great results, and to every disciple of Christ He has given the command, "Go work today in My vineyard."

The supreme work of the life of Christ was His death upon the cross of Calvary as a sacrifice for the sins of the world. Not until He was about to die as the Lamb of God for the sins of the world was He able to say, "It is finished." Our lives should also find their highest combination in self sacrifice. Christ said, "He that loseth his life shall save it, but he that saveth his life shall lose it." Sacrifice and not selfishness brings the greatest joy to every human life. For this spirit Christ was rewarded and for this spirit will fully and amply award His disciples.

BIBLE READINGS.

Eccl. ix, 10; Luke ii, 46-49; John iv, 35, 36; v, 15-19; ix, 4; xvii, 1-5; I Cor. xv, 58; Gal. vi, 1-10; Col. iii, 17; Rev. xxii, 12.

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Growth of Christian Endeavor.

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"The Man on the Box"

By HAROLD MacGRATH

Author of "The Grey Cloak," "The Puppet Crown."

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The girl sprang lightly into one of the empty stalls and waited. She was greatly excited, and the color in her cheeks was not borrowed from the poppies. She saw the new groom take Pirate by the forelock, and, quicker than words can tell, Mr. Pirate was angrily champing the cold bit. He reared. Warburton caught him by the nose and the neck. Pirate came down, trembling with rage.

"Here boy; catch him here," cried Warburton. William knew his business, and he grasped the bridle close under Pirate's jaws. "That's it. Now hold him."

Warburton picked up the saddle and threw it over Pirate's glossy back. Pirate waltzed from side to side and shook his head wickedly. But the man that was to mount him knew all these signs. Swiftly he gathered up the end of the belly-band strap and ran it through the iron ring. In and out he threaded it, drawing it tighter and tighter. He leaped into the saddle and adjusted the stirrups, then dismounted.

"I'll take him now, William," said James smiling.

"All right, sir," said William, glad enough to be relieved of all further responsibility.

James led Pirate into the small court and waited for Miss Annesley, who appeared in the doorway presently.

"James, I regret that I urged you to ride him. You will be hurt," she said. Her worry was plainly visible on her face.

James smiled his pleasantest and touched his hat.

"Very well, then; I have warned you. If he bolts, head him for a tree. That's the only way to stop him."

James shortened the bridle-rein to the required length, took a firm grip on Pirate's mane, and vaulted into the saddle. Pirate stood perfectly still. He shook his head. James talked to him and patted his sleek neck, and touched him gently with his heel. Then things livened up a bit. Pirate waltzed, reared and plunged and started to do the pas seul on the flower-beds. Then he immediately changed his mind. He decided to re-enter the stables.

"Don't let him get his head down!" yelled William, nimbly jumping over a bed of poppies and taking his position beside his mistress.

"The gates, William! The gates!" cried the girl, excitedly. "Only one is open. He will not be able to get through."

William scampered down the driveway and swung back the iron barrier. None too soon! Like a black shadow, Pirate flashed by, his rider's new derby rolling in the dust.

The girl stood in the doorway, her hands pressed against her heart. She was as white as the clouds that sailed overhead.

CHAPTER X.

PIRATE.

On the opposite side of the road there was a stone wall about five feet in height; beyond this was a broad, rolling field and farther on a barbwire fence and a boggy stream which oozed its way down toward the Potomac. Far away across the valley the wooded hills were dying and withering and thinning, with splashes of yellow and red. A flock of birds speckled the fleecy October clouds, and a mild breeze sent the grasses shivering.

Toward the wall Pirate directed his course. Warburton threw back his full weight. The effort had little or no effect on Pirate's mouth. His rider remembered about the tree, but the nearest was many yards away. Over the wall they went and down the field. Pirate tried to get his head down but he received a check. Score one for the man. Warburton, his legs stiffened in the stirrups, his hands well down, his breath coming in gasps, wondered where they would finally land. He began to use his knees and Pirate felt the pressure. He didn't like it at all. Oddly enough, Warburton's leg did not bother him as he expected it would, and this gave him confidence. On, on; the dull pounding of Pirate's feet, the flying sod, the wind in his face; and when he saw the barb-wire fence, fear entered into him. An inch too low, a stumble and serious injuries might result. He must break Pirate's gait.

He began to saw cow-boy fashion. Pirate grew indignant: he was being hurt. His speed slackened none, however; he was determined to make that fence if it was the last thing he ever did. He'd like to see any man stop him. He took the deadly fence as with the wings of a bird. But he found that the man was still on his back. He couldn't understand it. He grew worried. And then he struck the red-brown muck bordering the stream. The muck flew, but at every bound Pirate sank deeper, and the knees of his rider were beginning to tell. Warburton, full of rage, yet not unreasonable rage, quickly saw his chance. Once more he threw back his weight; this time to the left. Pirate's head came stubbornly around; his gait was broken, he was floundering in the stream. Now Warburton used his heels savagely. He shortened the reins and whacked Mr. Pirate soundly across the ears. Pirate plunged and reared, and after devious evolutions, reached solid ground. This time his head was high in the air, and, try as he would, he could not lower his neck a solitary inch.

Warburton knew that the animal could not make the barb-wire fence again, so he waltzed him along till he found a break in the wire. Over this Pirate bounded, snorting. But he had met a master. Whether he reared or plunged, waltzed or ran, he

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could not make those ruthless knees relent in their pressure. He began to understand what all beasts understand, sooner or later—the inevitable mastry of man. There was blood in his nostrils. A hand touched his neck caressingly. He shook his head; he refused to conciliate. A voice, kindly but rather breathless, addressed him. Again Pirate shook his head; but he did not run, he cantered. Warburton gave a sigh of relief. Over the field they went. A pull to the left, and Pirate wheeled; a pull to the right, and again Pirate answered, and cantered in a circle. He was mastered.

After this Warburton did as he pleased; Pirate had learned his lesson. His master put him through a dozen maneuvers, and he was vastly satisfied with the victory. He had conquered the horse before the eyes of one woman.

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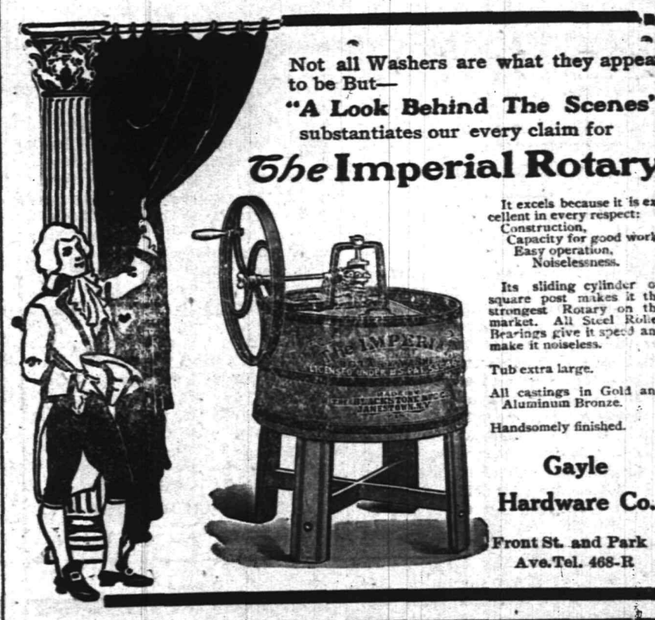

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A shriekingly funny farce is R. C. Carton's "Mr. Hopkinson," which convulsed the audiences at the Savoy Monday. "Mr. Hopkinson" is intensely English. At times the plain American almost needs an interpreter to make clear the ways and words of the smart and the vulgar Britons. His lordship proposes to a girl thus: "Although I never deramed of doing such a thing, old girl, I'll marry you." And the girl, thinking the idea too good to be true cries: "You don't mean it! You're rotting!" Pretty expression for a sweet young thing in white chiffon and pink roses! As might be expected, there is more careful characterization in this farce than in the general run of made-by-machine-for-the-Palais Royal variety. The lines are bright and the situations less impossible than in most farces. The acting of Dallas Welford as Hopkinson is clever. He never for a moment gets out of his part, and his facial expressions remind one of the trained and disciplined French farceurs whose mobile countenances can suggest volumes without a word or a gesture. Annie Hughes was Ellen Dibbs, the wily maid. The part is slight, though cleverly acted. Elinor Foster was an attractive and graceful duchess (what a part for Jessie Milward!), and Olive Temple was Lady Thrya. H. Stephenson as the Duke, Charles Crawford as Otho, Howard Sturges as Lord Gawthorpe, the man who wasn't "rotting," and Herbert Druce as Fred Lewis, all deserve mention as members of a very well balanced cast. "Mr. Hopkinson" is one of the most amusing plays we have seen this season.

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It is time that some of the enthusiastic fans in this city got together and formed an association for the pupose of bringing Manager Daab and his team here for the summer. Mr. Daab is willing to assume half the responsibility, and it should not be difficult in a city of this size to secure a sufficient amount of capital for the other half. Let some one start the ball arolling.

Real Estate Transfers.

Laura Boorman to David G. Weems, Belvidere avenue, 100 feet of Charlotte road, $1; Josephine Miner to Selden Hawley, Denmark road, 187 feet easterly of Belvidere avenue, $100; E. Frank Vail et ux. to Eliza F. Merrill, westerly side Carlton avenue, 355 feet southerly of Putnam avenue, $1; John F. Wilson to Arthur L. Otterson, Prospect avenue, 50 feet easterly of James P. Rogers, $1; Alfred N. Jacobson et ux. to Martin Bagger, lot 7, block A, "Map of Plainfield Land Improvement Co.," $2,800; Anna Eva Conde to Benjamin Barrington, West Sixth street, corner Daniel F. Randolph, $1; Amy H. Dupuy et al. to Eugene P. Morris, La Grande avenue, corner Woodland avenue, $1; John H. Thompson et ux. to Elizabeth E. Schoefield, easterly side of Carlton avenue, 250 feet northerly of Putnam street, $3,075; Jennie A. Cramer et al. to Phebe A. Felmly, westerly side Tenth street, 300 feet southerly of Putnam street, $1,450; Andrew J. Gavett et al. to Charles L. Clark, Sandford avenue, 420 feet northwesterly of East Front street, $1.

Ten Years Married.

As a surprise to her husband, Mrs. Guy D. Peck, of Highland Farms, South Sterling, invited 100 friends from Plainfield, Newark and New York to attend a celebration of their tin wedding last night. The first intimation Mr. Peck had that there was going to be some festivities was when the party arrived in wagons. During the evening the guests were entertained with instrumental and vocal music and recitations, among those contributing to the programme being Vincent Sokol, Ben LaVere and A. E. Willard. Refreshments were served at midnight. Each guest received a souvenir and the hosts were remembered by a load of tin presents.

Substitute Franchise Law.

The Senate committee on municipal corporations yesterday reported a substitute for the Hillery limited franchise bill, fixing the limit at which a franchise may be granted by any municipal body at 20 years, unless the voters at a special election agree to a longer term, which shall not be more than 40 years. This substitute is said to have the approval of the administration, and may pass.

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PERSONAL.

W. L. Smalley, Sr., is detained at his home in Craig place by illness.

Mrs. Calvin Boice, of New Market, is spending the month with relatives in New York.

Mrs. Elmer Volk, of Elmwood place, who has been quite ill, is a little improved today.

Mrs. M. E. Dwight, of New York, who spent yesterday in town, was the guest of Mrs. E. L. Suffern, of Sycamore avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Butler and baby, of Madison avenue, accompanied by Miss Elsie Stewart, left this morning for Thomasville, Georgia, where they will remain for a time.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—The 10-room house at 1040 Arlington avenue is offered for sale by P. J. and W. H. Ryan, of 205 Broad street, Elizabeth. See ad.

—A Rogers-Grilley recital will be given in the Star Course series of the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday, February 22. See advertisement.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance Society will hold a meeting for Bible study and prayer tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 in the W. C. T. U. rooms. All are invited.

—There are numerous brands of canned goods but none superior to the Golden Gate variety. Neuman Brothers handle them in this city and have just received a nice lot of apricots, peaches and cherries.

—Miss Kiernan, of Philadelphia, has been engaged by A. E. Force & Co., of "The White Store," as head milliner and special accommodations for this branch of the business are being made at the store on the second floor.

—The committee in charge of the Day Nursery is in need of an old fashioned bureau or wardrobe for the nursery. Donations of clothing have been received and now it is necessary to have a place to put them. Any person having such a piece of furniture and wishing to donate it to the nursery will receive the hearty thanks of the committee.

MARRIAGE.

The wedding yesterday afternoon of Miss Mabel Heyward Taylor, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. Madison Taylor, of Philadelphia, and Gifford A. Cochran was one of the prettiest ever solemnized in that city. Mrs. Cochran made her debut three seasons ago at a tea given by her parents. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. Henry E. Drayton and a niece of J. Coleman Drayton, now of New York, all of whom are descended from the famous South Carolina Draytons, while her father comes from one of the first families of Virginia. Mr. Cochran is a son of William F. Cochran, of Yonkers, and a brother of Mrs. Percy Stewart, of this city. He graduated from Yale in 1903, and is now in business in New York, where he is a member of several clubs. After an extended wedding tour, Mr. and Mrs. Cochran will reside at the St. Regis until their residence, at 12 East Forty-fifth street, New York, is completed.

Newark Student Hurt on Toboggan.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Henry Eberhardt, of Newark, N. J., son of Henry E. Eberhardt, of the firm of Gould & Eberhardt, of that city, is laid up in the infirmary of Cornell University, suffering from a badly dislocated shoulder. The injury was received in tobogganing. He is expected to be all right in a few weeks. If the injury does not prevent him from rowing, Eberhardt has a chance to set in Cornell's varsity four-oar shell, which Coach Courtney hopes shall break the rowing record at Poughkeepsie next June.

Speaker for Dedicatory Exercises.

Albert Wyndon Blair, a New York journalist, has been secured by Superintendent Maxson to make the address at the Plainfield High School dedication exercises next Thursday afternoon. He was for many years editor of the Boston Journal, but recently has been devoting his time to the lecture platform. He is said to possess rare oratorical ability.

Valentine Social Arranged.

The Epworth League of Grace M. E. church will hold a valentine social in the church tomorrow night. Those attending are requested to bring scissors and pencils with them. Refreshments will be served.

To Hold a Fair.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church, which is planning for a fair and bazaar to be held in the church on February 22-23, will meet in a few days to complete the plans for the same.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP ELECTION

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is marked off be counted as a voter or as voting in respect of or upon the question or proposition submitted. If voting machines shall be used at any such election, all voting by means thereof shall be conducted in the manner specified by the statute in such case made and provided. The polls for such election shall be held at the usual places of holding the annual general election in such city, and shall open at six o'clock in the morning, and close at seven o'clock in the evening, and shall be kept open during the whole day of election between the hours aforesaid; provided the Board of Election may adjourn such election from one o'clock until two o'clock in the afternoon, or for such shorter time between those hours as they shall see fit; and such election shall be conducted by the proper election officers of said city for the time then being, and in the manner as may then be prescribed by the ordinance of said city, regulating elections therein, and such officers shall return to the Board of Aldermen, Council, or other legislative body of such city, a true and correct statement in writing under their hands, of the result of said election, the same to be entered at large upon the minutes of said body.

"Sec. 2. That this Act shall take effect immediately."

The proposed law not only affects Plainfield, but is of importance to other cities in New Jersey where the municipal ownership scheme is being strongly urged at present. It defines a majority as being obtained when the greater number of voters voting at that election for that proposition favor it and allows the special election to be merged with the general one, having the polls open during the same hours.

GUARD OF MURDERERS.

Constable W. N. Pangborn a Figure In Somerville Court.

Constable William N. Pangborn, of North Plainfield, will be one of the figures in the Flomerfelt murder trial at Somerville, which will begin April 23. Constable Pangborn has been a court officer for years, charged with the important duty of guarding the prisoner at the bar. The man accused of killing his brother-in-law will be under his watchful eye.

Pangborn has been a court constable in Union and Somerset counties, for thirty-two years. Half of that term of service was spent in this county. In the Somerville court it is Pangborn's duty to take the prisoner from the jail guard and deliver him into court, and to see that he is delivered safely back into his cell. He had charge of the negro murderer Watson during his trial this week.

DR. MATTISON'S FUNERAL ATTENDED BY COMRADES.

Conducted by Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck at Warren Chapel.

In the presence of a gathering of friends at Warren chapel, this morning, the funeral of Dr. William E. Mattison was conducted by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church. The pastor spoke from a personal standpoint and told of his acquaintance with Dr. Mattison, both in Plainfield and at Millstone.

A detachment from Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., was in attendance with Captain W. C. Smith acting as commander. Nathan Pennington was chairman; Preston B. Goodfellow, first aide; I. L. McVoy, second aide, and H. C. Smith third aide. There were numerous floral tributes.

The interment was made at Millstone, the following members of Winfield Scott Post acting as pall bearers: Preston B. Goodfellow, David Weaver, Peter V. Weaver, James Clarkson, Albert H. Perry and Abram King.

Social Event Postponed.

The business and social meeting of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church planned for tomorrow night in Vincent chapel has been postponed on account of the death of Rev. Dr. James R. Bryan, whose funeral will be held in the church tomorrow afternoon.

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held its monthly meeting at the association Tuesday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. H. M. Maxson, in the chair. Routine business was transacted.

Dr. Charles McKenzie Dead.

Rahway, Feb. 15.—Dr. Charles McKenzie, son of William V. McKenzie, of this city, is dead at his home near Metuchen.

PLAINFIELD LIBRARY NOTES

The Works, Biographical Sketches, etc., of Abraham Lincoln.

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Works of Abraham Lincoln.

Nicolay, J. G., and Hay, John, eds.—Complete works of Abraham Lincoln. 8 v. For inaugurals, messages to Congress, etc., apply at the Library.

Biographies of Lincoln.

Arnold, I. N.—Life of Abraham Lincoln.

Bancroft, G.—Memorial address on the life and character of Lincoln.

Barrett, J. H.—Life of Abraham Lincoln, with his messages, etc.

Brooks, N.—Abraham Lincoln, a biography.

Brooks, N.—Washington in Lincoln's time.

Browne, F. F., comp.—Every-day life of Abraham Lincoln.

Carpenter, F. B.—Six months at the White House with Lincoln.

Chittenden, L. E.—Recollections of President Lincoln and his administration.

Goffin, C. C.—Abraham Lincoln.

Hapgood, N.—Abraham Lincoln, the man of the people.

Herndon and Weik.—Abraham Lincoln.

Ketcham, H.—Life of Abraham Lincoln.

Morse, T. J.—Abraham Lincoln.

Nicolay and Hay.—Abraham Lincoln. 10v.

Putnam, M. L.—Children's life of Abraham Lincoln.

Stoddard, W. O.—Inside the White House in war time.

Tarbell and Davis.—Early life of Abraham Lincoln.

Tarbell, I. M.—Life of Abraham Lincoln. 2v.

Thayer, W. M.—Pioneer boy, and how he became president.

Shorter Sketches, Essays, etc., Relating to Lincoln.

Abbott, J. S. C.—Abraham Lincoln. In his lives of the presidents.

Adams, J. C.—Place of Lincoln in history. Century 25:590.

Beecher, H. W.—Death of Abraham Lincoln, (extracts). In Bellamy & Goodwin. Open sesame, v. 3.

Blaisdell, A. F.—Reminiscences of Lincoln. In stories of the civil war.

Bolton, S. K.—Abraham Lincoln. In her poors boys who became famous.

Brooks, E. S.—At Lincoln's home. In his Century book of famous Americans.

Brooks, E. S.—Story of Abraham Lincoln. In his Historic Americans.

Brooks, N.—Abraham Lincoln. In his Men of Achievement.

Brooks, N.—Close of Lincoln's career. Century 28:18.

Castelar—Abraham Lincoln. In Davis & Bridgman, eds. Three minute declamations for college men.

Emerson, R. W.—Abraham Lincoln, remarks at the funeral services. In his Miscellanies.

Greeley, H.—Estimate of Lincoln. Century 26:371.

Hay, John.—Abraham Lincoln. In Wilson's Presidents of the United States.

Hay, John.—Life in the White House in the time of Lincoln. Century 19:33.

Houghton, W. R.—Lincoln's administration. In his History of American Politics.

Keyes, E. D.—Character of Lincoln. In his Fifty Years' Observations.

Lodge & Roosevelt.—Hero tales of American history.

Lowell, J. R.—Abraham Lincoln. In his My Study Windows, and Political Essays.

Lowell, J. R.—McClellan or Lincoln? In his Political Essays.

London "Spectator." — Abraham Lincoln. In Norton, ed., Heart of oak books, v. 6.

Mabie, H. W.—Abraham Lincoln. In Warner's Library, v. 16.

McCaskey, J. P., ed.—Lincoln literary collection.

National Portrait Gallery—V. 1.

Nicolay, J. G.—Lincoln's literary experiments. Century 25:823.

Nicolay, J. G.—Gettyburg address. Century 25:596.

Nicolay, J. G.—Personal appreciation of Lincoln. Century 20:932.

Perry, L. J.—Home life of Lincoln in Washington. Harper 94:353.

Phillips, W.—Lincoln's election. In his Speeches, etc.

Platt, D.—Abraham Lincoln. In his Memories of the man who saved the Union.

Pierson, Mrs. H. W.—Abraham Lincoln. In her Lives of the presidents.

Rice, A. T., ed.—Reminiscences of Abraham Lincoln by distinguished men of his time.

Robinson, W. S.—Election of Lincoln. In his Pen portraits.

Schurz, Carl.—Abraham Lincoln. Atlantic 67:721.

Scott, H. W.—Abraham Lincoln. In his Distinguished American lawyers.

Smith, Goldwin.—Early years of Lincoln. In his Lectures and Essays.

Sparks, E. E.—Abraham Lincoln: a new type of American. In his Men who made the nation.

Stowe, Mrs. H. E. B.—Abraham Lincoln. In her Men of our times.

Sumner, C.—Eulogy on Lincoln. In his Works, v. 9, and also separately.

Thompson, R. W.—Abraham Lincoln. In his Recollections of sixteen presidents.

Tuckerman, C. K.—Personal recollections of Abraham Lincoln. In his Personal Recollections of Notable People. v. 1.

U. S., State department.—Assassination of Lincoln.

Poems Relating to Lincoln.

Bolton, H. W.—Lincoln, the Tender-hearted. In Lincoln literary collection.

Bryant, W. C.—Abraham Lincoln. In his Poetical works.

Carey, Phoebe.—Our good president. In Carey, A. and P. Poetical works.

Gilder, R. W.—On the life-mask of Abraham Lincoln. In Library of American literature, and his Poems.

Holmes, O. W.—For the services in memory of Abraham Lincoln. In his Poems.

Larcom, Lucy.—Lincoln's passing-bell. In her Poetical works.

Lemon, M.—Patriot president. In Carrington, ed., Becan lights of patriotism.

Lowell, J. R.—Commemoration ode. In his Poetical works.

Lowell, J. R.—Commemoration ode, (extracts). nI Davis & Bridgman, eds., Three-minute declamations for college men.

Perry, N.—Abraham Lincoln's Christmas gift. In her New songs and ballads.

Poetical tributes to the memory of Abraham Lincoln.

Phillips, Wendell.—Lincoln's election, (selections). In Monroe's Miscellaneous readings.

Stedman, E. C.—Abraham Lincoln. In his Poetical works.

Stoddard, R. H.—Abraham Lincoln. In his Poems, and Library of American literature.

Swing, David.—Lincoln's birthday. In Lincoln literary collection.

Thompson, M.—Lincoln's grave, (selections). In American anthology.

Whitman, Walt.—O captain my captain. In Bellamy & Goodwin, eds., Open sesame, v. 3, and Heart of oak books, v. 6.

Woodbury, I. V.—Lincoln's birthday. In Hinds & Noble, Pieces for every occasion.

Stories on the Life of Lincoln.

Butterworth, H.—In the boyhood of Lincoln.

Churchill, W.—The crisis.

Eggleston, E.—Graysons.

Harris, J. G.—Kidnapped. In his On the wing of occasions.

Harte, F. B.—Clarence.

Townsend, G. A.—Katy of Catoctin.

PROPOSE TO SUE FOR THE CAMPAIGN FUNDS.

New York, Feb. 15.—At a special meeting of the trustees of the New York Life Insurance Company yesterday afternoon, the Fowler investigating committee submitted another report, dealing with the action of the company's officials in making campaign contributions. The report states that there is no record on the books of the company to show that campaign contributions were made, but against this is the information obtained from the testimony of McCall and Perkins before the Armstrong commission.

The report concludes: "Your committee, therefore, recommends that special counsel be retained forthwith to institute such legal proceedings as shall be necessary to recover the sums so contributed from such officers and trustees of the company as in the judgment of counsel are liable therefore."

FIELD CLUB'S PLANS.

Netherwood Organization to Have Four Tennis Courts.

The Netherwood Field Club, recently organized, is planning to establish several tennis courts and in addition will have grounds for target shooting. The club now has a membership of twenty and will be limited to forty. Grounds have been secured beyond the Netherwood Fresh Air Home, near Leland avenue.

The plans are to locate four tennis courts now and more later on as they are needed. As many of the members are fond of target shooting, arrangements will be made to hold interesting events in that line. An advantage in the location of the grounds is that they are near the homes of the members.

It is hoped by another year to have a strong club fully organized.

Here and There in London.

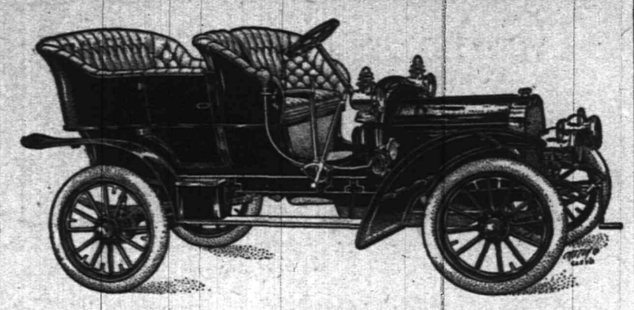
Persons who have seen the sights of London will enjoy having their memories refreshed with the views to be shown by Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss in his illustrated lecture on this subject next Tuesday night in the First Baptist church, under the auspices of the Young Women's Missionary Society. Those who have not travelled through London streets should not miss the opportunity of accompanying Dr. Chambliss. He is a keen sight-seer and a rare story teller.

A Valentine Party.

Miss Irene Samuels, of West Front street, gave a valentine party at her home, yesterday afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock. She entertained a company of fifteen of her school friends. The afternoon was spent playing games of all kinds and later refreshments were served. The home was decorated appropriate to St. Valentine's day.

Atlantic B. C. Five.

The Atlantic Boat Club five will play the Y. M. C. A. Saturday night here. A lively, close fight is expected.



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CRACKS AT LOCAL MEN

Judge Runyon's Wit Searches Out C. J. Fisk and Other Well Known Plainfielders—Flowers for Some of the Troupe.

Mark up a new standard for amateur minstrel shows in Plainfield. The old Hope chapel shows were rated topnotch in recent years, but memories of the Y. M. A. faded away before the first annual show of the Elks last night. They gave a packed house three hours filled to overflowing with pure enjoyment. First part, olio and afterpiece were all good after their kind.

The first part was rich in local hits, and the shots all told. The topical song, written and sung by Judge Runyon, scored the great success expected of it. If the Judge hadn't begged off in a plaintive verse he might be singing yet.

The show was well mounted. With Manager William Counihan himself at the helm, nothing else was to be expected. The first part ended with a striking electrical effect.

When the curtain went up on the opening chorus, a troupe more than fifty strong faced the audience. The circle was gorgeous in yellow, green, purple, red and magenta silk, with knee breeches and gold trimming effects. The other members of the troupe, in the regulation evening clothes, with purple ribbons across their shirt fronts, were ranged in tiers to the back of the stage. John A. O'Keefe was interlocutor, and the end men were W. J. Counihan, Thomas Muir, George O. Stevens, bones; Charles J. Ward, Herbert Brooks and William N. Runyon. The rest of the blackface troupe were Walter Apgar, L. A. Bellis, Francis J. Blatz, John Bowman, A. F. Brokaw, Edward Brown, A. H. Bullard, John Campbell, John A. Conway, John H. Cose, Elmer D. Cutting, Frank Dencklau, James Dodd, H. C. Dunbar, Charles H. Dunham, A. D. Findlay, J. E. Flannery, H. P. Greenwood, John J. Kenney, Edward A. Laing, Harry C. Leek, Horace J. Martin, Jr., Joseph C. Martin, Otto Mueck, Jr., Erwin Y. Neighbour, Fred A. Nelson, John Nicol, Joseph F. O'Keefe, William J. O'Keefe, Alfred A. Prudhon, Harry R. Roberts, Carroll T. Runyon, Elmer E. Runyon, George F. Schoonmaker, Edward C. Searing, John J. Slevin, William C. Smith, Clarence E. Teel, John C. Traynor, William F. Townley, J. A. Wilson, S. P. T. Wilbur.

Harry R. Roberts started the solo numbers, after "Silver Heels," introducing the end men, and "Spoontime" by the company, with "When the Whip-poor-will Sings, Marguerite." The audience insisted on an encore, and it religiously observed the recall custom all through the solo numbers. In the chorus of "The Leader of the German Band" C. J. Ward made a hit with some lively dance steps. Joseph F. O'Keefe sang "By the Watermelon Vine" with fine effect, and Manager Counihan sang "My Name is Morgan, but it Ain't J. P.," in a way that tied the hook up in a knot and made it totally unfit for use. He got a big bunch of real flowers. Elmer D. Cutting's silvery tenor did full justice to "Just One Word of Consolation." He got no flowers, but there was no lack of applause.

Thomas M. Muir, veteran of three Hope chapel shows and sundry one-night stands in Scotch Plains and South Plainfield, caught the audience fast with "Nobody." Mr. Muir's song was received with only a shade less warmth than the topical ditty. "Good-bye, Dixie Dear, Good-bye," was well sung by James Dodd, supported in the chorus by J. C. Martin, George Schoonmaker and Harry Roberts. George O. Stevens showed that he has not forgotten how to catch audiences when he sang "I've Got to Live Until I Die, Anyhow." Besides much handclapping, Mr. Stevens received a huge bouquet.

The topical song was the last solo and the penultimate number. Sung as only its author could have sung it, to a lively Runyonesque tune, the song was the musical "It" of the part. The verses are published in another column.

The final chorus was a medley of popular airs, with a spectacular finale. The last chorus was "Your Dad Gave His Life for His Country," and as the company started it the lights went out and the spotlight, playing on the highest tier, showed

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LOVING CUP FOR RUNYON

Admiring Elks Make Present to the Judge as Token of Appreciation.

COACH FOR MINSTRELS

Recipient Taken By Surprise After the Show—Supper Follows the Ceremony.

Soon after the Elks' minstrel show was over last night, Judge William N. Runyon was invited by one of the members to hurry from the theatre to the lodge rooms above. He responded in a few minutes and was greatly surprised to find the entire troupe gathered in a circle awaiting his coming. Before he had time to ask what it was all about, John A. O'Keefe stepped forward and in behalf of the minstrels presented the judge with a solid silver loving cup in recognition of his untiring efforts to make the show a success.

The gift bears the inscription "To William N. Runyon, from the first Elks' minstrel troupe, February 15, 1906." It is eighteen inches high and of a very handsome design. The recipient was greatly taken back when he realized what the artists had done but in thanking them he declared that everyone of the fifty members in the jubilee had acquitted himself with credit and all were entitled to recognition.

Following the presentation a supper was served and the minstrels sang their songs for an hour. The chief contributors to the programme were Judge Runyon, who presented his "famous piano monologue" and Arthur and Angelo Minion with vocal selections, accompanied by the mandolin and guitar.

CRIMINAL CASES END IN UNION COUNTY COURT.

Mattis Removed to Somerset County, Where He Will Be Tried.

The trial of criminal cases for the present term of the Union County Court terminated yesterday with the disposition of the cases against Peter Linzer, William Ross and Thomas Holland, charged with a heinous offense. They retracted their former pleas of not guilty to one of indecent assault. They, together with John Galbraith, will be sentenced on Wednesday, February 21.

Richard Mattis, also of this city, charged with a similar offense, is still charged with a similar offense, was taken to the Somerset county jail today. While the police claim that Mattis is equally guilty as his companions, they say he is not amenable to the Union County Courts because his offense was committed in North Plainfield in Somerset county.

With the exception of an assault and battery case, Assistant Prosecutor English informed that court that the State had finished the trial of criminal cases. This case has been laid over until next term. With the exception of a jury impaneled to sit on a civil case set down for today, all remaining jurors have been excused until Monday, February 26.

Musical at First Methodist Church.

The cantata, "The Triumph of David," to be given at the First M. E. church Tuesday evening, is one of Buck's most interesting compositions. It takes up the story of the life of David and Saul and bringing in as it does the Witch of Endor and Saul's request of her to bring forth the shade of Samuel, lends itself to strong dramatic treatment. Gounod's "Gallia," which is also to be sung that evening, is perhaps the better known composition, having been sung before in this city. The soloists for the evening are Miss Bertha van Nuise Willis, Miss Laura Gesswein, Mrs. Stephen Tugwell, Charles Barlow, Carlos C. Gallup, J. Edmund Skiff. All music lovers are cordially invited. A silver offering will be taken.

Hearing Adjourned.

The hearing of John Consoli's action for $50, on contract, against Henry De Mott, was postponed a week by Justice Smalley, of North Plainfield, this morning. The postponement was taken at the request of F. J. Huff, lawyer for the plaintiff. H. C. Runyon is counsel for De Mott.

Mrs. Wyckoff's Funeral.

In the presence of a gathering of relatives and friends, the funeral of Mrs. Martin Wyckoff, of Somerset street, was held at her late home on Somerset street yesterday afternoon. It was conducted by Rev. Charles L. Goodrich and interment was made at Stanton.

[Courtesy of the Herald.

Conspicuous figures in the Elks' Minstrel Show.

PYTHIANS IN CONVENTION

Thirty-Ninth Annual Meeting Will Be Held in Trenton Next Week.

ORDERS TO THE LODGES

Issued by Grand Chancellor William C. Cowgill, of Paulsboro—Grand Lodge Sessions.

The annual convention of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of New Jersey, will be held at Trenton next week and will be attended by delegates of Unity and Perseverance lodges of this city. Grand Chancellor William C. Cowgill has issued the following orders to the members of the subordinate lodges throughout the State in reference thereto:

"To the Officers and Members of the Knights of Pythias of the Domain of New Jersey:

"Dear Sirs and Brothers—The thirty-ninth annual convention of the Grand Lodge will convene at Masonic Temple, in the city of Trenton, on Wednesday, February 21, at 11 a. m. Headquarters of the Grand Lodge will be at the Trenton House.

"A joint card order covering all railroad lines of New Jersey has been issued by the Trunk Line Association at reduced rates, as follows: Fare and one-third for the round trip, from all points on card orders; tickets to be sold and good going February 19 to 22, returning to February 24, inclusive. (Those who cannot secure through tickets to destination can purchase from junction point to junction point by presenting a separte card order to cover each line.)

"In accordance with recommendation of the finance committee adopted at the last convention of the Grand Lodge, the grand keeper of records and seal will send two card orders to each grand representative. These card orders are granted under conditions and a limited number only is furnished the Grand Lodge. Therefore, all keepers of records and seals will notify Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Elmer E. Margerum how many card orders they desire for those who expect to attend the Grand Lodge convention in addition to those cards sent the grand representatives. All card orders not used must be returned to Brother Margerum.

"Grand representatives, upon their arrival, will at once report to P. G. R. J. S. Storms, chairman of the committee on returns and credentials, Trenton House, that their certificates may be examined, after which they will report to P. G. R. William H. Everson, chairman of the finance committee, Trenton House, with mileage certificates, that their names may be placed on the mileage roll.

"In accordance with a further recommendation of the finance committee and adopted at the last convention of the Grand Lodge, each committeeman is required to report to the finance committee on their arrival at Trenton. And all bills must be presented to the finance committee not later than the afternoon of the first day's session.

"Junior past chancellors will report only to the committee on returns and credentials that their names may be entered on the past chancellors' list in order to take the Grand Lodge rank.

"Bring your jewels with you. You will not be admitted to the Grand Lodge without a jewel. Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Margerum

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HARTRIDGE SCHOOL'S SPLENDID EXHIBITION

PUPILS' PROFICIENCY ADMIRED BY A LARGE CROWD AT THE CASINO.

An event of more than ordinary interest was the exhibition at the Casino of three branches of work at the Hartridge School this afternoon. The branches included singing, calisthenics and gymnasium work, and in each the pupils showed marked proficiency under the direction of Miss Hartridge, assisted by the teachers of the school. There was a large attendance of parents and friends of the school, all of whom were greatly interested in the exhibition. The pupils were accorded high praise for their work, while the teachers were also complimented for their efforts.

The first part of the programme was devoted to singing, as follows:

"O Country Great and Glorious," Schumann, academic and elementary departments; "To a Child," Bendel, academic and 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th elementary; "Mammy's Littl' Honey," Tracy, academic department; "Pilgrim Chorus from Tannhauser," Wagner, academic and elementary departments; "The Night," Raff, academic and 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th elementary; (a) "Swing Song," Nevin; (b) "A Dew Drop," Gilchrist, 1st, 2d and 3d elementary; "When My Mother Sings," Dvorak, academic, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th elementary; "The Angel," Rubinstein, academic department; "Lullaby," Brahms, academic and elementary departments.

Following the vocal programme, there was an exhibition of calisthenics, as follows:

March, second grade elementary, third and fourth grades elementary, fifth grade elementary, sixth and seventh grades elementary. The programme was then concluded with the gymnasium work, which included dumb-bells, rings, horse, dance—Highland fling and basketball.

In the calisthenics and gymnasium work the pupils did well and they received frequent applause as they went through the various drills.

The calisthenic and gymnasium work of the school is in charge of Miss Laura M. Kennish, of the Gardner Gymnasium, New York, and the singing in charge of Miss Lillian Andrews, a pupil of Oscar Saenger. These teachers are members of the school faculty.

BLAZE IN CLOTHING STORE.

Marshall & Ball, of Newark, Lose $20,000 by Fire and Water.

Fire started from an unknown cause about 9 o'clock last night in the manufacturing department on the third floor of a store occupied by Marshall & Ball, clothiers, in Nos. 805, 807 and 809 Broad street, Newark. It burned from the front to the rear of the building, but was kept from the two lower floors.

Water damaged stock on the lower floors and the total loss will be $20,000.

Rogers-Grilley Recital.

A Rogers-Grilley recital will be the attraction at the next entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course on February 22. Mr. Rogers is one of the very few who have not lost the art of playing the harp. He opens the programme with a harp classic, and is followed by Mr. Grilley with a group of impersonations and original selections that carries the listener through a series of artistic efforts in the realm of pathos, humor, and music.

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Concern Files Articles of Incorporation and Will Be Located in This City.

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The Quincy, Manchester, Sargent Co., Mechanical, Pneumatic and Electrical Appliances.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the county clerk's office, Elizabeth, this morning by the Quincy, Manchester, Sargent Company, which has its main offices in this city. The company is formed to manufacture, install and deal in mechanical, electrical, pneumatic and other systems of signalling, interlocking, block signalling and safety appliances for every kind of a railroad.

The incorporators are William D. Sargent, of West Orange, and William Conover and Daniel W. Yerkley, of New York.

The company is capitalized at $500,000, each share being $100. Although the offices of the company is to be located here it is not known at present where the manufacturing business will be carried on.

WANTS $10,000 DAMAGES.

Mrs. Richard Alleges Plumber Masker Left Excavation Unguarded.

Isaac Richard and his wife, Gussie Richard, have sued F. M. Masker, a plumber, for $10,000 in the Supreme Court in a tort action. They seek compensation for injuries alleged to have been suffered by Mrs. Richard through the negligence of the defendant.

The declaration alleges that Mrs. Richard fell into an unlighted excavation left by Masker on East Front street on the night of February 2, 1905, suffering as a result thereof a dangerous sickness, besides a sprained ankle and other minor injuries, the effect of which has been to leave her health permanently impaired. William Newcorn is the plaintiffs' lawyer.

Funeral of William G. Pearson.

The funeral of William G. Pearson, who died at the Alexian Brothers' Hospital, Elizabeth, was held at the home of his son, William Pearson, of West Third street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. George Mooney, pastor of the Monroe Avenue church, officiated. Interment was made at Hillside cemetery, a delegation of six members of the Elizabeth Carpenters' Union acting as pall bearers.

No "M. O." Election.

Although Senator Ackerman's bill to cure apparent defects and ambiguities in the present laws on elections for municipal ownership of water works is likely to become a law in a few weeks no election will be held here for the purpose until next fall at least.

New P. S. C. Waiting Room?

It is reported that should the Common Council refuse to grant a liquor license to Charles Schanz for the place, the P. S. C. will lease the Hand store on Watchung avenue now occupied by T. A. Garthwaite. It is needed as a waiting room for trolley patrons.

—Neuman Brothers are local agents for the celebrated Golden Gate canned fruits. They have that delicious flavor so much sought after. A big, new consignment of cherries, apricots and peaches has just arrived.

MR. FOX PRESIDED AT CHARITIES AID CONFERENCE

HIGH LICENSE IS BETTER

Some Arguments of Local Option Agitation Six Years Ago Recalled.

MR. REED'S OPPOSITION

In Letter to Some Advocates of Local Option at That Time, the Senator Gave Sound Reasons For His Position.

According to those "on the inside" at the State House, it is said that the local option bill now being strongly agitated by prelates and clergy about the State, will be defeated in the Legislature. The reasons for the lawmakers' opposition to the measure do not vary widely from those expounded by advocates of high license in the Legislature six years ago.

At that time former President of the Senate Charles A. Reed, then a member on the floor of the Upper House, was conspicuous among those unfavorable to any local option legislation. Strong efforts were made to convince him that his position was not well taken. Among the local option associations which desired to obtain his support was one at Tenafly, Bergen county. That organization formally requested, through Frederick L. Colver, that the Senator set forth his reasons for opposing their efforts. Mr. Reed's reply gives concise and lucid agruments, which will be of interest to those following the trend of affairs regarding liquor law agitation, follows:

"Replying to your favor of November 15, asking me to support in the Senate the Local Option Bill relative to liquor license advocated by the committee to which you are chairman, permit me to say that your method of approaching the legislator is particularly well chosen and commands careful consideration of the views you express.

"My present notion is that your bill should not become a law, and for many reasons, among which I might mention the following:

"In the first place, the proposition of local option has already been submitted to the people of the State, and has been most emphatically condemned by them. No special pleading that it was submitted in the form of a county option, or the like, will, in my judgment, avoid the real issue, viz., that the great majority do not favor local option on the liquor license question.

"Second. There is at present a statute providing that the license fee can be fixed by an election in any township, town, borough, or city which should enable any such municipality to regulate within reason the licensing of liquor sellers in such municipality, and no municipality should be allowed to be unreasonable, even by a unanimous vote.

"Third. So long as human nature remains what it is at present, a large portion of every community will continue to use liquor as a beverage, and until such use can be shown to amount to an offense against society at large, and therefore deserving to be absolutely prohibited everywhere, the citizen who indulges in a reasonable use of intoxicants should not be deprived, in certain localities only, of a right which is older than the New Testament.

"Fourth. From personal observation. I have been forced to a conclusion that prohibition is, as the world is at present constituted, an incentive to drink, and to violations of law. In 'no license' towns, people who practically never drink elsewhere indulge in the use of liquor simply because it is forbidden. It is the old story, Stolen fruits are sweeter. Much greater quantities of intoxicants came into Plainfield in one year when no licenses were granted, than in any other year. The records at the freight office show this to be a fact. There were also during that year some sixty-eight places in the city where intoxicants were sold, against about twenty in other years, and the fact is that when you enact a statute which the public sentiment of the State does not uphold, that statute will be habitually violated, and when a man habitually violates one statute, he soon loses respect for others.

"My intercourse with temperate people, and by that I mean people who do not go to extremes in any direction, convinces me that our present liquor laws meet the approbation of the great majority. Our statutes recognizes that the sale of liquor is necessary, and provide that it shall be regulated by license. That no more places shall be license than are necessary and that the license fee shall be not less than a sum named in the statute, but may be as much more, in reason, as the court, or the

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Other Plainfielders Conspicuous at Yesterday's Session of State Organization.

MRS. GLENNEY SPOKE

Dr. William H. Murray to Make Address Tonight on Civic Sanitation and Hygiene As Affecting Welfare of the Poor.

Plainfield is well represented at the fifth annual meeting of the New Jersey State Conference of Charities and Correction, which began in Newark yesterday afternoon. Medical charities were considered at the opening session, and Hugh F. Fox, of this city, was chairman, making the introductory remarks.

There was a consideration of medical charities and a discussion of local treatment of consumption and ways and means of caring for and preventing the spread of the "white plague." There was also a meeting of a committee of thirty interested in the organization of a State society to fight tuberculosis and to take he place of the White Cross League, recently disbanded.

In consideration of medical charities there was a brief talk by Mrs. W. L. C. Glenney, of the City Union, King's Daughters, of this city. The formal opening of the conference took place in the North Reformed church, Newark, last night, and was marked by addresses by Governor E. C. Stokes and Mayor Doremus. All other meetings will be held in the Newark Public Library.

Today's session was devoted to a discussion of prison conditions, "The Parole System," "Rahway Reformatory," "Advantages of the Indeterminate Sentence," "Is the Penitentiary Useful?" and other similar topics. This afternoon Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, the probation officer for Union county, was among the speakers. Tonight Dr. William H. Murray, of this city, will speak on the subject, "Civic Sanitation and Hygiene as Affecting the Welfare of the Poor," which will be introduced by Dr. Norman Wilson, of Elizabeth.

The conference will close tomorrow noon, after a consideration of the topic, "Social Welfare," introduced by Rev. Stanely White, of Orange. Those selected for remarks include many prominent divines and professors throughout the State, it being planned to present the subject from every important standpoint.

VALENTINE SOCIAL AT GRACE PARISH HOUSE.

Held Under the Auspices of the Choir of the Church.

Under the auspices of the choir of Grace church, a delightful valentine social was held in the parish house, last night. There were about thirty members of the choir present to enjoy the programme arranged by a committee comprising Mrs. W. H. Freeman, organist; Mrs. A. B. Cliver, Mrs. Charles E. Steiner, Miss Helen Farland, Miss Emma Yeager and Miss Margaret Yeager.

A feature was a postoffice which was located in a small ante-room. This was in charge of Mrs. W. H. Freeman, as postmistress and Blanchard Fosgate as clerk. There was one or more letters for everyone and these contained a valentine. The exchange of pictures afforded much amusement for all. Games of all kinds were also enjoyed, followed with dancing. At 10:30 refreshments were served in the dining room. The table was appropriately decorated and at each place there was a souvenir heart, bearing a name and a napkin ornamented with cupid and two little hearts. The refreshments consisted of chocolate, cake and sandwiches cut in heart shape. The rest of the time was spent in sociability and the playing of more games.

Mr. Robbie Back.

Boys' Secretary Robbie, of the Y. M. C. A., will return to his desk this afternoon, after a week's illness with tonsilitis. During his illness Carl Haynes has been conducting the physical department in a most efficient manner. Mr. Haynes has had much experience in physical department work and the progress of the classes suffered no check on account of Mr. Robbie's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. French, of Craig place, will entertain the Brotherhood of the First M. E. church at their home Friday night, February 23.

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There are many other articles at higher prices in all departments that are not placed on these bargain tables, equally as cheap.

Special Bargains of Household Furnishing Goods in Basement:

5c Fels Naptha Soap 6 cakes for 25c
39c Round Wash Boilers special at 25c
35c Rebecca at the Well Tea Pot for 23c
98c Mrs. Potts' Irons, 3 in set for 75c
5c Full Size Laundry Soap 6 cakes for 17c
15c Fine Whisk Brooms small and medium size 10c
5c Roll Toilet Paper, 1000 sheets 6 for 25c
25c Japan Coal Hod special at 19c
1.50 Nickel Lamp, complete for 1.19
1.75 Outside Wire Door Mats for 98c
35c Royal Granite Enamel Tea Pot for 25c
35c and 50c Cups and Saucers and Cream Pitchers, manufacturer's samples 19c

Saturday Specials on Main Floor.

25c and 35c Dolls, about fifty left over from last Christmas, now go at less than half price 13c
50c Men's Japanese Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, Saturday only 25c
50c Men's Fleeced Lined Gray Underwear, Shirts and Drawers, all sizes 39c
$1.25 Ladies' Shirtwaists, all white and colored dots, Saturday only 79c
75c Corset Cover Embroidery, 18 inch, about twenty-five styles 39c
15c Printed Lawn, 40 inches wide, about 1000 yards of seconds, slight imperfections in the print 10c
$1.50 Embroidered Fine White Waist Patterns, just received, one hundred will be sold at 98c
50c Men's White Overalls, all sizes, for Saturday only 35c
15c Boys' and Girls' School Hose, fine and coarse ribbed, all sizes 10c
$1.25 Ladies' Kid Gloves, black, white, gray, mode and tan, for 1.00
15c White Lawn for waists and dresses, 30 inches wide, fine and sheer seconds, slight mill stains, otherwise perfect. 10c
25c Men's Fine Black Socks, Hermsdorf dye, all sizes, Saturday only, 3 pairs for 50c
25c Men's Fancy Socks, all sizes, Saturday only .. 13c
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Pride of France Catsup, large bottle 10c
American Mixed Candy (10c kind), lb 7c
Karo Corn Syrup (10c kind), a can 8c
Comb Honey (20c kind), a box 18c
Maraschino Cherries (25c kind), a bottle 21c
McCann's Irish Oatmeal, 5 lb. tin 53c
Salt Mackerel, choice white fish, each 8c
Cromarty Smoked Bloaters, 2 for 5c

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Cracker Meal (10c kind), a lb 6c
Gordon's Extra Fat Bloaters, each 5c
Soused Mackerel, 1 lb. tins 15c
Columbia River Salmon, Merrimac brand, 1 lb. flat can 15c
Deviled Crabs, including shells, a can 22c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1 lb. can, 35c; ½ lb. can .. 20c
Swift's Lard, a lb 8c
Best Elgin Creamery Butter, lb 28c

$2 worth of Stamps Free with 25 lb. bag Best XXXX Flour 75c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with 1 dozen California Navel Oranges a dozen 25c. 30c and 35c	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Royal Blue Corn a can 10c 20 Stamps Free	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Harvest Gem Peas a can 12c 20 Stamps Free
$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Parsnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Sweet Potatoes 30c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket White or Yellow Turnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket Red or Yellow Onions 30c

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3 lb. can Syrup 15c
1 package Macaroni 10c
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1 bottle Vanilla 15c
1 can Baked Beans 10c
1 can Pumpkin 10c
1 can Beets 12c
1 can Stringless Beans 12c
1 can Spinach 12c

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Grandma's Cookies, lb 12c
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Fig Bars, lb 12c
Graham Crackers, lb 12c
2 packages Cracker Jack 10c
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French Mixed Candy, lb 12c
Royals, lb 13c
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2 packages Cracker Jack, each. 5c

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

There was a large attendance at the entertainment held by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church last night. Miss Ola Bidwell, baritone singer and violinist, was the chief feature of the programme, which was much enjoyed.

Railroad carpenters at work at the depot lost a hammer, a nail cutter and a saw through theft Wednesday afternoon. They could find no clue to the thief.

A valentine sociable was held by Lakeside Council, D. of L., last night. Comic valentines for all the members were a feature. Refreshments were served.

Bartley Kelly continues to recover from the effects of his terrible accident in Newark. His chances of recovery increase daily.

Daniel Gulick has quite recovered from his attack of lumbago. He was in Newark Wednesday on business.

A few of the younger men of the borough attended the Elks' minstrel show in Plainfield last night.

Nelson Cronk is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Underhill, in New York, for a few weeks.

George S. Larkin will return from his stay with Rhode Island relatives next week.

F. R. Wynkoop entertained the Married Couples' Card Club last night.

A covenant meeting will be held at the Seventh-Day Baptist church tonight.

Fred Holden is acting as janitor of the New Market school for a few days.

John Wilson has settled in the Goth building on the Bound Brook road.

Good skating was again possible on the New Market pond yesterday.

One member is to be initiated at the next meeting of Court Dunellen.

Miss Maude Totten was confined to the house by illness yesterday.

Miss Irene Day has recovered from an attack of quinsy sore throat.

Dr. Nelson has installed a new style heater in his house.

The pay car passed the borough today on its monthly run.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The annual township report, which has just been issued by the Township Committee, shows the township to be in a flourishing condition. The treasurer's report shows a cash balance, Dec. 13, 1905, of $2,815.51. The delinquent tax list is larger than last year, but much of this will be collected as the special tax collector will soon begin his work and then it is a case of pay up or explain why. Taxpayers who desire a copy of the report can apply to Township Clerk Edward L. Hand.

One of the largest delegations from here that has yet attended a performance at the New Plainfield theatre attended the Elks' minstrels last night. The programme was a good one, the local hits being enjoyed, as the 'Plains keeps in touch with Plainfield, on Sunday at least.

Mrs. Parks, who broke a bone in an ankle several weeks ago, continues to improve, although it will be several weeks yet before she will be able to use the injured limb again.

The Social Club of the Stony Hill St. Mary's R. C. church will hold a social in the Fanwood Fire House on the night of Feb. 21.

The drop in the temperature once more has made skating good again, as well as made the ice man smile.

The prayer and praise service tonight at the Baptist church will be in charge of Rev. T. Moore-Smith.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., held its regular weekly meeting in the Library rooms last night.

Mrs. M. E. Darby, of North Plainfield, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John R. Marsh.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Peter Emmons, who is well known in this locality, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

A new house is being built for Mr. Back near Maple avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Randolph, of Myrtle avenue, are home from a pleasant visit to Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Waring, who are spending the winter in New York, are expected to return to their home in West Seventh street early in March.

Joseph Kingston, of East Second street, has received a gift from a friend which he prizes highly as the work of a genius. It is a piece of wood cut to represent a flat quart bottle. On the face of it appears a saw, sawbuck and an axe. In the neck of the bottle there is suspended a key, and also made of wood. The bottle was made by hand by an inmate of the Massachusetts State prison, and was purchased by a friend of Mr. Kingston's, who sent it to him as a souvenir.

PERSONAL.

George F. Brown, of Grove street, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Miss Nellie Hahn, of Raritan, has returned home after a visit with friends here.

Miss Clara Long, of Park avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Miss Mary Dunham, of West Front street, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gulick, of Raritan.

Voorhees Huff, of West End avenue, has been detained a few days by a slight attack of tonsilitis.

Sam D. Frazee, the well-known musician, is detained at his home in West Front street with the grip.

A. L. LaBoyteaux, of Fairview avenue, who has been spending some time at Lakewood, has returned home.

Miss Ollie Kline, of the West End, has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. McCallom, of Jersey City Heights.

Lieut. Bull, son of C. P. Bull, of East Ninth street, who is now on a trip around the world, is expected to return home March 10.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Musson, of West Front street, who have been visiting their former home in Washington, have returned home.

Real Estate Sales Reported.

The following sales have been made by William Jeffery, the real estate broker: Nos. 210 and 212 West Fourth street, J. J. Praed to H. C. Hunting; 413 Spooner avenue, Thomas Hughes to C. Mahlberg; 932 West Third street, Berkeley Heights Association to William Hawkins; 1164 Park avenue, Cora Estelle Gulick to Thomas S. Voorhees; lot, West Fourth street, Charles H. Snyder to Bolton Hall; lot, West Fourth street, Thomas Berkeley to Leonard Tuttle; ten-foot strip, adjoining Leslie avenue, Improvement Building Lot Association of N. J. and Pa., to Investors' Realty Company; three lots in Clark street, Westfield: Joseph S. Pray to Bolton Hall; hotel at Berkeley Heights, James M. Trimble to Berkeley Heights Association; two lots at Berkeley Heights, Berkeley Heights Association to A. C. Pleydell; twenty lots at Berkeley Heights, Berkeley Heights Association to Ye Olde Mountain Camp Company; six lots at Berkeley Heights, Berkeley Heights Association to Berkeley Heights Lumber & Supply Company; plot at Berkeley Heights, Berkeley Heights Association to Robert J. Rogers, who will build a general store on same. A factory is now in course of erection at Berkeley Heights, which will be ready for occupancy early in May.

BRING your children tomorrow to see the great painting, "First in Peace," now on free exhibition in our Music Hall. Interesting and beautiful.

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New Spring and Summer Styles.

To Be Sold For Little

ONE of the best makers of Boys' Suits that we know of, having finished his preliminary season's business, has sold us several surplus lots at prices so low as to enable us to sell them to you at about the cost of the materials. No doubt this maker sold us these to please us and win more trade, more than anything else. Surely it wasn't that he needed money, for he is rich.

These suits are in the newest and most attractive 1906 Spring and Summer styles. They include **Sailor** and **Russian Blouses, Sailor** and **Russian Etons** and **Sailor Blouse Suits** with **bloomers** and **straight pants**, in sizes ranging from 3 to 12 years. The materials used are **linen, galatea, chambray, mercerized materials, pique, duck** and a number of **novelties** in white, solid colors and stripes. It is a collection of suits that will please every mother that sees them; values are fully **one-third to one-half** more than the prices we have decided to ask for these suits—

79c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00 and 3.00

It is a good time to buy the boy his season's outfit, especially if you have planned to go to the seashore. You certainly will not have a better opportunity for saving money on the boy's clothes.

For Men

IF YOUR most trusted friend came to you with a watch to sell you'd be suspicious of him—or rather of the watch.

It's funny, but men regard a watch deal about as they do a horse trade.

It makes it hard for us to convince a man that the watches we are selling this week for **$8.98** are really first class timekeepers, worth not a cent less than $12.98, and sold for more by many specialty houses.

These are **Gold-filled, Hunting-case** and **Open-faced Watches**; thin models; beautifully engraved and engine turned; warranted for ten years; fitted with either Waltham or Elgin movements; reliable timekeepers; handsome watches indeed.

The Movements—Waltham nickel movements; seven jewels; exposed pallets; good expansion balance; patent Breguet hair spring; hardened and tempered in form; tempered steel safety barrel; exposed winding wheels, stem set and winding; fully warranted.

Elgin nickel movement; has seven jewels; exposed pallets; good expansion balance; Breguet hair spring; polished regulator; display winding work; patent self-locking and setting device and sunk second dial; dust spring; damaskeened plates, fully warranted.

All we ask of anyone is that they come in and examine these watches. If they satisfy you, as they surely will—buy them with confidence. We are back of them.

Saturday, last day of **$8.98** price.

Many a man would miss the best things on this page were it not for the sharp eye of his wife—quick to see anything that will make her husband look more genteel, or in some way save him money.

MEN and boys will find a lot of **Fancy Stiff Bosom Shirts** on our aisle tables tomorrow in the men's section, the sizes of which are somewhat disorganized, and a few are slightly soiled from being displayed. They have sold at 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.50. You may take your pick of the lot Saturday at only **25c.**

How is that for a bargain?

YOU will be surprised to see what pretty **Four-in-hands** we are selling at **25c.**

Usually 25c ties are skimpy and somewhat flimsy, but these are made of silks of excellent quality in a variety of designs and color effects that is really surprising, and the size is so generous as to enable you to tie them up in the **new large knots** now so fashionable.

We have no doubt most men will buy **at least four** of these when they see them going at **25c** each.

JUST received a fresh lot of Suspenders made from the short ends of webbings usually employed in the making of 50c suspenders.

1,200 pairs in this lot, and—what do you think?

We are going to sell them at only **25c.**

Come quickly, for these will not linger long.

Will you have a Cigar?

Try these tomorrow, or get some for your Sunday smoke:

Cremo Victoria Cigars,
Box of 50 for only $1.50.
New Postoffice Cigars,
Box of 50—$3. Box of 25—$1.60.

Women's Watches

These are solid gold, open-faced chatelaine watches in plain polished cases, both stem set and winding; fitted with excellent Swiss movements; warranted to give entire satisfaction. We have sold no less than 500 of these watches, and all have pleased their purchasers immensely. We count them worth $9.98; tomorrow is the last day for special selling **5.98**

Eyeglass Outfit For One Dollar

Gold Filled Frames with periscopic lenses; with rolled plate chain, hair pin or hook; and leather case—an outfit that would cost you double anywhere; here Saturday at **1.00**

Eyes examined without charge.

Only one pair to a buyer.

Last Day of 19c Sale

OUR three-days sale of Home Needs, and particularly kitchen utensils, will end Saturday night, and we look for the biggest day of the three days of the sale.

The stocks will be thoroughly replenished; practically the same variety of goods that the sale show started with, with generous additions, will be here tomorrow.

From all parts of our great basement stuff has been gathered for this important movement. Values of the most emphatic sort are being given; in many cases the **19c** price is just about half the usual selling price—and these are things that people need in the house every day, not airy fairy trifles.

Come tomorrow and expect some of the biggest bargains you ever had.

These features for Saturday:

19c { **Fruit and Potato Presses, Glass Berry Bowls, Large Tin Rinsing Pans, Galvanized Chamber Pails,** } **19c**

Toilet Articles

Specially Priced for Saturday's Selling.

WE devote more space to the show and sale of Toilet Articles than any other house in New Jersey, and, as a matter of course, have a greater variety to choose from than can be had in any other establishment. By buying and handling goods in such large quantities we are enabled to give you undoubtedly more for your money than you can obtain elsewhere, and this Saturday selling gives just a few proofs of that fact—

Rubber Gloves—500 pairs of good quality Ladies' household rubber gloves, assorted sizes, in white, red and gray; a glove usually sold for 75c, for Saturday only **39c**

Tooth Brushes—An extra special lot of fine quality Tooth Brushes, fine selected bristles; goods worth from 25c to 35c; Saturday only **15c**

Toilet Paper—Our Newark brand of good quality Toilet Paper; large size roll; regularly 5c, at **3½c**

Witch Hazel—Hahne & Co.'s extra fine quality, double distilled extract of Witch Hazel; 1 pint bottles; reg. 15c, at. **12c**

Talcum Powder—Hahne & Co.'s celebrated brand of violet perfumed Talcum Powder in glass bottles, perforated top; regularly 15c, at **11c**

Glycerine Soap—½-lb. bar of Hahne & Co.'s Glycerine Soap, reg. value 10c, at.. **6c**

Bay Rum—Celebrated brand of Bradley's Bay Rum; regularly 25c, at **19c**

Florida Water—Bradley's good quality Florida water; regular 25c size, at **19c**

Whisk Brooms—Special lot of extra good quality Whisk Brooms; regularly 10c, at **7c**

Dressing Combs—A special lot of Rubber Dressing Combs; all coarse and part fine; regularly 25c, at **19c**

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Autumn Styles of "Queen Quality" Shoes exhibit special features throughout. New designs, new heels, new edge effects have been added and the assortment now presents an unusually complete range of styles, from which to make a selection. Patent Leather for dress and semi-dress, Gun Metal and Kid for general wear. Perfect in fit and economically priced.

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they don't like rocking chairs, but they generally get over it when they grow older.

A Rocking Chair

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PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Schuyler, of Belvidere avenue, are sojourning at Lakewood.

Mrs. John Auten, of the New Madison, has recovered from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Lindsey Woolley, of the New Madison, is on an extended business trip through New York State.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stewart, of this city, are stopping at the Hotel Netherlands, New York, for the present.

Miss Ethel Lorton, of Watchung avenue, entertained a few friends at her home last evening. Covers were laid for twelve.

Stephen Hope, of Watchung avenue and Fifth street, janitor of the Bryant School, is still confined to the house by illness.

Mrs. C. J. Fisk, who is spending the winter in New York, returned yesterday after a brief stay at her home in West Seventh street.

Miss Edwards, daughter of Maze Edwards, of West Seventh street, returned to New York yesterday after spending a few days here with her father.

Paul Taylor Brown, of Belvidere avenue, who is at Nassau, Bahama Islands, is too ill to be removed and he has decided to remain there for the present. Mrs. Brown is with him.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

George H. Batchelor will lead the Young People's Society meeting at the First Baptist church tonight.

Miss Louise Harral will lead the Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church tonight.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie will conduct the Young People's Society meeting at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tonight.

Rhys Thomas has resigned as a member of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church quartette. He intends to give up church singing entirely.

Miss Charlotte Tennant, an expert kindergartner, is now in charge of the primary department of the Park Avenue Baptist church. Her experience in this work makes her a valuable addition to the staff of teachers.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold an all-day sewing and literary meeting at the church on Tuesday. In the morning the women will make aprons for the Day Nursery, recently started here, and in the afternoon there will be presented papers on the work being accomplished in the home field. A basket lunch will be served at noon.

Will Call on the Governor.

Mayor N. B. Smalley, who has been selected as the toastmaster for the "Junior American banquet" to be held at the Casino on Thursday, March 1, will go to Trenton on Tuesday to see if he cannot prevail upon Governor Stokes to attend and speak at the banquet. As the Governor has accepted an invitation to speak at a St. Patrick's Day celebration in Elizabeth on March 17, it is believed that he will consent to speak at the Junior banquet, inasmuch as he is a member of the order.

M. E. McGrath Was Toastmaster.

Maurice E. McGrath, of this city, formerly of New Brunswick, was the toastmaster at the annual banquet of the Epworth League of St. James' church, New Brunswick, Wednesday night. Mr. McGrath is president of the league, and a singular coincident was the fact that nearly every member of the league attended the affair.

—In his illustrated lecture on "Here and There in London," to be given under the auspices of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church on Tuesday night, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss will show about 100 views and tell of his personal experiences in London.

SKIRTS.

A few more Skirts left, were sold at 3.50, now selling at **1.98**

The balance of our Winter Waists must be sold regardless of cost. We divide them in two lots:

LOT ONE—Were 2.00 to 4.00, selling at **1.00**

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Chocolates and Bon Bons	23c
Assorted Chocolates	25c

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HIGH LICENSE IS BETTER

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people at an election ,shall fix. Sales to minors, and to persons who are intoxicated at the moment, or who are habitual drunkards, are prohibited, and severe penalties are fixed for violations of these provisions.

"I believe that if licenses are granted only at a price which will compel the holder to see that no unlicensed person competes with him, the number of licensed and illicit places will be greatly reduced, the character of the licenses will be improved, the laws will be better enforced, and the evils of intoxication greatly diminished. In other words, that high license is the practical solution of the liquor license question for this generation.

"In Plainfield, the license fee is seven hundred dollars per annum. The saloon must close at eleven p. m., and must be so arranged that a full view of the interior of the bar room can be had from the sidewalk from that hour until morning. In this city so-called temperance people were sufficiently strong to prevent any license one year, but the question was recently submitted to a test vote at a municipal election, simply to ascertain the public sentiment, and the majority in favor of maintaining the present system of high license was emphatic.

"Many other reasons could be given, but I think I have gone sufficiently into detail to show my views, and that I have reason for them.

"In closing them, I will merely add in a thickly populated state, where one towns adjoins another so closely as in ours, a no-license community here and there could be productive of nothing but confusion."

STOLE PICTURE OF MAYOR.

Crayon Taken from Frame Hung in Clubhouse of Dickinson Association.

The theft of a picture of Mayor Mark M. Fagan from the Samuel D. Dickinson Association clubhouse, at Jersey avenue and Sixth street, Jersey City, is under police investigation. The picture, a crayon, hung in a gilt frame in the room set aside for Col. Dickinson, the Hudson county Republican leader and Secretary of State, at the side of a likeness of the colonel. The frame was left, and the colonel's picture was not disturbed.

The Mayor is a vice-president of the association, but he is on the outs politically with Col. Dickinson, and has not attended a meeting of the association since his recent re-election.

Followers of the Mayor have charged Col. Dickinson's adherents with voting for Archibald M. Henry, who was the Democratic candidate for Mayor, and some of the Dickinson men have shown bitter feeling against the Mayor at the county committee meetings and elsewhere.

WILL FIGHT RAISE.

A. O. U. W. Representatives to Grand Lodge Against Rate Advance.

Central lodge and Columbia lodge, A. O. U. W., of this city, will be represented by full delegations at the fifteenth annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, at Atlantic City, March 8 and 9. The Columbia lodge representatives will be Past Master Workman Henry Nischwitz, J. W. A. Bauersachs, Henry Liefke, W. A. Woodruff, Richard Kinney and V. W. Nash, former grand master workman. Central lodge's delegation is made up of Past Master Workman William Newcorn, Walter Bradford, H. R. Thorne, Charles H. Randolph, J. A. Wilson, L. J. Spicer, W. H. Lunger, A. Wilson and E. M. Mosher, grand trustee.

The representatives will strongly oppose the proposed change of assessment rates. Both lodges have been in the forefront of the fight against a change ever since the question came up.

Summit Incorporation.

The Summit Realty Company filed articles of incorporation in the county clerk's office, Elizabeth, today. The incorporators are Joseph O. Chrytal, Morris A. Jilson and George G. Faulkner, of Summit, and Walter I. Auten, of Newark. The company is capitalized at $50,000, 2,500 shares at $20 each, and will do a general real estate business in and near Summit.

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H. W. Marshall, Proprietor

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Lace Curtains from 40 cents per pair up. We handle them carefully and return promptly.

Collars and Cuffs 2 cents each.

Our wagons are painted GREEN.

MINSTRELS A SUCCESS

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Anna Warnock, the very small daughter of W. W. Warnock, dressed in a tiny soldier suit, with a rifle at her shoulder and a big American flag fluttering behind her. Electric lights concealed behind the bunting that draped the front of the chairs, blazed suddenly through the colored cloth, and the curtain went down on a "surprise" scene of unusually fine effect. The finale was originated and arranged by Fred Bennett, of the theatre staff.

All the jokes of the first part were good, but the bit of foolery that took most was a take-off on the Fays by Judge Runyon. He came out into the center of the stage with a full-sized telephone under his arm, and went in under a sheet to do some thaumaturgy. Every time the telephone bell rang the seer discovered some well known man in the house, and told him things about his inmost life. Among the victims of the judge's wonder-working were Charles J. Fisk, Dr. F. C. Ard, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, Freeholder S. P. T. Wilbur, H. L. Hall and W. W. Warnock. George Stevens' humorisms dropped on Dr. D. C. Adams, W. L. Hetfield, Jr., and Freeholder Wilbur.

The second part consisted of three great numbers. It opened with an exhibition of Robert Whittaker's famous trained horse Dahl. Dahl made a great showing, but Mr. Whittaker, who is a Plainfielder, displayed horsemanship and skill not a whit less striking. If he ever had any fear of falling off a horse's back he has lost it. He appeared to be as comfortable lying on a half-inch strip of horse as a baby in a trundle bed.

The one amateur number in the part, a comedy quintet, was the mirthmaker of the three. Dressed in all sorts of uniforms, the quintet marched out playing a cracked fife, a snare drum, a trombone, cymbols and a big bass drum. They were funny enough to pass by looks alone, but the song they sang made them the funniest thing on the programme. Muir, Ward, Counihan, Brooks and Cose were the quintet. The managerial genius was responsible for the number, and he drilled his fellows in their parts.

Polk, Kollins and the Carmen sisters, banjoists, the third feature of the olio, did some remarkable work on their instruments. Classical music came as easily from their fingers as darkey medleys.

The show closed with a sketch, "Moonlight on the Levee," showing a levee scene, in which a skit, "The Deacon's Dilemna," figured. Harry R. Roberts, T. M. Muir, John Cose, James Dodd and J. C. Martin took part in the skit, supported by members of the company as roustabouts and cotton pickers. Two of the roustabouts, Arthur and Angelo Minion, of Newark, sang duets to mandolin and guitar accompaniment. An Italian song, in the original, was their piece de resistance, and it was received with delight.

The show closed at 11:20 with "Auld Lang Syne" in chorus, in which the Elks in the audience joined.

The minstrel committee, composed of W. J. Counihan, John H. Cose, E. D. Cutting, T. M. Muir, J. O. O'Keefe and B. Frank Boos, treasurer; were entitled to sit back and approve of themselves last night. They worked hard in support of Chairman Counihan's able leadership, and made the show what it was. Especial credit is due to Mr. Counihan. He labored indefatigably, and with infinite resource, to bring troupe programme and show to the topnotch. Judge Runyon, although not a member of the committee, was one of Mr. Counihan's chief aides. Andrew G. Carpenter, the theatre orchestra leader, was the musical conductor.

Between $400 and $500 was cleared on the show. The money will be put into the charity fund of the lodge, to be used in Christmas tree entertainments for poor children and objects of that sort.

A "MISSIONARY DAY."

Next Sunday to Be so Observed by Grace M. E. Church Members.

Arrangements have been made by Dr. Parsons and the members of Grace church to observe next Sunday as "missonary day." The speakers will include Rev. A. E. Leonard, senior missionary secretary of the Methodist church; Rev. Dr. H. K. Carroll, of the borough, and Professor M. K. W. Heicher, a member of Grace church, recently appointed to missionary field of Japan.

Dr. Leonard will be present all day and speak at each of the services and in the evening Professor Heicher will speak of his call to the work in the foreign field. Special music will also be a feature.

Light as Day at Night.

Make your own gas and have daylight in your house at night. M. A. Rose, 301 Watchung avenue, is sole agent here for The Sunlight Gas Manufacturing Company, of 49 Warren street, New York city. Call and see the plant working at 301 Watchung avenue. The pressure is uniform, clear and steady and the "Omega" generator can be installed in your own cellar and any one can attend to it, as it requires but fifteen minutes once a week.

—Lovers of fruit are reminded that nothing in the market is superior to Golden Gate canned fruits, sold by Neuman Brothers. Everyone admits the quality is the best.

Saturday's Specials

Interesting Items for those who want good goods at close prices. Something among the following list of specials must appeal to you:

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At 1.10 piece of 12 yards—Berkley Long Cloth, No. 500. By the piece only.
At 8c per yard—Brown Linen Twilled Crash, suitable for roller towels, etc.
At 15c per yard—Best 5-4 Table Oil Cloth, white, marble or colors.
At 10c per yard—36-in. Dotted Suisses for sash curtains, etc.
At 98c each—Featherweight Black Petticoats, with plenty of rustle.
At 6c per yard—The well known Everett Classic Dress Ginghams and Seersuckers.
At 39c per yard—Some pretty Wool Dress Goods, 36-in. wide. Colors all good. Regular 50c quality.
At 59c per yard—An excellent grade of 19-in. Taffeta Silk, in all colors.

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At 1.25 per yard—Made, laid and lined, Sloane's Body Brussels Carpets, in the choicest patterns.

At 15c pair—"Iron Thread" Hose for boys. Tough stockings for tough boys. They will outwear the boy. Hundreds of mothers have risen up to bless us for introducing them.
At 15c pair—The "Burson" Hose for women. Narrow, shapely ankle, elastic top, full length, fine guage and perfect fitting. What more could be expected for the price?
At 15c pair—"Louvre" Stainless Hose for girls. These are exceptionally fine guage, color is perfect and quality compares favorably with the average 25c goods.
At 98c each—Exquisitely dainty White Lawn Waists, neatly trimmed with lace and embroidery.
At 5c per yard—Good grade of Apron Ginghams.
At 2.25 each—Natty Black Petticoats, made of "Heatherbloom" taffeta. They are beautifully made and have the rustle and swish peculiar to taffeta silk.

MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Sensational value in 50c Negligee Shirts. Phenomenal sellers. Various improvements in manufacture, fit and finish have made them rivals of the average 1.00 goods. We show a superb assortment of both light and dark colors. Cuffs attached and detached.

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TEA KETTLES.
Solid Copper, Nickel Plated.

No. 6 size, reg. price 89c, sale	69c
No. 7 size, reg. price 98c, sale	79c
No. 8 size, reg. price 1.10, sale	89c
No. 9 size, reg. price 1.25, sale	99c

GALVANIZED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

ASH CANS, WITH COVERS.
Regular price 1.48, sale 98c

SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

NICKEL ALARM CLOCKS.
Regular price 89c, sale 69c

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YELLOW PIE PLATES.
Square Shape.
Regular price 10c, sale 5c

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Made of good quality willow.

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Small size	49c	39c
Medium size	59c	49c
Large size	78c	59c
Extra Large size	98c	69c

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Regular 25c Baskets for	19c
Regular 50c Baskets for	29c
Regular 75c Baskets for	39c
Regular 98c Baskets for	49c

GRAY ENAMELED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
Twin Match Safes	10c	6c
Handy Tea Strainers	10c	6c
Wash Basins	35c	15c
Dish Pans	59c	29c
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New Heart-shaped kind.
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Nickel plated central draft Lamps. Complete with embossed dome shade, chimney and tripod.
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After March 1st no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

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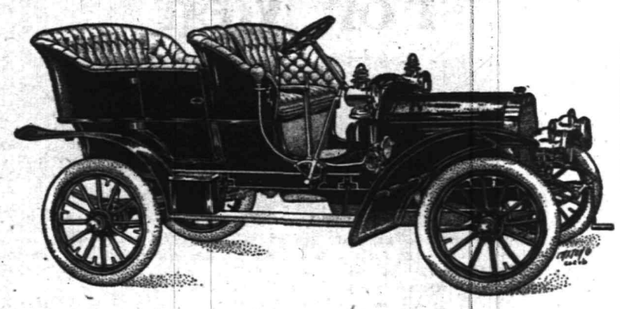

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Don't have wet feet when you can buy Rubber Goods at prices quoted below.

Men's Storm King Boots, regular 4.00, now	$3.25
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Youths' Storm King Boots, sizes 11 to 2	2.00
Men's Arctics, sizes 6 to 11	1.00
Boys' Arctics, sizes 3 to 6	85c
Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	75c
Child's Arctics, sizes 6 to 10½	59c
Men's Rubbers, sizes 8 to 11	55c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers	40c
Ladies' Low Rubbers	35c

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TOPICAL SONG, "I'VE CHANGED MY MIND," SUNG BY W. N. RUNYON AT THE ELKS MINSTRELS

[THE WORDS AND MUSIC WERE THE COMPOSITION OF JUDGE RUNYON HIMSELF.]

It's funny when I think of it, how since I was a kid,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind;
I'm very glad whene'er I think of foolish things I did,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
I used to b'lieve in Santa Claus and hunt him everywhere,
I used to lie awake o' nights and nearly die of scare;
I used to think Newt. Smalley had a real good crop of hair,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.

[Chorus]
He's changed his mind—has another point of view,
We think he's right and feel it quite the proper thing to do.
When a man goes wrong, he will very shortly find,
That he's unwise unless he tries to change his mind.

I used to think Bill Tyler had a chance of being Mayor,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind;
I thought his schemes for great reform were strictly on the square,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
When Mr. English came to town we got the truth direct,
But since he told how Willie's raid was simply for effect,
My confidence in Willie has been absolutely wrecked;
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.

I used to think that Robin Hood knew how to steal in style,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind;
The Life Insurance Companies have got him skinned a mile,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
Since Alexander, Jimmy Hyde, McCurdy and McCall,
And even Chauncey M. Depew have made their little haul,
I don't think Captain Kidd was ever in the game at all,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.

Last year the Board of Muhlenberg thought Charlie Fisk insane,
They've changed their minds—They've changed their minds;
They said: "Your darned old Carnival gives all of us a pain."
They've changed their minds—They've changed their minds.
It seemed like such a vulgar thing that ev'ry one looked glum;
They thought C. J. was putting them completely on the bum;
But when they saw that old five thousand dollars profit come,
They changed their minds—They changed their minds.

I used to think Nick Longworth was a simple sort of lad,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind;
A chap who wasn't very good nor yet so very bad,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
But any man who has the nerve to court a lovely dame,
With eighty million rubbernecks all looking at his game,
Deserves a place with Teddy Roosevelt in the Hall of Fame,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.

I used to like to visit the Get Together Club,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
To get my sarsaparilla and a little German grub,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
But since the Kiely trial brought us all in public view,
I think it's up to me to find some other thing to do;
I think it's safer traveling with the W. C. T. U.,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.

From Public Soakus robbers we have had the double cross,
We've changed our minds—We've changed our minds;
The worm has turned and Plainfield now will show them who is boss,
We've changed our minds—We've changed our minds.
The new association formed by Richard H. Depew
Will teach the Tom McCarter gang some things they cannot do,
We'll make the pirates honest, if we can, before we're thro',
We've changed our minds—We've changed our minds.

I used to hate to leave the jags all night in jail to pine,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
I used to telephone the Chief to let them out till nine,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
But Mr. Marsh has told me that I've not obeyed the laws,
So all of you inebriates, it's time to stop and pause,
When next the cooler gets you, you will stay all night, because,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.

I thought the Tyler-Bullock crowd had Kiely on the brink,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
And had enough to give the Chief the Double Rinky Dink,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
But when the job was over and the testimony through,
Tho' Farmer Jim did all he could with stories wierd, if true,
'Twas 23 for Tyler and for Bullock old Skidoo,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.

I never thought I'd have to use a stanza number 10,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
I said the folks without a doubt will all be tired by then,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.
The time has really come, I feel, to take my little flight,
And while continued singing is of course a great delight,
And I should like immensely just to keep it up all night,
I've changed my mind—He's changed his mind.

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Randolph's White Pine Cough Syrup, either with or without Tar, is a very valuable remedy to have in your house at all times; especially during the sudden change of weather.

It cures Coughs, Bronchitis, Loss of Voice, Sore Throat, etc., and will soon break up the most persistent cold.

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The City Pharmacy,
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MADAME E. COTTRELLY.
Ladies' Tailoring Department.

Announces that during January and until Feb. 15 orders will be accepted at decided reductions from usual prices. All work executed under direction of a skilful French ladies' tailor. Special care and attention given in remodelling and repairing fine furs, making of scarfs and muffs.

Parlors in the Woodhull and Martin Building—First Floor.

Stafford says: His Engraving bears the same excellent reputation as his Printing.

Miss Edith Waltman, of Manning avenue, has gone to Philadelphia to spend a week with friends.

Mrs. M. A. Furman, of Englewood, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Warnock, of Craig place.

PHYTHIANS IN CONFERENCE

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will have a supply of jewels for sale.

"In conclusion I wish to express my grateful appreciation for the universal courtesy extended to me by the members generally and to the Grand Lodge officers and deputy grand chancellors for their valuable assistance in the performance of my duties. I will be at the Trenton House on Tuesday evening, where I will be glad to personally meet and thank you all."

ROOSEVELT MAY PAY A VISIT TO NEWARK.

If Engagements Permit, Thinks He Will Attend the Northwestern Saengerbund Festival.

President Roosevelt may visit Newark as a guest of the Northwestern Saengerbund, at the great festival being planned by that organization for next July. Word was received in Newark yesterday that the President informed a committee of the Saengerbund that waited on him, that if he can arrange his time and engagements he will visit Newark July 2.

A tentative promise from Count von Sternburg, the German Ambassador, to attend the festival was also obtained. The Saengerbund committee was composed of prominent German-American residents of Newark, led by Major Carl Lentz, President of the Northwestern Saengerbund.

Volunteers Want More Pay.

Montclair volunteer firemen are displeased with the pay of $12 per year offered them by the Town Council, in lieu of the tax exemption on property owned by each fireman to the value of $500. A committee will go before the Fire Commissioners at their next meeting and demand higher pay. The men declare that the loss in damaged clothing and time taken out of their workday, when answering alarms of fires each month, is equal to the salary offered them for the entire year.

Canned Fruits.

Golden Gate Cherries.
Golden Gate Peaches.
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GROCERS.
Watchung Avenue and Fifth Street.

IT MEANS

Dollars in your pocket if you take advantage of our February Clearing Sale.

The Men's Shoes at $3.00 which were formerly $4 00 and $5 00 contain quite a few B, C and D sizes, 5½, 6, 6½, 7 and 7½, with a few larger sizes

Five regular $4 00 grades Men's Shoes—box calf and wax calf—at $3.25.

What's left of the Men's $3 50 Calf Skin Button and Lace Shoes at $3.00.

Some elegant values left in the Women's and Children's Specials.

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NEW JERSEY'S LEADING BUTCHERS

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For Saturday, February 17.

Porterhouse or Sirloin Steak - - 12½c lb
Rib Roast, blade cut, Lean Pot Roast, - - - 8c lb
Chuck Steak - - 7c per lb

Corned Jersey Hams - 11c per lb
Fresh Killed Jersey Fowl, 12½c lb

Fancy Maryland Turkeys — Philadelphia Capons
Long Island Ducks — Premium Roasting Chickens
Fancy Plump Geese — Calves' Liver — Taylor Hams

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Hangs Herself in Attic.

New Brunswick, Feb. 16.—Melancholia, caused by ill health, worry over the failing eyesight of her husband and the death of a favorite sister, caused Mrs. Robert M. Clare, aged sixty-three years, to commit suicide Wednesday by hanging herself to a beam in the attic of their home, at 114 Livingston avenue. Her husband is a retired leather dealer of considerable wealth and prominent in New Brunswick banking and other financial institutions. Mrs. Clare has been a prominent worker in the First Methodist church. Within the last few days she closed up a number of matters with which she was connected, and asked that the communion set of the church be removed from the house, as she intended to burn it down.

DIES OF TROLLEY INJURIES.

Leading a Horse, Walked in Front of Car.

Supposed from his dress to be a farmer, an unidentified man died in the Newark City Hospital yesterday of injuries received by being struck by a trolley car late Wednesday night on a stretch of roadway known as the "Hilton Flats," about four miles west of Newark.

A horse, which he was leading, and with which he had been warned to keep off the trolley tracks, was also killed. The motorman, Morris Glotsky, says the man walked on the track directly in front of his car.

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Fourth and Richmond Streets.
Tel. call 2214. West-bound Trolley passes my office.

Classified Advertisements

Lost and Found.

LOST—Yesterday afternoon, in the borough, roll of bank bills. Reward to finder at Daily Press office. 2 16 2

LOST—Gold watch, with Howard fob and initials B. P. on the back; either on the 6:25 train from Jersey City to Netherwood, on Monday, Feb. 12, or between Netherwood station and Berckman street. Finder will receive thanks and reward by notifying W. F. Eastman, 268 West 84th street, New York. 2 16 2

LOST — Pocketbook containing money. 652 South Second St.

FOUND—Two photos of children. Call Daily Press office. 2 14 3

FOUND—Gold watch, in Netherwood. Owner can have same by proving property. 512 Woodland avenue. 2 14 3

Money to Loan.

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue. tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Experienced white girl for general housework; must be good cook; no washing; good wages; reference required. Apply 515 Grant avenue. 2 15 3

WANTED—Boy; reliable; good opportunity. Mathushek & Son Piano Co., 310 West Front St. 2 15 tf

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. Call 112 West Front street. 2 14 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call mornings, 506 Grant avenue. 2 12 6

WANTED — Waitress - chambermaid (white); personal reference required. Apply 313 Franklin place. 2 14 6

GIRL wanted to wait on elderly lady. 515 Park Ave. 2 14 3

GOOD housekeeper wanted, with references. Apply 160 North avenue, Dunellen. 2 15 3

WANTED—A plain cook. Apply 508 Central avenue. 2 16 6

WANTED—First-class lathe and vise men for small steel work. Spicer Universal Joint Manfacturing Co., Madison avenue, between Third and Fourth streets. 2 15 tf

WANTED—Competent colored woman for general housework; must be good cook and laundress. 414 West Eighth street. 2 13 tf

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—A good laundress for Monday or Tuesday. 514 Central avenue. 2 16 3

ERRAND boy wanted. 144 North avenue. 2 16 2

WANTED—Young man on a farm; of clean habits and a good milker. Address R. H. Krog, Terrill road. 2 15 3

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework; small family. 134 East Ninth St. 2 16 5

MACHINISTS — First-class lathe, monitor, drill press, vise, shaper and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 16 2

Help Wanted.

BOY WANTED. Union News Co. 2 15 2

WANTED—Laundress for family washing at the residence or at home. Mrs. Jewett, 1000 Central Ave. 16 3

COMPETENT girl wanted for general housework. Call 34 Washington avenue. 2 14 3

For Rent.

TO LET.

HOUSE, seven rooms, no improvements, five minutes' walk from depot, $12.

HOUSE, six rooms and alcove, city water. Near Safe Works. $14.

FLAT, five rooms, all improvements, near Grant Avenue station, $15.

HOUSE, nine rooms, all improvements. Large lot. Dunellen. $25.

HOUSE, West Sixth street, near Grant avenue, six rooms and bath, $25.

HOUSE, East Sixth street, seven rooms. Large lot. $25.

STORE near this office, $30.

FINE house, nine rooms, all improvements. Five minutes' walk from station. $30.

HOUSE, nine rooms and bath, five minutes' walk from station. $35. Another one, same figure, same distance, same size.

HOUSE on Netherwood avenue, eight rooms, all improvements; hard wood floors, $35.

SEVERAL residences on the outskirts, $30-$35.

ANOTHER new house, near Grant avenue, having ten rooms, $35.

SEVERAL houses on West Front street, $35. Nine rooms and bath.

SEVERAL at $45 and $50. Furnished and unfurnished.

HOUSE, 10 rooms, all improvements except bath, $22.

WILLIAM JEFFERY,
136 Park Ave. 'Phone 44.
2 15 tf

FOR RENT—Ten-room house; all improvements. Three minutes to North avenue depot; $30.

FIVE-ROOM FLAT, brand new, FIRST FLOOR. All improvements. Four minutes to North Avenue depot; $25.

DOANE & DOANE,
221 Park Avenue.
TELEPHONE 49. 2 14 5

TO LET—Four rooms and bath. Enquire 148 East Fifth St. 2 14 6

FIRST FLOOR flat to rent; five rooms. Apply 18 Craig place. 2 16 3

HOUSE, Ann street and Rock avenue, reasonable; also plot of land adjoining if desired. Apply William Burke, next door. 2 13 5

STORE for rent; all improvements. 109 Somerset street. 2 14 4

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

TO LET—Half double house; improvements; centrally located; small family only. Neuman Bros. 2 16 6

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

Miscellaneous.

YOU have room in that bin for some of Nash's coal. 2 15 10

P. H. LATOURETTE, autioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

MASSAGE, general and facial, scalp treatment a specialty; manicuring. 1121 Putnam Ave. 1 22 1mo

IT IS clean, it is good, but it has one bad fault—it will burn up. Nash's $5.75 coal. 2 15 10

FOR FLORIDA and the South, the Clyde Line is direct and offers superior service and accommodations. Tickets and full information at office, No. 197 North Avenue, William D. Thickstun, agent. 1 19 1mo

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE best pea coal can be had from Nash at $5.00 a ton.. 2 15 10

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. tf

Situations Wanted.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper, by reliable woman; references. Address A. B., care Daily Press. 15 3

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—House with 8 to 12 rooms; centrally located; one with barn preferred. Address W. F. S., care Press. 2 15 2

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

For Sale.

EGGS. SETTINGS OF 13.
Buff Orpington, prize birds, $5.00.
Buff Orpington, selected, $3.00.
Black Minorca, prize winners, $1.50.
Buff Plymouth Rocks, pure, $1.50.
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2 7 tf 622 East Seventh St.

IF YOU CONTEMPLATE BUILDING a home for yourself, would like you to look at some building sites on Myrtle avenue. Without exception it is the finest piece of property in all Plainfield; high ground, sandy soil, well drained, fine residential and restricted neighborhood, convenient to station and trolley. Have several up-to-date dwellings for sale. Inquire of your real estate agent, or address George F. White, P. O. box 723, Plainfield, N. J. 2 2 1mo

FOR SALE—Valuable farm in Washington Valley. Apply to the owner, Fred Kirch, near Warrenville. 2 13 13

FOR SALE—Beautiful tract of five acres, on Woodland avenue, between the properties of Messrs. Arens and Duflon. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. tf

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Trenton, Feb. 16.—Senator Minturn gave out yesterday some of the details of his plan to smash the Standard Oil Company. He has invited Thomas W. Lawson, Ida Tarbell and Attorney General Hadley, of Missouri, to attend a public hearing on his resolution introduced in the Senate, calling upon the Attorney General to begin an action in the courts with a view to annulling the charter of the Standard Oil Company, which was incorporated under the laws of New Jersey.

"I have written to Thomas Lawson and expect an answer from him in a day or two," said Senator Minturn. "I think he will be present at the hearing and will speak. Lawson undoubtedly knows a great deal about the inner working of the Standard Oil Company and about such men as John D. Rockefeller and H. H. Rogers. I have asked him to come and inform the New Jersey Legislature of what he knows. It will, no doubt, be interesting and valuable to those charged with the responsibility of passing laws.

"I have also written to Mr. McClure, requesting Miss Ida Tarbell, who wrote so wonderfully about the Standard Oil crowd in McClure's Magazine, to attend the hearing. Miss Tarbell will, of course, be invited to speak, if she cares to address the committee, but I presume that she may be represented by counsel, who will set forth some of the facts that Miss Tarbell has dug up in regard to the Standard Oil monopoly.

"I expect to have Attorney General Hadley, of Missouri, present at the hearing, and that he will make an illuminating address. He knows many things about the Rockefeller concern that the Senate Judiciary Committee want to know.

"A date has not yet been fixed for the hearing. The time will be suited to the convenience of those speakers that I have invited. As soon as I hear from them I will have a date set. I have no doubt that the hearing will attract wide attention as it should. If we can kill a law-breaking and law-defying trust by annulling its charter, the problem of regulating those oppressive monopolies will be greatly simplified."

If Senator Minturn succeeds in getting Tom Lawson, Ida Tarbell and Attorney General Hadley at the hearing the State House won't be large enough, it is figured out, to hold the crowd. An open air meeting in a ten-acre lot, some think, would be the practical solution of the difficulty.

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A report was circulated yesterday to the effect that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has decided not to erect the proposed new station in Elizabeth at the intersection of East Broad and Broad streets. It was stated that owing to a reconsideration of the plans for rapid transit between Elizabeth and New York it has been decided to locate the new station at North Elizabeth, where the company will have more room and will be able to land passengers on the street level. The rumor could not be verified. It came from Philadelphia through a man said to be close to some of the Pennsy officials.

The company now has all the iron-work necessary for the new station building in New York completed and stored at Waverly, Jersey City and one or two other points along the line of the New York division. It was expected that the New York station would not be completed until about the time the Hudson River tunnels were ready to be thrown open to the public, but officials of the company said yesterday that the contractors who were putting up the new station are away ahead of their contract time and the boring of the tunnels will have to be hurried considerably if they are to be completed in time to throw the whole rapid transit scheme into operation at the same time.

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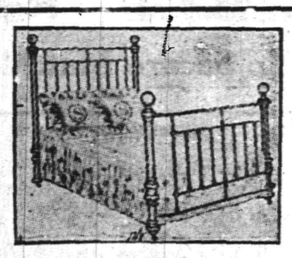

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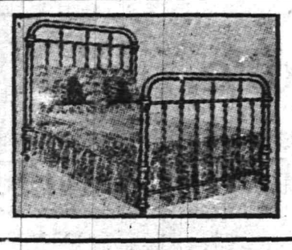

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to authorize improvement of Streets and Highways in Cities of this State and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same," approved June 12th, 1898, and amendments and supplements thereto, that application will be made by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union, at the Court House, in the City of Elizabeth, on the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the said court can hear the said application, for the appointment of three commissioners, who shall be freeholders and residents of the City of Plainfield, as commissioners to estimate and assess benefits respectively conferred by the permanent improvement of streets under the ordinance of said city whose title is hereinafter specified, and to perform the duties and execute the powers conferred by said Acts of the Legislature. The title of the ordinance above referred to is as follows: "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield, with permanent and durable macadam pavement, and to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collection of assessments for benefits," approved September 6, 1904, and the streets and parts of streets macadamized under said ordinance are as follows:

Monroe Avenue, from the southeasterly curb line of South Second Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Spooner Avenue, from the southeasterly curb line of West Third Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Eighth Street;

Lee Place, from the southeasterly curb line of South Second Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Carlton Avenue, from the northerly curb line of Putnam Avenue to the southeasterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Kensington Avenue, from the northerly curb line of Watchung Avenue to the southeasterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Randolph Road, from the easterly curb line of Plainfield Avenue to Cedar Brook;

Norwood Avenue;

New Street, from the southeasterly curb line of West Front Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Berkeley Avenue, from the easterly curb line of Ravine Road to the southerly curb line of Park Terrace;

Denmark Road, from the easterly curb line of Belvidere Avenue to the proposed macadamizing on Berkeley Avenue.

By order of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

Dated, February 6, 1906.

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City Clerk of the City of Plainfield.
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1 Parlor Suit, 2 pair Lace Curtains, 2 Poles and Fixtures, 1 Parlor Table, 1 Clock, 1 Rug, 2 Pictures - - - - - - **$42**

For the Dining-room

1 Extension Table, 6 Cane Seat Chairs, 15 yards Carpet, 1 Oak Sideboard, 1 Couch - - - - - **$24.00**

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5-piece Silk Damask Parlor Suites, reg. price 60.00 sale price - - - **$30.00**

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5-piece Silk Damask Parlor Suites, reg. price 75.00, sale price - - - **$38.50**

5-piece Silk Damask Parlor Suites, reg. price 100.00, sale price - - - **$50.00**

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A 20 per cent Discount on all Ice Skates in stock.

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A 10 per cent. reduction on Heating Stoves to close out season's supply.

We pride ourselves on having the best line of Stoves and Ranges obtainable.

We carry repairs in stock for all makes sold by us.

Repairs furnished for all stoves and ranges in a reasonable short time.

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We are offering a special lot of Muslin Underwear at almost half price. These goods were purchased of a manufacturer at almost half their value and our customers receive the benefit of this purchase.

39c—Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers, made of good quality muslin and nicely trimmed with lace and insertion; reg. value 75c each.

39c—Ladies' Muslin Drawers, extra well made from a good quality of muslin, nicely trimmed and usually sold for 75c.

39c—Ladies' Muslin Night Robes, the best value ever offered for the money; nicely made, cut extra full and trimmed with insertion and tucks; regular value 75c each.

39c—Ladies' Muslin Skirts, made extra full from nice quality of muslin and trimmed with cluster of three tucks; reg. val. 75c each.

If Your Teeth need attention, don't delay until suffering compels you to visit your dentist. Consultation free. No charge for extraction when plates are ordered. All work guaranteed as represented, and satisfaction assured.

Gold Crowns, - $5.00
Gold Fillings, $1.00 up
Silver Fillings, 50c up
Artificial Teeth, $5 up

D. G. Atwood
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308 West Front St.
Telephone 448-R

VICE CHANCELLOR RAPS AT UNIONS.

He Says the Court is Not Responsible for Their Tyranny and Folly.

Vice Chancellor Pitney expressed himself in a caustic manner yesterday concerning labor organizations, the restrictions of one of such organizations figuring in a suit for divorce which he was hearing.

"This court is not responsible for the tyranny and folly of trades unions," declared the Vice Chancellor, when the petitioner, Paul Vollmer, a former Orange man, now of Danbury, Conn., explained how it was that he had been unable to earn wages enough as a hatter to satisfy his wife's demands.

Vollmer charged his wife Annie with desertion. He said that after their marriage in 1899, in Orange, he gave all his earnings to his wife. These earnings, he admitted, were not large, and he ascribed that fact to a trade union rule that prevented, he said, any man in a factory from making more than $3 a week in excess of the lowest man in the shop. This rule, he claimed, applied to hat finishers.

Vollmer testified that he came home from the shop one noontime just as his wife and her two brothers were carrying away the last of the portable furniture of his home. His wife, he said, returned to the home of her father, who, according to Vollmer, told him that she would remain where she was for four months, and if he paid her board during that time he could have back his wife.

"I paid her board as agreed," testified Vollmer, "but when I asked her to return to me she said she was content to remain where she was."

The Vice Chancellor recommended a decree.

Rev. Dr. J. P. Taylor, of Park avenue, has about recovered from a recent illness.

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Unprecedented reductions in Men's and Boys' Winter Suits and Overcoats. Absolutely the biggest bargains ever offered. Don't miss this grand opportunity to save money. Prices hitherto unheard of.

MEN'S SUITS.

Business Suits, single or double breasted style, in Cheviots, Cassimeres and Worsteds. Worth $8.50. Special at **$4.90**

Dress Suits in all the very latest styles in Worsteds, Cassimeres and Tweeds, cut and made in the very latest style. Worth $10.00. Special at **$6.90**

Fine Dress Suits, mixed effects, in Worsteds and Cassimeres, with broad, concave shoulders, finely tailored and finished, cut good lengths, vents in back. Worth $16.00. Special at **$9.90**

MEN'S OVERCOATS.

Dress Overcoats in black and fancy mixtures, some tourist style, with belted back. Worth $12.00. Special at **$5.90**

Long Black or Oxford Overcoats, all wool and made in the latest style. Worth $15. Special at **$7.90**

Extra Fine Long Dress Overcoats, in black or gray, imported Kerseys, made and lined equal to the finest custom made garments, cut in the very latest styles. Worth $18.00. Special at **$9.90**

GREAT VALUES FOR SMALL PRICE IN BOYS' SUITS.

Young Men's Suits, single and double breasted style, made from pure all wool Cheviots in all the newest shades. Worth $10.00. Special at **$5.50**

Boys' $2.50 and $3.00 Suits, double breasted and Norfolk style. Special at **$1.95**

Young Men's Overcoats, all the very latest styles in long tourist coats with belted back, plain and fancy mixtures. Worth $10.00. Special at **$5.50**

Boys' $3.50 and $4.00 Suits, Norfolk and double breasted styles, in all the newest shades. Special at **$2.50**

GREAT SALE OF SHOES AT SACRIFICE PRICES.

The Celebrated Monarch Pats and Lucky Seven Patent Leather Shoes reduced to less than cost to make quick selling. Every pair must go. Special tomorrow.

Monarch Pats, regular price $3.50, sale price $2.50 | Lucky Seven Pats, reg. price $2.25, sale price $2.00

50c Fleece Underwear ..... Special at **31c**

Princely Dress Shirts, 75c quality..... Special at **39c**

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We are Headquarters for Corsets.

Nemo Incurve Waist Corset, with the new military belt attachment, gives perfect support 3.00

75c SUITINGS FOR 49c.

CURTAINS—Ruffled Swiss Curtains, two and a half yards long, 4-inch ruffle and cluster of four tucks, at the extraordinary price. A pair....49c

Fine Bobinet Curtains with Renaissance inserting and ruffle edged with Renaissance braid. Good value at 1.98. A pair 1.25

HOSIERY SPECIALS.

Children's double knee School Stockings, fine ribbed, guaranteed fast black. 2 pair for..25c

Ladies' black heavy fleeced lined Hose. Regular 15c grade, pair, at 9c

Ladies' long Mousquetaire Gloves, in silk or kid, at most popular prices.

75c SUITING FOR 49c—52-inch all wool gray and oxford Suiting, regular 75 grade, Saturday, per yard 49c

SPECIAL SKIRT VALUES.

Ladies' all wool Broadcloth Skirts (spring weight), either circular style, with trimming of same materials, or the new foot pleating effects. Also, elegant all wool Cheviot Skirts in neat black and white mixed effects, double foot pleatings, finished at the top with straps of the same material and buttons. Value 5.00. Your choice of this lot at 3.48

Found Box of Money.

Anglesea, Feb. 16.—George Crowley, a laborer residing at the resort, while engaged in digging away a sand hill on New York avenue, near the beach, unearthed a tin baking powder box, covered with rust. When he pried the lid loose, Crowley was surprised to find a quantity of silver and copper coins and two ten dollar bills, so old that they were almost falling to pieces from decay. The contents of the box amounted to over $24. It is believed the box was washed ashore years ago from some shipwrecked vessel.

—Providing the weather is favorable the Watchung Hunt Club will participate in its weekly chase on Saturday.

ORDERED TO PAY ALIMONY.

Husband Declared He Was Earning Only $6 a Week.

Vice Chancellor Stevens, in Newark yesterday, gave Solomon Weisstein one week in which to pay his wife back alimony or be adjudged in contempt of court.

Weisstein was ordered to pay his wife $6 a week in August, pending the termination of her suit for divorce. It is charged that since the order he has paid only $10.50.

He declared that he had been in poor health and earned only about an average of $6 a week. It was brought out that his wages ran from $12 to $20, and that he had $250 from the sale of a saloon.

Spanish War Pay.

Veterans of the Spanish-American War in this city are interested with the ex-volunteers all over New Jersey over the announcement that the State is ready to pay money still due them for service during their term of enlistment. There are about twenty Plainfield volunteers. The sum coming to each one is not large, and they will await definite information from Trenton before sending in their discharge papers.

John Morton, of West Front street, who has been spending some time at his old home in Scotland, will sail for home on the Steamer Carmania, from Liverpool, on Saturday, February 24.

NEW YORK HERALD, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1905.

An Object Lesson.

Acetylene is a pipe delivered "honest" gas, as cheap as kerosene oil---easily handled, and with perfect safety you can be your own gas man and save the trouble and annoyance of poor gas at high prices.

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A LITTLE LIGHT COMEDY.

All Gas Loss Is the Consumer's

George Wood, engineer for the Consolidated Gas Company, testified before the State Gas Commission yesterday that only fourteen per cent of the gas it supplies has illuminating qualities and that the remaining eighty-six per cent furnishes the heat and pressure necessary to carry gas through the mains.

Robert A. Carter, secretary of the Consolidated, said that during the ten months ending October 1 last, the Consolidated produced 10,780,254,690 cubic feet of gas, and that when the total manufacture and the total distribution figures do not agree the discrepancy is charged to leakage.

"Then the missing ten millions last year, according to your figures, was the result of leakage?" Senator Page asked.

Mr. Carter had difficulty in explaining the discrepancy.

"These discrepancies shatter my faith in the accuracy of these figures," said Senator Page.

Officers and employes' salaries and judgments in suits for damages are charged against the production of gas and come out of the pockets of the consumers, Mr. Carter said, and are not charged against the dividend funds.

Gas Company Must Pay Her $500.

It was decided by a jury in the Supreme Court yesterday, before Judge Blanchard, that Mrs. Albyna Green is entitled to $500 damages from the New Amsterdam Gas Company for an attack made upon her by John Rooney, a gas inspector, when she was janitress at No. 284 avenue B, about a year ago. She sued for $20,000.

See Plant Working at 301 Watchung Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Acetylene is all light, no heat, uniform pressure, clear and steady. Our Sunlight "Omega" Generator can be installed in your own cellar and any one can attend to it, as it requires but 15 minutes once a week.

The Sunlight Gas Machine Co.,
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Make your own gas! and have daylight in your house at night as well as day.
SEND FOR ESTIMATE.

LAST DAY
CLEAN-SWEEP SALE

SATURDAY, FEB. 17—Last Day To Secure Matchless Bargains.

MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS.		BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS.		FURNISHINGS.		SHOES and RUBBERS.	
Regular $5.00, at	3.29	Regular $2.00, at	1.29	50c Fleece Underwear	33c	Men's Work Shoes at	1.19
Regular $6.00, at	4.29	Regular $3.00, at	1.69	50c Negligee Shirts	37c	Women's Shoes at	98c
Regular $8.00, at	6.29	Regular $4.00, at	2.29	1.50 Blue Flannel Shirts	89c	Boys' School Shoes at	95c
Regular $12.00, at	8.29	Regular $5.00, at	2.89	25c Neckwear	15c	Girls' School Shoes at	69c
				15c Collars	6c	Rubbers for all at ½ price.	

Plainfield Surprise Store,

324 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

SPORTS HERE AND THERE

BOWLING.

The Park Club bowling team will roll its last series of games in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament on Tuesday night.

They Cut Ice.

Ice cutting was resumed at Watchung at 2 o'clock this morning, and on Tier's pond at 7 o'clock. At both places large gangs of men are employed harvesting a fine quality of eight inch ice. The work is being rushed with all possible speed in the hope of getting as large a crop as possible before the weather changes again.

Miss L. Walduck, of Truell Inn, goes to Lakewood on Monday and thence to Atlantic City for a few days.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

Bootblack Had "Speakeasy."

Felice Mullica, who has a bootblack stand in Palisade avenue, Jersey City, and has amassed considerable property, was found guilty yesterday in the Second Criminal Court of that city of selling liquor without a license. Captain Harrington learned that Mullica's boot polishing stand was a "speakeasy," and he disguised a policeman in jumper and overalls, who bought half a pint of whiskey for 20 cents. Judge Manning deferred passing sentence until this morning.

Appointed Missionary to Japan.

Professor M. K. W. Heicher, a member of the North Plainfield High School faculty, has been appointed missionary to Japan by the Methodist Board of Missions. He is a member of Grace M. E. church and has been interested in religious work locally.

Mr. and Mrs. William Trembath, of Chatham street, are the parents of a young son who came to their home yesterday.

NEW PLAINFIELD THEATRE

W. J. COUNIHAN, Proprietor and Manager.

TODAY AT 2:15. TONIGHT AT 8:15.
The Great Success
"Under Southern Skies"
Prices—Matinee: 25c, 35c, 50c. Night: 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

Saturday, Matinee and Night—THE CHOIR SINGER.
Prices—Matinee 25c, 35c; Night 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

One Night—February 19.
Channing Pollock's Great Love Play,
The Little Gray Lady.
Prices—$1.50, $1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c.

Tuesday, Feb. 20—May Irwin in
"Mrs. Black Is Back"
Prices 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50.

Wednesday, Feb. 21—"A Daughter of The Revolution."
Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6:53 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:37 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:37 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER
Fair, warmer Tonight and Sunday.
Maximum, 37; minimum, 12; 15 hours ending at noon today. Ther. at noon, 37.

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BERGEN DEFENDS TRUSTS

Union County Lawyer Says Big Corporations are Result of Commercial Conditions.

NOT ALL MONOPOLIES

Much Easier to Denounce Than to Discriminate, Says Chief Counsel for the Public Service Corporation.

Frank Bergen, who is general counsel for the Public Service Corporation, talked about "trusts" in Trinity church parish house, Elizabeth, Thursday night. His subject was "A Good Word for the Trusts."

During the course of his remarks Mr. Bergen said:

"The trusts grew naturally out of conditions that had been coming into existence slowly for more than a century in the commercial countries of the world. Exploration and settlement of new territory, inventions that wonderfully facilitated manufacture, provided for the cheap and rapid transportation of passengers and merchandise, and the transmission of intelligence rendered the ancient methods of business altogether inadequate. Between the years 1760 and 1820 Watt improved the steam engine so that it became a most useful and powerful laborer, Hargreaves and Arkwright invented the spinning jenny, Whitney the cotton gin, Fulton built a boat that navigated the Hudson without rails, and Stephenson invented the railroad. Other inventions similar, but of minor importance, were made during the same ments were devised and improved so that it became possible to cultivate period, and later agricultural implelarge tracts of fertile land more successfully than in former years. These inventions have often been called labor saving machines, but they were more than that. They were devices by which it became possible for the first time to obtain raw material in large quantities; to transform it into useful and comfortable things and distribute them among the people over a wide extent of territory. The day of small things in business was drawing to a close.

"It was difficult for the courts to distinguish between a full grown trust and a real monopoly, and the hereditary odium of the term 'monopoly' made it easy to find reasons for holding the trusts to be inimical to the public, and ,therefore, unlawful. The trusts consequently were dissolved and it was supposed that the forces of competition were again set free to work for the public. But the so-called laws of trade proved to be stronger, if not wiser, than the dista of judges, and so in many, if not in all, cases the separated corporations either merged or consolidated their property and franchises and goodwill, thereby forming a new and larger corporation and dissolving the old ones, or they sold their property to one of their number or to a new corporation formed for the purpose of purchasing. In a word, the corporations that had formerly been parties to the trust agreement disappeared and a new and much larger corporation appeared in their place which inherited the property and the unpopularity of its predecessors. These large corporations we also call truts.

"A great deal has been said and written hastily about the trusts, and not always in good humor. It is much easier to denounce than to discriminate. When it is feared that anything may touch or threaten the pocket nerve we are apt to burst out suddenly in speech, and often the necessity or disposition to draw conclusions hastily from an incomplete collection of facts or from undigested information tends to pervert the judgment of us all; and the jewel of consistency sometimes perpetuates the error. Another thing that makes it difficult now and then to ascertain whether a new view is a true view or not is the necessity resting on those whom we appoint or permit to finesse our politics, to take new positions hastily and fortify them with a profusion of verbiage in order to exclude their adversaries, and here again consistency makes it painful to retreat. One of the elements of Lincoln's great strength was his freedom from pride of opinion and willingness to change his mind.

"There are too many factors in this trust problem, too much good to the greatest number to be expected, and too little harm to be feared from the trusts to make it safe to treat their infirmities with rashness. Dr. Lyman Abbott—a Yankee with a Greek intellect—gave wise counsel when he said, speaking of the trusts, 'Let there be light, not heat.' If the large corporations in their short career have done more good than harm, it is quite likely that under rational treatment, the good they can do will increase and the harm they may do will diminish."

Charles Wenzel, of the West End, has recovered from a recent severe illness.

FINISHING HIGH SCHOOL

Work Being Rushed on New Structure to Have It Ready For Dedication Exercises.

BUILDING DESCRIBED

Every Modern Improvement Installed—Auditorium to Seat 700—Offices on First Floor.

That the alumni of the High School may hold their reception on Washington's birthday, and that the regular school work may begin the following Monday, contractors are pushing the work on the new High School building as rapidly as possible.

The building is a three-story brick structure, having three entrances; the main one being on Ninth street, which is for the use of the trustees, faculty and visitors. The other two are for the students. The girls' entrance is approached from Arlington avenue, and has an arched carriage way. On the opposite side of the building is the boys' entrance, which leads from Ninth street. There are two stairways, access to which may be closed on any floor, in case of fire, by fireproof doors. Fire alarms are placed at regular intervals throughout the hallways on every floor.

The building is heated with a combination of steam and hot air; the object of this is to procure perfect ventilation. A huge fan in connection with the furnace forces heated air throughout the building in cold weather, and cold air in warm weather. The lighting apparatus, which consists both of electricity and gas, is practically completed.

Part of the first floor will be occupied by offices of the superintendent, principal, board of directors and clerk. On this floor there is a reception room; also a small consulting room, which is sound proof.

Lavatories are situated on the first two floors and in the basement. In the basement there are shower baths in connection with the gymnasium. The latter will be fitted out with all the modern apparatus for physical development. A lunch counter in the basement makes it possible for those who cannot go home for lunch during the intermission to get it there. Recreation rooms are also located in the basment. One room is set apart for the safe vault.

The auditorium, library, lecture room, class rooms, cloak rooms and store rooms compose the remainder of the building.

The auditorium is on the first floor, having a gallery, with the entrances on the second floor. It is finished in an artistic manner in green and white, with scroll work about the stage and balcony. It has a seating capacity of 700.

The class rooms are furnished with first class furniture and slate blackboards. There are two laboratories, one for physics, the other chemistry. A well equipped drawing room, with an abundance of light, is situated on the top floor and has a model room adjoining.

In each room is an electric clock, which is regulated by the main one in the principal's office. There is also a telephone in each class room, communicating with the principal's office. Each room is furnished with a thermastadt which registers the temperature at which it is adjusted, working automatically.

Patent drinking fountains are placed in the hallways throughout the building.

WATSON BEGINS TO SERVE A LONG TERM

TAKEN TO TRENTON TO UNDERGO TWENTY YEARS IMPRISONMENT.

Rev. James A. Watson, of North Plainfield, the negro minister who is to spend twenty years in State Prison for killing James Christopher in North Plainfield last October, is now safely confined for his long term. He was taken to Trenton yesterday by Sheriff Cooper and, if he behaves himself there, will probably be free again in about seventeen years.

Watson had very little to say on his way to the Capitol City. He still declares, however, that he slashed James Christopher to save his own life, but he is willing to serve the time, because his friends wished him to take the course he did and therefore avoid the excitement of a long trial and the possibility of a jury deciding against him.

The result of the case has caused general satisfaction at Somerville. It not only saved the expense of a trial, but gave Watson, the general belief is, all that was coming to him.

The fatal affray took place in North Plainfield.

REV. DR. BRYAN BURIED

Newark Conference's Ministers Pay Tribute of Respect to Fellow Worker.

A BISHOP'S EULOGY

Rev. Dr. Whitney, Rev. Dr. Butz and Others Tell of Real Worth of Departed Preacher—Services at First M. E.

Relatives, friends and a large representation of ministers from all parts of New Jersey, especially the Newark Conference, attended the obsequies of the Rev. Dr. James R. Bryan at the First M. E. church yesterday afternoon. The departed minister the eldest member of the Newark Conference, having been in the active ministry from 1848 to 1902, and his fellow ministers gave touching tribute to his real worth as a pastor and preacher.

Bishop E. G. Andrews, New York; Rev. Dr. Daniel Halloran, presiding elder of the Elizabeth district; Rev. A. C. McCrea, Rev. Dr. H. A. Butz, president of Drew Semimary, and Rev. Dr. G. H. Whitney, president emeritus of Centenary Institute, Hackettstown, preceded the funeral cortege as it entered the church. Then these mourners followed and occupied seats reserved for them in

—Courtesy Somerville Messenger.

Rev. Dr. James R. Bryan.

the front of the church; Rev. Dr. W. L. Hoagland, presiding elder, Newark district; Rev. Dr. J. A. Gutteridge, Rev. J. A. Cole, Rev. C. L. Mead, Rev. W. S. Robinson, Rev. Warren Neff, of Newark; Rev. C. S. Ryman, of Paterson; Rev. Dr. W. S. McCowan, of Woodbridge; Rev. J. M. Meeker, of East Orange; Rev. Dr. W. C. Nelson, of Nutley; Rev. J. R. Wright, of Westfield; Rev. E. E. Robeson, of Bound Brook; Rev. S. K. Doolittle, of Dunellen; Rev. Ralph Urmy, of Morristown; Rev. W. W. Walker, of Caldwell; Rev. T. H. Landon, of Bordentown; Rev. T. C. Mayham, of Rahway; Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, of Perth Amboy; Rev. W. H. Trumbower, of Bergen Point; Henry Chamberlin, of Jersey City; Charles Warren, of New York; Rev. Perry Bascom, of Flemington; Rev. R. T. Boyd, Rev. Fred Bloom, Rev. John MacMurray, of Jersey City; Rev. Henry Little, of Hackensack; Rev. J. B. Rhodes, of Cranford; Rev. S. D. Decker, of Whitehouse; Rev. W. B. Fleming, of Maplewood; Rev. W. B. Richardson, of Dover; Rev. William Stout, of Mt. Horeb; Rev. Isaac Thomas, of Woodrow; Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons and Rev. George Mooney, of Plainfield. These ministers represented the Plainfield Ministers' Association: Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, First Baptist church; Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, Trinity Reformed church; Rev. A. E. Finn, Park Avenue Baptist church, and Rev. George B. Shaw, Seventh-day Baptist church.

A quartette, comprising Miss Bertha van Nuis Willis, soprano; Mrs. Stephen H. Tugwell, contralto; J. Edmund Skiff, tenor, and Carlos C. Gallup, bass, sang "Jesus Lover of My Soul." Miss Jessie Utter was the organist. Rev. A. C. McCrea read appropriate selections from the Scriptures, which was followed with a prayer by Rev. Dr. Halleron. Another selection by the quartette, "Servant of God, Well Done," preceded remarks by Rev. Dr. Butz, who referred to Dr. Bryan as "one of the leaders in Zion." He said that he first met Dr. Bryan when he entered the Newark Conference and the last meeting was a few weeks ago at a reunion of the members of his old church on Staten Island.

Continuing, Mr. Butz said: "He was the dearest friend and possessed the noblest character. He was my ideal of the minister of the Lord Jesus Christ. For fifty years he stood on the walls of Zion proclaiming the Gospel and went up and down the valleys of his native State doing good. In the first place, he was a well rounded man, gentle, yet firm as a rock. He was a most faithful and earnest member of the Newark Conference. Secondly, he was a preacher and a pastor. He was a master in the pulpit; yet never failed to feed the sheep in his pastoral work. He

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CHURCH LITIGATION IS ENDED AT LAST

LOCAL CONGREGATION OBTAINS A NEW MORTGAGE AND IS OUT OF TROUBLE

Final settlement of the litigation between Mrs. Emma Weigmann, of this city, and the Second National Bank of Somerville, against the First Church of Christ, originating in a suit to foreclose a mortgage, was settled by the interested parties today. The church is now covered by a new bond and mortgage held by the American Christian Missionary Society and arrangements have been made whereby the congregation can pay off its debt in easy annual installments. The members will hold a special thanksgiving service at 7:45 tomorrow night for the purpose of returning thanks to all persons who have contriubted to save the property from mortgage sale. The theme for the evening will be "Gratitude," and everyone will be made welcome.

The suit was originally brought by Mrs. Weigmann and the bank, and was decided in their favor by Vice-Chancellor Bergen, and they were awarded judgment for $3,200. The case was eventually compromised for about $2,000, and it was this amount that was involved in today's agreement. Rev. Phil. A. Parsons, the pastor, has been working without cessation to secure funds for a necessary initial payment and has secured $600 from local people who have become interested in the church's progress.

The congregation has not been lax in its finances, as might be interpreted by the legal difficulty. The trouble dates back to the settling up of the estate of Andrew J. Stewart, who built the church with the understanding that it was to be a gift from him. He died without leaving a will, and the heirs did not recognize his intentions and so placed a mortgage on the building. The settlement satisfies all claims of the estate.

SCRIBNER ESTATE IS FINALLY SETTLED

JOHN K. VAN WINKLE'S ACCOUNT AS EXECUTOR IS PASSED.

In the Somerset County Orphans' Court at Somerville yesterday, before Judge Schenck, the final accounts of John H. Van Winkle, surviving executor of the will of the late Isaac Scribner, of North Plainfield, came up on the exceptions filed by Mrs. Helena Randolph, a daughter of the decedent.

The court held that as to certain disputed items it had no jurisdiction to try and determine the matter, and that the other exceptions should be dismissed.

The real estate of the decedent has been sold under partition proceedings in the Court of Chancery, and the proceeds thereof paid into Chancery. The claimants against the estate will now be obliged to petition the Court of Chancery for the payment of the several claims out of the proceeds of said sale.

The final account was passed. An allowance made of $250 to Winfield S. Angleman, counsel for the executor, and an allowance of $50 was made to Clark & Case, representing Sylvester B. Scribner, a son of the decedent.

Missionary Auxiliary Formed.

A Women's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions was formed at the Church of the Holy Cross on Tuesday. About forty women were present. Miss Wile, of Honolulu, gave an interesting account of the work being done under the direction of Bishop Restarick in Hawaii. During the week $111 was sent by the parish of the Church of the Holy Cross to the Board of Missions, as part payment of its missionary apportionment.

Annual Carnival Sitting.

The Gesang and Trun Verein will hold its annual carnival sitting in Saengerbund Hall tomorrow night. The one last year was a decided success and the committee has prepared plans with the expectation of outding it.

Husband Arranges Surprise.

A surprise party arranged by her husband was tendered Mrs. George Scribner, East Sixth street, Wednesday night. About forty guests attended. Cards were the feature of the evening.

Evening Card Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flynn, of Clinton avenue, entertained a number of friends at a card party Thursday night. Clinton Shannon won the prize. Refreshments followed the play.

—Yea! Yea! Don't forget the grand ball of Plainfield Aerie, 866, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Wednesday night at Saengerbund Hall.

IN THE U. S. GOLF ASSN.

Plainfield Country Club Made a Member of National Organization.

EVENTS ARE ARRANGED

Women's Championship to Take Place on Brae Burn Country Club Links.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the United States Golf Association in New York Thursday afternoon the Plainfield Country Club was admitted to the organization. It was decided to award the amateur championship to the Englewood Golf Club July 10-14. The women will play on the links of the Brae Burn Country Club, West Newton, Mass., October 8-13, while the open is slated for the Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill., June 28 and 29.

Golfers are surprised at the selection of Brae Burn for the women, as the Atlantic City Country Club was supposed to be the only applicant. It was stated that Brae Burn asked for the event after the annual meeting. This is only one of many "turndowns" the Atlantic City Club has received from the hands of this all-important executive committee.

The only applicants for the open were the Onwentsia and the Philadelphia Cricket Club, and in selecting the former the committee has made a fairly equal sectional division of the fixtures between New York, Boston and Chicago. The fact that Willie Anderson, the four-times open champion, will have charge of the Onwentsia green this season seems to make his chances of winning again all the brighter.

Five new associate members were elected at Thursday's executive session. They were the Columbia Golf Club, of Washington, D. C.; Midlothian Country Club, Blue Island, Ill.; Wykagyl Country Club, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; Euclid Country Club, Cleveland, O.; Plainfield Country Club, Plainfield, N. J.

The Midlotnian Club was elected to associate membership in 1900, but changed to the allied class in 1903. This sudden influx of associate clubs shows the wisdom of reducing the dues from $100 to $50. Those at the meeting were Ransom H. Thomas, Daniel Chauncey, W. Fellowes Morgan and Heyward G. Leavitt. They held the proxies of the absentees.

The Runaway Brook Golf Club, Clinton, Mass., was elected to allied membership, and the resignation of the Wyantenuck Golf Club accepted.

The East Jersey Golf League will continue during the season of 1906 with five clubs. At a meeting of the organization in New York yesterday afternoon the resignation of the Cranford Golf Club was accepted. In future teams will consist of five instead of seven men, and the penalty for a default will be one point. Formerly it was three points, and, in the opinion of the delegates, too severe.

The old plan of scoring, a combination of the Nassau and college systems, was also abandoned. In future each individual win will count one point. The proposed medal play innovation for the team championships was voted down, the majority preferring the old way of home-and-home matches.

Failed to Agree in Milk Case.

An interesting milk case was tried before Justice Stephen in the Court House at Somerville yesterday. The trial was between the State Board of Health and John Van Doren, of Neshanic, and the charge was selling adulterated milk. The law requires milk that is sold to contain 12 per cent. of solids and it was alleged that Van Doren's milk did not come up to the standard. The jury, after being out several hours, failed to agree.

To All Owners of Automobiles.

Every automobile owner in Plainfield an vicinity is urged to be present at the hearing of the Frelinghuysen and Jackson bills in Trenton on Tuesday, February 20, before the Senate committee. It will be necessary to take the 8:51 a. m. train from Plainfield in order to arrive in time.

W. H. P. VEYSEY,
Secretary Pro Tem Union County Automobile Association.

He Hired Trip Ticket.

Howard D. Allen has secured a judgment against Ferdinand O. Smith for $340.71 in the Supreme Court. The judgment was entered on a book account, and one of the items is for "railroad trip ticket at eighty cents a trip." Codington & Swackhamer are the plaintiff's lawyers.

Annual Meeting Baseball Association.

The annual meeting of the Westfield Baseball Association will be held Washington's Birthday morning, when, according to rumors, there will be some surprises in the way of announcements about the coming season.

TUBERCULOSIS CRUSADE

Plainfielders Chosen Directors in Newly Organized State Association.

TO FIGHT THE DISEASE

Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, Dr. W. H. Murray and Hugh F. Fox to Be Active in the Association.

The formal organization of the New Jersey Association for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis has been effected as a result of the State Conference of Charities and Correction being held in Newark. Dr. David Magie, of Princeton, has been elected president, and among the directors chosen are Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, Dr. William H. Murray and Hugh F. Fox, of this city.

The object of the association is to organize the fight against tuberculosis throughout the entire State, to agitate for better methods for the prevention of the spread of the disease and to educate the general public in the knowledge of the treatment of the disease and means for its prevention. It also provides for the "encouragement of adequate provision for consumptives by the establishment of sanitariums, hospitals, dispensaries and otherwise."

Rev. James I. Vance, of Newark, presided at last night's session, the matter under consideration being "The Organization of Charitable Administration." Among the many addresses on this subject was one by Dr. W. H. Murray on "Civic Sanitation and Hygiene as Affecting the Welfare of the Poor."

Dr. and Mrs. Maximilian P. E. Groszmann, of "Watchung Crest," are among those who attended the conference. They were guests while in Newark of Dr. William Hayes Ward and his sisters, the Misses Ward, of Arlington avenue.

CANADIAN CLERGYMAN TO CONDUCT SERVICES

CHURCH OF ENGLAND RECTOR TO BE AT GRACE CHURCH.

Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace church, has arranged for a series of special religious services to be held at the church from March 4 to 9, to be conducted by the Rev. Dr. Herbert Symonds, of Christ church cathedral, Montreal, Canada.

The services will begin Sunday morning, March 4, the subject being "Principles of Christian Unity." In the afternoon of the same day there will be the first of a series of daily addresses on "Religion." On Monday, March 5, and following days in the morning, there will be Bible readings, "The Bible in the Light of Modern Thought," and in the afternoon the addresses will be continued on "Religion."

Dr. Symonds will also deliver a lecture on "The Influence of the Poetry of Tennyson and Browning on Religion," the date to be announced later.

CUP BEARERS' CIRCLE PLANS COLONIAL FETE.

Will Be Given at the Casino Washington's Birthday Afternoon and Evening.

Under the auspices of the Cup Bearers' Circle, King's Daughters, a "colonial fete" will be held at the Casino on Washington's Birthday, afternoon and evening. A feature of the affair will be the presentation, both afternoon and evening, of an original play, entitled "The Grim Truth," from the pen of Miss Louise Saunders. The author, together with Miss Josephine LaTourette, Miss Marion Hall and Miss Helen Stevens, will comprise the cast.

Besides the play there will be a vaudeville sketch and vocal selections by Mrs. William L. Saunders and violin selections by Miss Tiny Hyatt. Mrs. Frederick W. Butler, acting for the president of the circle, and Mrs. Harry L. Hall have charge of the arrangements for the event and it promises to be very successful. There will also be a sale of fancy articles and candy. The circle numbers twenty-three young women, also a number of honorary members and all will assist in making the fete an enjoyable one.

Died This Morning.

Sarah Vanderveer died at her home, 218 Plainfield avenue, this morning. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Elsie Stewart, of this city, to Dr. Charles B. Cortright, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is announced.

DEDICATION PROGRAMME

Complete Order of Exercises at the New High School Building.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

A. L. Blair to Make Address—Presentation of Flag—Invocation by Dr. Lewis.

Superintendent Henry M. Maxson, of the city schools, today announced the programme for the dedication of the new Plainfield High School, which is now completed and ready for the acceptance of pupils. The exercises will be held next Thursday afternoon in charge of the Board of Education, while in the evening an opening reception will be conducted by the Plainfield Alumni Association, the invitations to the latter being limited to graduates of the present High School, present students, former teachers and officials. The afternoon programme is as follows:

Music, high school orchestra, S. B. Howe, Jr., faculty director; invocation, Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D.; music, dedicatory hymn, written by Miss Mary Lock, class of 1900, high school orchestra and glee club; presentation of building, Charles F. Abbott, chairman of building committee; acceptance of building, J. B. Probasco, M. D., president of Board of Education; music, solo for 'cello, Dr. Leonard Waldo; address, Albert Lyndon Blair, A. M., journalist; music, Charles L. Lewis, supervisor of music; presentation of gifts by high school classes; presentation of flag, Junior Order United American Mechanics; acceptance of gifts, Leander N. Lovell, vice president of Board of Education; dedicatory ode, written by Van Wyck Brooks, class of 1904, high school orchestra and glee club; dedicatory prayer and benediction, Rev. A. C. McCrea.

In reference to the selection of Mr. Blair as the principal speaker, Dr. Maxson made the following statement this morning:

"As soon as it was known definitely that the high school could be dedicated on the 22d., the Board of Education set to work to obtain some prominent man as a speaker, and have been at work ever since trying to secure some man who was eminent both for his position and for his ability, to speak. They first went through the prominent alumni but were unsuccessful, each man who was approached having already some engagement for that day. They tried the presidents of several universities with the same success. The difficulty seemed to be that the exercises were to be held on Washington's Birthday, the various men sought having previous engagements to speak in Baltimore, Washington, Chicago and other places. Mr. Blair was known to some of the Board as an excellent speaker, who was formerly engaged in school work, and was found to be available on that day."

MR. AND MRS. DOBBINS FORTY-SEVEN YEARS WED

COUPLE CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY AT THE HOME OF THEIR SON.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Clark Dobbins, of Elmwood place, quietly observed the forty-seventh anniversary of their wedding yesterday, and last evening they were entertained at dinner at the home of their son, Walter Clifford Dobbins, of West End avenue. The affair was an informal one, just the immediate families and a few friends to the number of ten being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Dobbins were married at Caldwell, Essex county, forty-seven years ago yesterday. For a time they lived at Caldwell and in Newark. At the outbreak of the Civil War Mr. Dobbins helped to organize Company D, Twenty-sixth N. J. Vols., and he was elected captain of the company. After the war Mr. Dobbins held the position of internal revenue inspector for the Newark district and later the couple moved to this city, where they have resided for a quarter of a century.

Bound Brook Licenses.

In Somerset courts yesterday James H. Shea, of Bound Brook, had his hotel license transferred to Domenico Wilchinski. Lawrence Wells, of Bround Brook, was granted a wholesale permit.

Local Option After Service.

Following the morning service at Trinity Reformed church, tomorrow, the Men's Association will meet to consider the Local Option bill now before the Legislature.

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35c Rebecca at the Well Tea Pot for	23c	1.50 Nickel Lamp, complete for	1.19
98c Mrs. Potts' Irons, 3 in set for	75c	1.75 Outside Wire Door Mats for	98c
5c Full Size Laundry Soap 6 cakes for	17c	35c Royal Granite Enamel Tea Pot for	25c
15c Fine Whisk Brooms small and medium size	10c	35c and 50c Cups and Saucers and Cream Pitchers, manufacturer's samples	19c

Saturday Specials on Main Floor.

25c and 35c Dolls, about fifty left over from last Christmas, now go at less than half price 13c

50c Men's Japanese Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, Saturday only 25c

50c Men's Fleeced Lined Gray Underwear, Shirts and Drawers, all sizes 39c

$1.25 Ladies' Shirtwaists, all white and colored dots, Saturday only 79c

75c Corset Cover Embroidery, 18 inch, about twenty-five styles 39c

15c Printed Lawn, 40 inches wide, about 1000 yards of seconds, slight imperfections in the print 10c

$1.50 Embroidered Fine White Waist Patterns, just received, one hundred will be sold at 98c

50c Men's White Overalls, all sizes, for Saturday only 35c

15c Boys' and Girls' School Hose, fine and coarse ribbed, all sizes 10c

$1.25 Ladies' Kid Gloves, black, white, gray, mode and tan, for 1.00

15c White Lawn for waists and dresses, 30 inches wide, fine and sheer seconds, slight mill stains, otherwise perfect, 10c

25c Men's Fine Black Socks, Hermsdorf dye, all sizes, Saturday only, 3 pairs for 50c

25c Men's Fancy Socks, all sizes, Saturday only.. 13c

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John A. Koch, the Watchung avenue butcher, always carries the best beef, veal, lamb and pork, and his prices are reasonable.

E. B. Maynard, the North avenue barber, has the reputation for conducting one of the best shops in the State. It is strictly sanitary.

George F. Brown, of Somerset street, always has an attractive list of desirable properties for sale or lease. He also sells insurance.

W. W. Wilson, grocer, West Third street, holds his old customers and draws new ones by virtue of liberal treatment and high class stock.

When you want any sanitary plumbing work done consult A. H. Enander, of Watchung avenue. All work receives prompt attention.

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This is the best time of the year to order shrubs and plants. W. H. Forrestel has a large stock and will make deliveries at any time requested.

Brokaw's creamery on East Front street is the place to secure pure milk and cream and fresh butter and eggs. Only the best dairy products are sold here.

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People who use the coal from Rugg & Cline's yards on West Third street always get the best, well screened and full weight. Order your next coal of this firm.

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Lovers of delicious Jersey sausage are reminded that it can be had at Frank Neidig's market, Somerset and Race streets. Orders may be sent by telephone if not convenient to call.

If that suit purchased at the beginning of the season is looking a little worn, take it to I. Shrager, the Madison avenue tailor. He makes a specialty of cleaning, pressing and repairing.

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—A Rogers-Grilley recital will be the attraction at the Star Course entertainment of the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday evening, Feb. 22. Every season finds these artists with fresh novelties and striking selections added to their extensive repertoire, so they are always able to present an entirely new programme at each reappearance. Probably this has much to do with that notable fact concerning this combination of their continued reappearance on some of the strongest and most conservative courses in the United States, such as Brooklyn, Baltimore, Chicago, Cleveland, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Trenton, Washington, and many others. They have also appeared at scores of colleges, universities, preparatory and normal schools in nearly every state in the Union.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

"Judge Runyon, of Plainfield, is my model," says Recorder Campbell. "He doesn't clap a fine or imprisonment on a prisoner just because he is homeless. That is the sort of thing I believe in. Drop it heavy on the man who deserves it, but don't jump on a helpless chap who is down on his luck." This is cheering intelligence for the peripatetic legion, but the man who thinks the Recorder will overlook anything that really deserves punishment will wake up if he finds himself before him.

The small dog at the Van Middlesworth house which was beaten by the thieves who entered the place Wednesday night, has recovered from the effects of the blows. If borough characters committeed the theft they had better steer clear of the dog. He will probably manifest fear or aversion the first time he meets any of them, and his actions might give a hint leading to exposure.

February 26 has been set as the date of the public meeting at which County Superintendent Willis will explain to the public why the school board must pay the expenses of those pupils over 16, who desire a complete high school course, at the Plainfield school.

The collector's report was published Thursday. Something like 100 delinquents are noted. The Seventh-Day Baptist church Missionary Society and Memorial Fund are among them, for small amounts. Copies of the report have been sent to every taxpayer.

William Sanford is interested in the rumored plan of the P. S. C. to extend the run on this division to Raritan. If the move is made, it will just about kill his loop rest house and lunchroom.

Washington's Birthday exercises will be held by the Presbyterian Sunday-school tomorrow afternoon. An exercise called "The Price of Patriotism" will be a feature.

Communion was celebrated at the Seventh-Day Baptist church this morning. At the prayer and covenant meeting last night the topic was "Faith of Christ."

Mrs. A. A. Lake has been elected president of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church. Mrs. W. N. Campbell is secretary.

H. S. Garretson, who recently purchased the house where he lives, will make a number of improvements about the property.

The Baptist church Y. P. S. C. E. sociable netted over $6. The money went into the general fund.

The Whittier School pupils practiced Washington's Birthday exercises yesterday afternoon.

Harry Lazarus has given up his position as night operator to go on the roundhouse staff.

The furniture factory has been sending out big shipments of couches the past few days.

George Apgar occupied an orchestra seat at the New Plainfield theatre last night.

The women of the Baptist church have decided to hold sociables monthly.

Fred Kirchner has entered the employ of the Craig Manufacturing Co.

Capt. B. A. Cole is in charge of one of the Central tug boats.

Arthur Vail has been ill for several days.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The Public Service Corporation is raising the roadbed of the trolley line six inches between here and Westfield. The bed is being ballasted with crushed stone. The work when finished will be a great improvement as the old roadbed has proven to be too light for the heavy cars and every spring the company has been obliged to do a great deal of repair work to keep it in condition. The new bed, it is claimed, will last for years.

Charles Haberly, who was recently appointed town recorder by the Township Committee, seems to be the right man in the right place. He has only had two cases before him but he knew what to do with both of them. The new recorder will, no doubt, prove a terror to evildoers as did his predecessor, Judge Clark.

The concrete work on the new bridge on Union avenue, over Green brook, will be started as soon as the weather becomes settled. The iron beams have been laid for some time and a footpath opened across the structure, but it will be spring before the work on the structure will be finished.

Mrs. John Flannery and Mrs. Robert Walpole are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Oliver, of Kearney, N. J. Fifty years ago yesterday Mrs. Flannery and Mrs. Walpole landed on America's shores from England. The event was celebrated last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver.

Nine new houses erected during the past year. It begins to look as thought the town was about to enjoy that long looked-for building boom. Several more are promised this spring and summer. Let the good work go on; no better spot for home sites could be selected.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be as usual: Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; morning preaching, 10:45; B. Y. P. U. meeting, 7:15 p. m.; followed by the evening sermon at 8 o'clock.

William T. Sharp, who has occupied the Marsh property on Front street for the past year, has purchased two building lots at Highland Park and will build the coming spring.

The public school closes Wednesday afternoon and will not reopen until Monday morning of the following week.

Work at the crusher has been resumed again after a shut down of several days on account of the weather.

Mrs. W. R. Buckley, of South avenue, was the guest yesterday of her aunt, Miss Susie Parse.

Rev. Mr. Hoffman will lead the weekly prayer meeting at the Methodist church tonight.

Miss Sadie Reger is spending Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Morristown, N. J.

"The Choir Singer" is the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre tonight.

Mrs. George L. Dunn visited friends in Plainfield yesterday.

Robbie Johnston Married.

Word has been received by his friends here that Robert Johnston, a former well known Plainfielder, is a new accession to the ranks of Benedicts. He is living in Jersey City. Johnston is a clever newspaper reporter, and at the present time is doing considerable free-lance work on automobiling. He knows the auto racing game from a to z.

Rev. J. W. Musson, who has returned from a visit in Washington, will occupy his pulpit at Faith chapel tomorrow.

PERSONAL.

One of the most successful productions of the present theatrical season is "The Choir Singer," which is given the sub-title by its author, Carroll Fleming, of "a play with songs," music being a special feature, which, it is said, has been an important factor in establishing the play so firmly in the affections of the crowds which have thronged to see it in all the larger Eastern cities. "The Choir Singer" with its original cast and elaborate scenic equipment is being presented at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and will be put on again tonight.

"The Little Gray Lady," produced in New York at the Garrick theatre several months ago, has proven the big success of the year. Originally "The Little Gray Lady" had but two weeks at the Garrick theatre, but so great was the success that it was arranged to defer future bookings for a short period, and the time of "The Little Gray Lady" was extended as long as possible. At the expiration of its engagement at the Garrick theatre, Channing Pollock's play moved to the Majestic, but even here the engagement must be limited owing to future bookings. "The Little Gray Lady" will be seen in this city at the New Plainfield theatre Monday night.

May Irwin and her splendid New York company of farceurs will appear at the New Plainfield theatre Tuesday night next, presenting the transcontinental comedy success, "Mrs. Black Is Back," by George V. Hobart. Last season the Hobart play was seen in New York for six months and it completed the season in Boston, Washington, Philadelphia and Chicago. A number of new comedy songs—"coon" songs as they are popularly known—will be sung by Miss Irwin incidental to the play. They were written for her by the foremost writers of this style of composition.

Among the other prominent members of the forthcoming production of "A Daughter of the Revolution" is Edward de Corsia. He comes to us well endorsed as a leading man, having been for two years with Minna Gale, three years with Alexander Salvini, four years with Frohman & Sanger's production of "The Sign of the Cross," in which he played Tigelinius, and also with Liebler & Co.'s "The Gentleman from India." He will be seen in the part of Col. Wentworth, and judging from his past good work his friend are confident that he will surpass himself in this. The company will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre for one night on Wednesday, February 21.

Lustily and with might and main do the artists in the "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," which will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre on Washington's birthday afternoon and night, work to entertain their audiences. When the company was engaged for the present edition of this most popular of all farce comedies the management secured the services of the very best talent that could be secured. The matter of salaries was no object, so long as each part in the comedy could be filled by the artist who was the best qualified by personality and attainments to fill it. The result is an aggregation of comedians and singers which is distinctly high class. There is not a mediocre performer in the entire organization and some of the members are stars of the very first class.

PERSONAL.

Charles Guire, of Central avenue, has recovered from an attack of tonsilitis.

Boys' Secretary Robbie, of the Y. M. C. A., spent yesterday in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Mary Firstbrook, of Grant avenue, has recovered from a severe attack of grip.

Mrs. Charles Clawson, of West Sixth street, has returned from a visit to relatives in Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Harden and daughter, Mildred, of the borough, have returned from a visit with relatives at South Branch.

Mrs. William VanDuyne, of the borough, who has been spending the past week with relatives and friends at Somerville, has returned home.

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CARLOS C. GALLUP, Proctor.
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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Kirby, carrying on a wholesale and retail tobacco business at One Hundred and Six (106) Park Avenue, City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate for the equal benefit of his creditors; and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims under oath or affirmation to the subscriber at his office, number One Hundred and Thirteen (113) East Front Street, Plainfield, New Jersey, within three (3) months from the date hereof, or the same will be barred from coming in for a dividend of said estate.
Dated, February 2, 1906.
HARRY C. RUNYON, Assignee.
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ESTATE OF Anna M. Underhill, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the twenty-fourth day of November, 1905, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.
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Effect of Higher Criticism Is Evidenced in Document Recently Issued.

New York, Feb. 17—The hold that higher criticism has on the Protestant Episcopal church in this country is shown by a letter now in circulation which calls upon the clergy and laity alike to unite in an investigation of the so-called traditional details of the Bible. The communication, which is being sent broadcast throughout the country, has the approval of many well known ministers and churchmen. The circular consists chiefly of a letter which is the same, word for word, as that which was disseminated throughout Great Britain a year ago, and obtained the sanction of 1,700 clergymen of the Established church.

"In its main drift, however," runs the commentary, "it is not only applicable to us, as we believe; it is a wise and statesmanlike utterance, and its aim and purpose we endorse."

Between the lines, despite the very cautious wording of this epistle to the Americans, may be read that the signers believe that miracles should not be accepted until they are proved, and that many of the statements in the New Testament are regarded as traditions not to be accepted until they have been tested by some touchstone of research.

Some of the residents of New York who are identified with the movement have been distinguished for their activities in behalf of reform in the realm of politics. They include such men as R. Fulton Cutting, Ernest H. Crosby, John Brooks Leavitt, George Foster Peabody, Edward M. Shepard, Professor Brander Matthews and Seth Low. Gustav H. Schwab, who is one of the signers, said that the paper was not intended to convey the idea that the churchmen were doubters concerning miracles, but rather that they desired to encourage research.

Opposition to this movement has already begun on the part of the High Church element, who practically hold to the Scriptures as they were written. The document is as follows:

"We, the undersigned clergymen of the Church of England, observing (a) on the one hand the present unsettled condition of religious opinion which, while due in the main to the general trend of modern thought, specially connects itself for the clergy with the critical study of the New Testament; and (b) on the other hand, a counter tendency to treat the full discussion of any questions arising from such study as inadmissible for our church and so to commit us as a body to non-critical views of the Old Testament Scriptures, wish to record:

"First—Our sense of the grave and manifold religious issues involved in the present critical discussions, and of the urgent need of English churchmen to combine an earnest faith in the Holy Spirit, which guides into all truth with as earnest an effort to a solution of these problems.

"Second—Our desire that as many of the clergy have already, with advantage to Christian faith and with a general assent on the part of their rulers, welcomed important results of a patient, reverent and progressive criticism of the Old Testament, so the clergy as Christian teachers may now receive authoritative encouragement to face the critical problems of the New Testament with entire candor, reverence for God and His truths, and loyalty to the Church of Christ.

"Third—Our fear lest the door of ordination should be closed to men who patiently and reverently apply historical methods to the Gospel records, and so an increasing number of men, both spiritually and intellectually qualified should be lost to the high office of the ministry.

"Fourth—Our conviction that it is not without grave responsibility and peril that any of us should build the faith of souls primarily upon the details of New Testament narrative—the historical validity of which must ultimately be determined in the court of trained research—although many of us, until such final decision takes shape, may cling devotedly to the traditional details in question.

"Fifth—Our respect and confidence that the faith of the church in the years to come, whatever historical revisions may await us, will stand without risk and without discontinuity upon the spiritual foundations to which Christian experience and the creed of the church bear testimony."

Mrs. George Hoagland, of Frankfort, has been visiting Miss Demarest, of Park avenue.

Mrs. Asa R. Dilts, of Raritan, has been visiting her daughter in this city for several days.

Miss Ethel Chamberlain, of Raritan, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Miss Mary Dunham, of West Front street, who has been visiting relatives at Raritan, has returned home.

James E. Hickey, of West Fourth street, who has been spending a few days with relatives in Raritan, has returned.

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THE FORUM.

P. H. S. DEDICATION SPEAKER.

Editor The Daily Press:

I have been anxiously awaiting the announcement of the speaker for the High School dedication exercises, and have looked forward to an opportunity to hear some distinguished educator address the Plainfield public on that occasion. Naturally it occurred to me that whoever had the matter in charge would select some distinguished man of letters, or, at least, one whose name is known to be connected with educational work in this country. For instance, it seemed that Dr. Maxwell, New York's superintendent of schools, might be selected. Indeed, I even was optimistic enough to believe that one of the past or present heads of our great seats of learning, Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Pennsylvania, Cornell or Columbia, or possibly Governor Stokes, the author of the bill that made education what it is today in New Jersey, might be asked to make the occasion memorable by an address.

Whether any of these men or others of the same rank have been asked to speak I, of course, do not know. I confess to great surprise to learn that one Albert L. Blair, of New York, will be the speaker. The only thing I can learn about Mr. Blair is that he is described as a journalist. Possibly Mr. Blair belongs to the ranks I have indicated, but during many years of newspaper work I never heard of the man being particularly distinguished in that capacity. Possibly that may be my misfortune.

Is it possible that the Board of Education overlooked the fact that the speaker for such an occasion should be a man of the highest rank in the educational or literary world?

F. W. R.

Plainfield, Feb. 17.

G. H. WILLS MARRIED.

The Event Took Place at Cape Colony January 1.

Information has been received here of the marriage of George R. Wills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Wills, of East Seventh street, and Miss Minnie Scott, which took place at Cape Colony, South Africa, on January 1 last. Further details of the affair have not been learned as yet.

Mr. Wills has been at Cape Colony during the past three years. He went there first as a hotel buyer, then engaged in the mining business, and now holds a lucrative position with a railroad company. Mr. Wills is well known here, where he has many friends.

Special Music at Holy Cross.

The vested boy choir of the Church of the Holy Cross to the number of twenty-six boys and ten men will sing a new Te Deum and other music which Mr. Lee, the acting choirmaster and organist, has been rehearsing for several weeks past, at the services tomorrow.

Rev. Mr. Warner Has Recovered.

Rev. George Warner, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, has entirely recovered from an attack of tonsilitis and will have charge of the services tomorrow.

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SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

Baptist.

First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chamblis, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Park Avenue—Rev. A. E. Finn, pastor—10:30, subject, How to Make a Success of the Christian Life;" 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:45, evangelistic service, subject, "The Gospel In a Sentence."

Faith chapel—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—10:45, preaching, baptism after the sermon; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching.

Mt. Olive Baptist—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Calvary Baptist—11 a. m and 8 p. m.; 3:00, Sunday-school.

Ebenezer—11 a. m. and 8 p. m., preaching by Rev. L. W. Wars.

Reformed.

Trinity — Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor—10:30, subject, "Human Limitations of Divine Action;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:15, evening prayer meeting; 7:45, subject, "Man's Chief End."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching by pastor in German; 8:00, preaching by pastor in English.

Marconnier chapel—3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian—Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "The Ideal Aspects of Man's Nature;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, subject, "As For Me."

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—Service 10:30 and 7:45.

Hope Chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—Services 10:30 and 8, evening.

Warren Chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—Service 10:30 and 8.

Bethel Chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 and 8 p. m.

Episcopal.

Grace church—Rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson; rector-emeritus, Rev. E. M. Rodman—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 10:30, morning prayer, litany and sermon, 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, sermon.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Charles H. Doupe, rector—9:45, Sunday-school, 11, morning service.

St. Stephen's—Rev. Arthur S. Peck, rector—Seventh Sunday after Epiphany; 9:45, Sunday-school; 4:00, evensong.

Holy Cross—Rector, Rev. George A. Warner—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., Sunday-school meets in parish house (except first Sunday in the month); 10:00 a. m., rector's Bible class for young men and women in the parish house; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon (except first Sunday in month); 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Rev. E. E. Miller, curate—11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8:00 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Methodist Episcopal.

First—Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor—10:30, subject, "A Glorious Mystery;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:00, Epworth League; 7:45, sermon by the pastor, subject, "The Poverty of Jesus."

Grace M. E.—Rev. Charles Wesley Parsons, D. D., pastor — 10:30, preaching by Rev. Dr. A. B. Leonard, missionary secretary; 2:30, Sunday-school, missionary address; 6:45, Epworth League, Mrs. C. W. Parsons, leader; 7:45, addresses by Professor Heicker, Dr. H. K. Carroll, Dr. A. B. Leonard.

Monroe Avenue—Rev. George Mooney, pastor—11, sermon; 3:00 p. m., Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. H. C. Ashley, pastor—11:00 a. m., preaching; 3 p. m., preaching.

Roman Catholic.

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3; Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 3:30.

Congregational.

Congregational church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Swedish Evangelistic Pilgrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—4:00, Young people's meeting.

Friends.

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street, meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

Unitarian.

All Souls—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching by Rev. O. B. Hawes, of Germantown, Pa.; 11:50, Sunday-school.

Lutheran.

German Lutheran—Swedish service, 8 p. m.

St. Peter's German Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street—9:30, Sunday-school, German and English classes; 10:30 a. m., preaching.

Christian Science.

Services 11 a. m., in room 407, Babcock building.

Not Classified.

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank Place—7:30 p. m.

Disciples of Christ.

Christian church—Rev. Phil A. Parsons, pastor—11:00 a. m., prayer and communion service; 7:45 p. m., subject, "Gratitude."

Grove Street Rescue Mission—Meeting at 4 p. m.

W. C. T. U.—Frances Willard memorial service, Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson will lead.

Y. M. C. A.—4:00 p. m.

Rev. P. T. Morris Accepts.

Rev. P. T. Morris, who has been pastor of the First Baptist church, colored, Belmar, has accepted the call to become pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, this city, and will take charge tomorrow. There will be preaching at 11 o'clock in the morning and 8 o'clock in the evening.

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At 8c per yard—Brown Linen Twilled Crash, suitable for roller towels, etc.

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No. 9 size, reg. price 1.25, sale	99c

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1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

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Large	89c	68c
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Extra Large size	98c	69c

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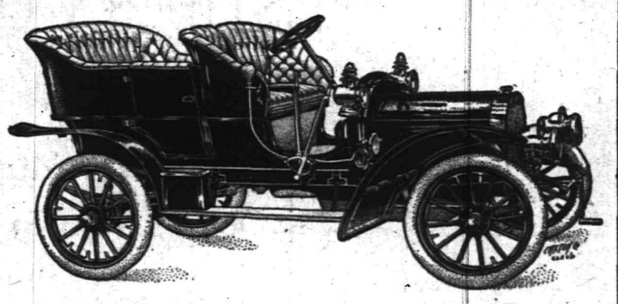

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Men's Rubbers, sizes 8 to 11	55c
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Services at the Baptist church tomorrow at the usual hours. The pastor will speak at the morning service upon "The Christian and His Money." Some lessons from the life of Washington will be the prelude to the evening discourse.

The Christian Endeavor topic for tomorrow at the Baptist church at 7 p. m. will be "Christ's Life; His Life Work and What We May Learn About Our Work." Leader, Miss Matilda Nevius.

Charles Wakefield, proprietor of the grain and milling business here, has been confined at home several weeks with a serious illness, and does not improve as yet.

The Piscataway township financial statement in pamphlet form has been received from the printers and is being distributed.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Winship, of Tompkinsville, Staten Island, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Thorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thorne, of Plainfield, will be entertained tomorrow by Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Thorne.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. B. Cliver, of Crescent avenue, is quite ill at her home.

Mrs. Moran, of Lincoln place, is slightly improved from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Among the guests at a bridge party given Thursday evening by the Misses Taliafero, of Elizabeth, was Mrs. S. B. Jones, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Foster and daughter, of New York, have been visiting at the home of their uncle, D. N. Groendyke, of Mercer avenue.

George G. Davidge, of Rockview terrace, has sold his residence to Frederic Harrington, who now occupies the house corner of Sycamore and Rockview avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. William de la Roche Anderson, whose home is near Washington Rock, are the guests of Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Olyphant, of New York.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

The Elk show brought out many funny little things that only the members know anything about and can appreciate. Just ask any one of them about "Suggestion Sal," and see what happens.

'The Tenderfoot," the big musical play written by Richard Carle, and in which he appeared previous to heading "The Mayor of Tokio" company, will be at the New Plainfield in a short time.

Fanny Beane, a one time popular terpischorean artist, and who is said to have introduced the use of sand in jig dancing, was sent to the workhouse in New York last week. She is now seventy-three years old, but looks at least eighty-three.

Manager Counihan's professional friends have heard of his success as a planner of amateur minstrel shows and have been sending him messages of congratulation. "Bill' modestly declines to accept the credit, but the Elk members know what weight rested on his shoulders.

John Daley, brother of Captain James Daley, of the fire department, was advance man until two weeks ago of "How Baxter Butted In," which comes to the New Plainfield next Saturday. He was transferred by the management to "The Burglar's Daughter," which is owned by the same firm.

May Irwin is different from other actresses in one respect, at least. She knows how to make money and how to keep it after she gets it. She is considered the richest actress in America, and besides owning a lot of valuable real estate in New York holds the title to an entire island in the St. Lawrence River, where she makes her home.

Though Channing Pollock, the author of "The Little Gray Lady," is a newcomer in the dramatic field, the success of this refreshing play has attracted the attention of David Belasco, and next year may see a Pollock-Belasco production. Belasco is credited with never having had a failure, and when he takes hold of a writer it is because he recognizes merit. It was he who produced "The Heart of Maryland," "The Darling of the Gods," "The Music Master," "The Lion and the Mouse," and the present big dramatic sensation, "The Girl of the Golden West."

ENTERTAINMENT BY VETERANS' RELIEF.

Dialogue, Recitations and Illustrated Songs Among the Numbers on Programme.

The monthly sociable of the Women's Veteran Relief Union was held at Pittis Hall, East Front street, last night. There was a large attendance.

General John R. Naylor opened the programme with an address for the veterans, and Mrs. Andrew S. Cox spoke for the union. E. L. Mulford and Miss Nan Ackerman sang illustrated songs, recitations were rendered by Mrs. Nimrod Horton and Elsie Townley; Mrs. Hattie Gibbons gave a reading. E. T. Mulford and Miss Ida Wright took part in a humorous dialogue.

Refreshments were served. Remarks were made by Gen. Albert Perry, and Comrades Henry Frazee and Edward Vanderweg. Mrs. Edward Townley was chairman of the committee.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks through the columns of The Daily Press to all those who gave their help and sympathy to us in our late bereavement.

R. W. SMITH,
MRS. T. L. ABBOTT.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL.

Good Programme Provided by Monroe Ave. M. E. Society.

The Epworth League of the Monroe Avenue church held a well-attended sociable in the Epworth House last night. Miss Wenona Dodds recited in a pleasing manner and with good expression, "Ethelinda's Recitation," and responded to a hearty encore with an amusing recitation entitled "She Didn't." A sketch of the life of Abraham Lincoln, written by Miss Stella Rink, was read by her. Master Edward Tabell recited in a clear and amusing manner, "Riley's "World Bust Through."

A social hour followed. Light refreshments were served, during which Master Tabell presided at the piano.

MARRIED.

WILLS—SCOTT—On January 1, 1906, at Cape Town, Miss Minnie Scott to George R. Wills, late of Plainfield, now of Cape Colony, S. A.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—About ten to thirty chickens; must be good layers and in fine condition; state price and particulars. Address Hennefy, Press office.

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. Oscar B. Hawes, of Germantown, Pa., will preach at All Souls' church tomorrow morning.

There will be a Frances E. Willard Memorial service at the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, county president, will speak.

A committee from the Men's Club of the First Baptist church, recently appointed to undertake a new financial work in the church, will meet at the church on Monday night to consider plans.

Under the auspices of the Brotherhood of the First M. E. church, the vested choir will give the cantatas, "The Triumph of David," by Dudley Buck, and "Gallia," by Gounod, on Thursday night, February 22, at 8 o'clock.

There will be baptism at the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow evening. The evangelistic service, in which there has been such a marked interest in the last seven Sundays, will be continued tomorrow evening under the direction of the pastor. Twenty-one have requested prayer in these meetings.

At the morning service tomorrow in the First M. E. church the choir will sing "Incline Mine Ear," by Himmel, and Carlos C. Gallup will sing "A Prayer for Faith," by Bartlett. In the evening the choir will sing "Saviour, Breathe an Evening Blessing," by Bruche, and "Abide with Me," by Barnaby.

A Valentine Social.

A delightful valentine social was conducted by the Epworth League of Grace M. E. church last night. A very enjoyable evening was spent in matching hearts, piercing hearts and making valentines, in which a great deal of original talent was displayed in composing verses. Each one of the young people received at St. Valentine's tablet as a souvenir. The committee in charge aws composed of the Misses Grace Clark, Loucetta Clark, Nettie Bauersachs, Stella Vermeule and Emma Smalley, Benjamin Schuch, Russell Harden, M. K. W. Helcher and Raymond Miller.

Money to Loan.

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue. tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Experienced white girl for general housework; must be good cook; no washing; good wages; reference required. Apply 515 Grant avenue. 2 15 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call mornings, 506 Grant avenue. 2 12 6

WANTED — Waitress - chambermaid (white); personal reference required. Apply 313 Franklin place. 2 14 6

GOOD housekeeper wanted, with references. Apply 160 North avenue, Dunellen. 2 15 3

WANTED—A plain cook. Apply 508 Central avenue. 2 16 6

WANTED—First-class lathe and vise men for small steel work. Spicer Universal Joint Manfacturing Co., Madison avenue, between Third and Fourth streets. 2 15 tf

WANTED—Installment collector for merchandise accounts; good salary and expenses. Address Manufacturer, P. O. Box 1027, Phila., Pa. 2 17 3

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A SPECIMEN OF WILDEST AFRICA FOUND IN BRANCHBURG HILLS.

A specimen of wildest Africa transplanted in a Jersey woods has been discovered by the Somerset county authorities in the shape of a family of eight negroes, entirely nude, living in a dugout in the Branchburg hills, eight miles from Somerville.

Constable Michael Corcoran and searching parties of four deputies discovered the negroes in the dugout in the woods near North Branchburg. Their habitation was a hole about ten feet square burrowed in an embankment, which was entered through a small opening large enough to admit the body of a man. The entrance to the dugout was covered with burlap bags.

When Constable Corcoran crawled through the entrance the sight which he beheld caused his eyes to bulge. Nestled on a bed of leaves on the bottom of the dugout were six naked negro children, running in age from 2 to 12 years, while the father and mother of the family, also nude, slumbered near them.

Constable Corcoran attempted to dislodge the negroes but was met by a stiff resistance on the part of the father and mother. The man fought like a demon and it required the combined efforts of the officers to subdue him. He was bound hand and foot and placed in a wagon. The remainder of the family was easily bagged and placed in the bottom of the wagon, which was covered with straw, and they were driven eight miles to the Bridgewater township poorhouse.

The negroes are known to have lived in the dugout all winter. The father of the family was formerly known to Branchburg township as "Jim Van Kirk." He was repeatedly dispossessed for failure to pay his rent, and took to the woods with his family. He shunned civilization and went further back in the hills, where he and his family have since lived like savages and subsided in winter on corn which they raised in the woods and fish which they caught through the ice.

MADISON LETS SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE GO.

Special Sewage Disposal Investigators Were Unable to Accomplish Anything.

Madison, Feb. 17.—Without having accomplished anything a special citizens' committee, that had been appointed in aJnuary to confer with the Board of Health regarding the emptying of sewage into Spring Garden brook, was discharged by the Common Council Wednesday night. The committee had originally been composed of Nathaniel Niles, General Adelbert R. Buffington, U. S. A., retired, and Stark B. Ferriss. The last two named resigned prior to Wednesday night.

After the committee had been ordered off the premises of Borough Counsel Charles A. Rathbun, who is also prosecutor of Morris county, the Board of Health refused to treat with the committee, because, it was said, it was exceeding its authority. Wednesday night Mr. Niles submitted a report, criticising Mr. Rathbun, and declared that the town was helpless because Mr. Rathbun, by virtue of his dual capacity could block the enforcement of the law.

Councilman Albian L. Page attempted to get through a motion referring the status of the entire matter to former Judge Williard W. Cutler, of Morristown, inasmuch, as, he said, Mr. Rathbun was "vastly interested." Nobody could be found to second it, however, and the committee was discharged without comment.

Mr. Niles says he will appeal to the State Board of Health to have the nuisance abated if the local authorities refuse to act.

Mr. Rathbun said Wednesday night that the standing committee on sewerage was considering the problem and would, within a few months, suggest a remedy. Consequently, he said, nothing but conflict would be caused if the citizens' committee was maintained.

Favors Senate Automobile Bill.

Morristown, Feb. 17.—The Morristown Civic Association has approved the Frelinghuysen bill, regulating automobile traffic, now pending before the New Jersey Legislature, and will send a committee to represent it at the hearing on the bill next Tuesday.

Dr. S. D. Keeny, of West Fourth street, is detained at home by illness.

Joseph Sutphen, of this city, has returned from a visit with friends at Centerville.

Frank Kent, Jr., of Roycefield, has been spending a few days with relatives in Plainfield.

Miss Mary TenEyck, of East Fifth street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Mrs. Aletta Huff, of Centerville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Mosher, of West Fifth street.

Mrs. Arthur Higgins, of the West End, has returned from a visit with Mrs. A. W. Suydam, of Somerville.

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"God has laid it upon my heart to return these souvenirs which belonged to the New Jersey Building at the St. Louis Fair. I have prized them highly, but God has shown me clearly that they were not meant for me. I humbly ask your forgiveness."

The letter was accompanied by a small box which contained a champagne glass and a silver plated spoon, the two worth as much as a dime, perhaps. It is supposed they were taken by the woman from the Jersey building and kept by her as souvenirs until her heart prompted her to return them to the conscience department. The letter is written in a firm, neat hand, indicating refinement and intelligence on the part of the writer.

The Hippodrome.

Forthcoming editions of dictionaries will contain a new word—Hippodromic—meaning something wonderful, beautiful, extraordinary, while conveying a scene of vastness and immensity. Responsibility for the coinage of the word rests with the New York Hippodrome and, especially, with the production of "A Society Circus," the greatest of all modern spectacles, now enjoying a phenomenal run at the nation's playhouse. Not one adverse criticism has been heard concerning this greatest of theatrical successes, everyone being unanimous in agreeing that its like has never been seen in the annals of the stage. The incidental circus tournament is the greatest ever witnessed. It includes Mlle. Leris, whose equestrianship has been a sensation in Paris; the Bonhair-Gregory troupe of acrobats, Europe's champions, appearing for the first time in America; Ralph Johnstone, whose exploits on the wheel are the limit of reckless daring. Claire Heliot remains the exponent of feminine courage. She adds each week to the tricks displayed by her loins. Slivers and Marceline, clowns, have injected new lines of comedy throughout the performance.

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He guided Pirate close to the wall and stopped him, looked down into the girl's wonder-lit eyes and smiled cheerfully. And what is more she smiled faintly in acknowledgement. He had gained, in the guise of a groom, what he might never have gained in any other condition of life, the girl's respect and admiration. Though a thorough woman of the world, high-bred, well-born, she forgot for the moment to control her features; and as I have remarked elsewhere, Warburton was a shrewd observer.

"Bully Mr. Osborne!" shouted William leaping down. "It was simply great!"

"There are some bars farther down" said the girl, quietly. "William, run and open them."

Warburton flushed slightly. He could not tell how she had accomplished it, whether it was the tone or the gesture, but she had calmly re-established the barrier between mistress and servant.

"I think I'll put him to the wall again," said the hero, seized by a rebel spirit.

He wheeled Pirate about and sent him back at a run. Pirate balked. Round he went again, down the field and back. This time he cleared the wall with a good foot to spare. The victory was complete.

When it was all over, and Pirate was impatiently munching an extra supply of oats, the girl bade Mr. James to report early the following morning.

"I hope I shall please you Madam."

"Address me as Miss Annesley from now on," she said; and nodding shortly, she entered the house.

To Warburton, half the pleasure of the victory was gone; for not a word of praise had she given him. Yet, she had answered his smile. Well, he had made a lackey out of himself, he had no right to expect anything but $40 a month and orders.

He broke his word with me. He did not return to the house that night for dinner. In fact, he deliberately sent for his things, explaining that he was called north and wouldn't have time to see them before he left. It took all my persuasive oratory to smooth the troubled waters and then there were areas upon which my oil had no effect whatever.

"He is perfectly heartless!" cried Nancy. "He couldn't go to the embassy, but he could steal away and play poker all night with a lot of idling army officers. And now he is going off to Canada without even seeing us to say good-by. Charlie, there is something back of all this."

"I'll bet it's a woman," said Jack, throwing a scrutinizing glance at me. But I was something of a diplomat myself, and he didn't catch me napping. "Here's a telegram for him, too."

"I think I'll take the liberty of opening it," said I. I knew its contents. It was the reply Warburton had depended on. I read it aloud. It is good to have friends of this sort. No question was asked. It was a bald order: "Come up at once and shoot caribou. Take first train."

"Bob's a jackass," was Jack's commentary. I had heard something like it before, that day. "He'll turn up all right,"—and Jack lit a cigar and picked up his paper.

"And Betty Annesley is going to call to-morrow night," said Nancy, her voice overflowing with reproach. Her eyes even sparkled with tears. "I did so want them to meet."

I called myself a villain. But I had given my promise; and I was in love myself.

"I don't see what we can do. When Bob makes up his mind to do anything, he generally does it." Jack, believing he had demolished the subject opened his Morning Post and fell to studying the latest phases of the Venezuelan muddle.

Nancy began to cry softly; she loved the scalawag as only sisters know how to love. And I became possessed with two desires; to console her and to punch Mr. Robert's head.

"It has always been this way with him." Nancy went on, dabbing her eyes with her two-by-four handkerchief. "We never dreamed that he was going to the army till he came home one night and announced that he had successfully passed his examinations for West Point. He goes and gets shot and we never know anything about it till we read the papers. Next, he resigns and goes abroad without a word or coming to see us. I don't know what to make of Bobby; I really don't."

I took her hand in mine and kissed it, and told her the rascal would turn up in due time, that they hadn't heard the last of him for that winter.

"He's only thoughtless and single-purposed," interposed Jack.

"Single-purposed!" I echoed.

"Why, yes. He gets one thing at a time in his brain, and thinks of nothing else till that idea is worn out. I know him."

I recalled my useless persuasion of the morning. "I believe you are right."

"Of course I'm right," replied Jack, turning a page of his paper. "Do you know where he has gone?"

"I think the telegram explains everything"—evasively.

"Humph! Don't you worry about him Nan. I'll wager he's up to some of his old-time deviltry."

These and other little observations Jack let fall made it plain to me that he was a natural student of men and their impulses and that his insight and judgment, unerring and anticipatory, had put him where he is to-day, at the head of a department.

"Father," said Betty Annesley at the dinner-table that same night, "I have engaged a new groom. He rode Pirate to-day and thoroughly mastered him."

"Pirate? You don't say! Well, I'm glad of that. Pirate will make a capital saddle-horse if he is ridden often enough. The groom will be a safe companion for you on your rides. Are you too tired to do some drawing for me to-night?"

"The fortification plans?"

"Yes." His eyes wandering from her face to the night outside. How gray and sad the world was! "You will always love your father, dearie?"

"Love him? Always!"

"Whatever betide for weal or woe?"

"Whatever betide."

How easy it was for her to say these words!

"And yet, some day, you must leave me to take up your abode in some other man's heart. My only wish is that it may beat for you as truly as mine does."

She did not reply, but stepped to the window and pressed her brow to the chilled pane. A yellow and purple line marked the path of the vanished sun; the million stars sparkled above; far away she could see the lights of the city. Of what was she thinking, dreaming? Was she dreaming of heroes such as we poets and novelists invent and hang upon the puppet-beam? Ah, the pity of these dreams the young girl has! She dreams of heroes and of god-like men and of the one that is to come. But, ah; he never comes; and the dream fades and dies and the world becomes real. A man may find his ideal, but a woman, never. To youth, the fields of love; to man, the battle-ground; to old age, a chair in the sunshine and the wreck of dreams!

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"Why, daddy, am I not both? I have more money than I know what to do with, and I am happy in having the kindest father." She came around the table and caressed him, cheek to cheek. "Money isn't everything. It just makes me happy to do anything for you."

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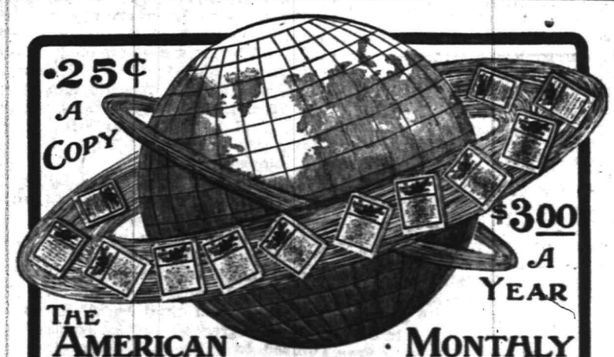

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GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

Harrison Grey Fiske, manager of the Manhattan, announces the production on February 19 of Rupert Hughes' latest play, "The Triangle," according to arrangements with Walter N. Lawrence, manager of that play. It is Mr. Fiske's policy to vary the attractions at the Manhattan, and these arrangements, long ago made, are in pursuit of that purpose. "The Triangle" is a comedy of today, dealing with a subject of social interest local to New York, and Mr. Lawrence has engaged an exceptionally able company to make this play first known in the metropolis. In the organization will be Charlotte Walker, Ferdinand Gottschalk, Byron Douglas, William Bramwell, Colin Campbell, Walter Thomas, May Isabel Fisk, Lillian Albertson, Consuelo Bailey and others engaged with particular reference to the special abilities called for in the cast. But one matinee a week is given at the Manhattan, on Saturday; and those who cannot before witness "Before and After," this will afford a last opportunity.

Broadway certainly likes young George M. Cohan—there is no denying it. New York likes his drawl, his phonographic singing, his way of saying "Ladies and gentlemen, I thank you—I thank you from the bottom of my heart—I thank you." There is something rather refreshing in seeing a star take his curtain calls without a glance at the audience. The snap and dash which were features of "Little Johnny Jones" are features of "George Washington, Jr." Instead of marching on the stage with measured tread and exaggerated "Florodora" bows at every step, Mr. Cohan's choruses run on, sing his songs with an enthusiasm and a spirit which are contagious, and skip off as if impressed with the facts that life is short and that action as a necessary ingredient of musical comedy amusement. The musical numbers—there are nine of them—are lively, tuneful, and typically Cohanesque. There is no one song which can be classed as quite the equal of "I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy," but "The Grand Old Rag" comes near to it, despite the fact that there is an objectionably proprietary air about the comedian as he sings it which suggests that old Betsy Ross had Mr. Cohan in mind when she patched together the first national banner. His other song, "If Washington Came to Life," sung in the midst of a Rhode Island snowstorm, made a distinct hit last evening; it was encored at least eight times, and, being equipped with really good verses, was greeted with the maximum applause.

New York Theatre—Roger Brothers in Ireland. Extra matinee on Washington's Birthday.

Liberty Theatre—The Clansman. Extra matinee Washington's Birthday.

New Amsterdam Theatre—Forty-five minutes from Broadway. Extra matinee Washington's Birthday.

The biggest comedy hit of the year in New York is Fay Templeton in Geo. M. Cohan's music play, "45 Minutes from Broadway," at the New Amsterdam theatre, where she is now in her fourth week. Miss Templeton is undoubtedly the cleverest comedienne on the American stage. Her versatility was never more strongly tested than in this play, wherein she has serious and emotional as well as broad comedy situations. Her work is particularly pleasing to women. She is a women's comedienne, always refined in all that she does and never resorting to the slightest suggestion of coarseness to make her comic points. Victor Moore, who plays the opposite role, "Kid" Burns, has made a hit second only to that of the star. Mr. Moore, too, belongs to the quiet, unctuous and refined school of comedy, and in him Miss Templeton finds a most able second, in full sympathy with her stage methods. It is a pleasure to witness the situations between these really great artists, who make their points through refreshingly natural methods. As for the piece itself, it far surpasses expectation and any one who sees it cannot leave the theatre disappointed. It is a very effective conglomeration of different schools of theatrical entertainment into a powerful story of human interest, staged with novelty, variety and snap. "45 Minutes from Broadway" is quite the real thing in New York.

Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, of Perth Amboy, and Rev. John MacMurray, of Jersey City, former Plainfield pastors, were guests of friends here yesterday and last evening. They were called here by the death of Rev. Dr. J. R. Bryan.

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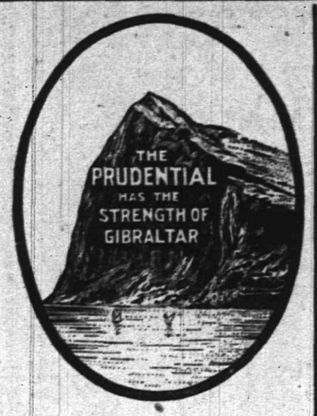

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SPORTS HERE AND THERE

BASKET BALL.

The Atlantic Boat Club team, of Hoboken, will play at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. This is undoubtedly the best and swiftest team that has been here this winter.

Day of Prayer for Missions.

The day of prayer for missions appointed by the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions at Boston was observed yesterday in the lecture room of the First Baptist church by a joint service of the women's societies of the Park Avenue and First Baptist churches. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. J. A. P. Chambliss, wife of the pastor of the First Baptist church, and Mrs. Charles F. Dayton, of the Park Avenue society. The meeting was well attended and was marked by a deep spiritual tone.

Mrs. Crane to Speak.

Mrs. Aug. S. Crane, of Elizabeth, president of the Woman's Presbyterial Society for Home Missions, in the Presbytery of Elizabeth, will delived an address in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church on Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Crane is an interesting speaker and a cordial invitation is given to the women of Plainfield to embrace the opportunity of hearing her.

Special Services at Grace M. E.

There will be special services at Grace M. E. church tomorrow. In the morning at 10:30 o'clock Rev. Dr. A. B. Leonard, missionary secretary, will preach, and at 6:45 o'clock in the evening Mrs. C. W. Pearson will lead. At 7:45 o'clock there will be a missionary platform meeting, with addresses by Prof. M. K. W. Heicker, Dr. H. K. Carroll and Rev. Dr. A. B. Leonard.

A Still Alarm.

In response to a telephone alarm, the apparatus at fire headquarters was sent out 11:13 this morning for a slight blaze in the Clifton building at Fourth street and Park avenue. A bale of oakum in the basement of the store occupied by A. S. Giles, the plumber, became ignited in some way and filled the place with smoke. It was put out by a couple of extinguishers.

Observed Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Higgins, of West Front street, were tendered a surprise party by a dozen friends last night in honor of the thirty-third anniversary of their wedding. Cards, music and refreshments were features.

—Dr. Boston has opened an office in the Central building, 25 West Forty-second street, New York City.

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Rev. Dr. George H. Whitney, who enjoyed a long acquaintance with Dr. Bryan, was the next speaker. He remarked that Dr. Bryan was born in Pemberton, N. J., December 23, 1828, and was converted at the age of eighteen years, and a year later was licensed to preach. He took a course of study at Pennington Seminary, and afterward the New Jersey Conference theological course of four years. He was admitted to the New Jersey Conference at the age of twenty-four years, and remained in active service until 1902, when he retired from his charge at Somerville.

Dr. Whitney referred to Dr. Bryan's attendance at church last Sunday morning, when he listened with deep interest to an eloquent sermon by Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons on the text, "I shall be satisfied when I awake in His likeness." Dr. Whitney also bore testimony to the earnest yet simple life of the departed. There was nothing showy about him. He was always the same, and in the words of Tennyson, "a strong son of God."

Bishop E. G. Andrews was the last speaker, and remarked that an incident of special interest to him was the fact that Dr. Bryan and himself were both admitted to their respective conferences in 1848. He spoke of the mysteries of life which are all about us, adding that those who love God shall be like Him when they see Him face to face. His remarks were brief and in conclusion said that another devoted, earnest soul had entered the veil which separates the two worlds and that if all were faithful they too would be received into that glorious world. He urged all to renew their faith in Christ.

After a prayer by Rev. S. K. Doolittle, of Dunellen; Rev. W. B. Richardson, of Dover, presented resolutions of condolence on behalf of the board of trustees of the Mt. Tabor Camp Meeting Association, of which Dr. Bryan was a vice-president and trustee. A copy will be spread on the minutes of the association and another copy sent to the bereaved family.

Following another selection by the quartette, "It Is Not Death to Die," the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Dr. W. C. Nelson, formerly of the borough, but now of Nutley. An opportunity was then given all to view the remains. The interment was in Hillside cemetery.

There were many beautiful floral tributes from relatives and friends, as well as fellow workers with Dr. Bryan. The casket was covered with these evidences of esteem, while about the pulpit platform there was arranged a number of palms.

The pall beares were Blanchard Randolph, Noble H. Briggs, L. G. Ayers and William Hardgrove.

Man Struck by Train Will Recover.

Elizabeth, Feb. 17.—Joseph Mates, nineteen years old, was struck by a train near the Elizabethport station of the Jersey Central yesterday while walking the tracks. He was tossed twenty-five feet through the air and was cut about the head and bruised about the body. He was picked up unconscious and taken to the Alexian Hospital, where he afterward revived, and it was said yesterday afternoon by the doctors there he would recover. He came here from Pennsylvania ten days ago.

—The engagement of Miss Belle Cary and J. Edward Taylor is announced.

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FRESHMEN ARE NOW DEBARRED IN FOOTBALL

PRINCETON, YALE AND HARVARD AGREE ON NEW INTERCOLLEGIATE RULES.

Princeton, Feb. 17.—Princeton, Yale and Harvard have finally adopted the new and radically changed eligibility rules which have been discussed for so long, and Dean Fine, of Princeton University, yesterday gave out the results reached by the conference held February 7 at New Haven by representatives of the three colleges. The new rule debarring freshmen from intercollegiate competitions is probably the most important, and will do away with many long standing evils. The rules are as follows:

1—No man shall be eligible to compete in intercollegiate athletics unless he shall have completed a full year's work at the university for which he is competing, and shall have passed the examinations satisfactorily for advance with his class.

2—No man shall be eligible who has a degree equivalent to that required to enter the senior class at Princeton, Yale or Harvard.

3—No special student shall be eligible. Exception to this rule—A special student may be eligible in case he is vouched for by the dean, first, as having satisfied entrance requirements equivalent to those required of freshmen; second, as having completed a full year's work, and as having passed a satisfactory examination upon that year's work; third, as taking work during his year of competition equivalent to that required of those who are candidates for a degree.

4—No man shall compete as a member of any university team for more than three years.

5—These rules shall go into effect September, 1906, with the understanding, however, that rule 4 is not to apply to men now in college.

The second rule is evidently adopted with a view to prevent graduates of small colleges, with athletic reputations, from entering the big colleges, probably with some inducements, and with the sole purpose of athletic competition. The fourth rule, allowing a man to compete for only three years, is a very radical change.

These rules, which were formulated by Walter Camp, representing Yale; H. S. White, of Harvard, and Dean Fine, of Princeton, have been ratified by the Princeton faculty committee on out-door sports, and by the proper committees at Yale and Harvard, and will go into effect next September.

Dr. Maxson at Mothers' Meeting.

The first of a series of mothers' meetings was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Sandford, Jr., in Second place. Dr. Henry M. Maxson, superintendent of schools, gave an interesting talk on motherhood, suggesting lines of thought that might be profitably followed in work of this kind.

Old Muslin Needed.

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Thursday, March 1, 1906

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The first property to be sold is the Homestead property at the corner of Clinton Avenue and South Second Street, having a frontage of about 700 feet on South Second Street by about 425 feet on Clinton Avenue and about 650 feet on West Third Street. Large house and barn in good condition.

The second property is on the west corner of West Front Street and Clinton Avenue, (No. 1304 West Front Street) having a frontage of 140 feet on West Front Street and 200 feet on Clinton Avenue, with house and barn, and will be sold on the premises.

The next to be sold is the three vacant lots in the rear of the last mentioned property, 40 feet front on Clinton Avenue and about 143 feet deep. Each lot will be sold separately.

The last property to be sold is the house and lot known as 1254 Milton Place, containing about 1¼ acres of land and will be sold at the corner of Clinton Avenue and West Front Street, after the sale of the other properties.

Terms—10 per cent. cash when property is struck off; balance on delivery of deed in cash or half cash and half purchase money 5 per cent. mortgage at the option of the purchaser.

For further particulars inquire at No. 211 West Front Street of

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GOOD POKER PLAYERS DON'T MAKE NOISE

CITY COURT OPINION ON CONDUCT IN NATIONAL GAME.

Peter Sims, the alleged keeper of a gambling house at 239 West Front street, with nine colored men captured there in a raid two weeks ago, was arraigned before Judge Runyon this morning. The testimony was conflicting and the magistrate withheld his decision for a week's consideration.

Sims, was defended by Lawyer William G. DeMeza. He claimed that he called the men together at his home merely to arrange the organization of a strong colored baseball team. The baize-covered table confiscated by Detective McCarthy and Roundsman Flynn, who made the raid, he said, was part of a knife-game he ran at fairs.

The officers had no direct testimony to offer. Flynn said he watched the Sims rooms from the roof next door and saw shadows that convinced him crap shooting was going on.

"There is no evidence that these men played craps," said Mr. DeMeza in summing up. "No noise was audible in the street, and your honor knows men can't play craps or poker without making some noise."

"Not good poker players," broke in Judge Runyon, and Mr. DeMeza smilingly confined that line of argument to craps.

"It is a noisier game than poker," he said, and described the excitement of a crap game so graphically that the gallery, which was largely tinted, listened with open mouth.

"The evidence is contradictory," said Judge Runyon. "I'll reserve decision for a week.

—Carl Silbert, the jeweler and optician, 219 West Front street, has just received a full line of Howard watches which are guaranteed to be perfect timekeepers. Fine watch repairing done.

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WOMEN'S EXCHANGE ENTERTAINMENT AT THE CASINO LAST NIGHT.

Under the auspices of the Women's Exchange a delightful entertainment was given at the Casino last night before an audience that nearly filled the auditorium.

The stellar attraction was Miss Beatrice Hereford, who appeared in her original monologue. She was given a flattering reception and was recalled many times.

Assisting Miss Hereford was Miss Constance Trowbridge, soprano, who in two charming selections won the hearty applause of everyone. Dr. Charles Davis and Miss Tiny Hyatt also gave a violin duett which added greatly to the enjoyment of the programme.

The large patronage accorded will net a substantial sum for the Women's Exchange and materially assist it in carrying on its excellent work.

Charged With Stealing Wire.

Elizabeth, Feb. 17.—Charles M. Platz, thirty-five years old, and Thomas Smith, thirty-nine years old, were arrested Thursday night at Elizabethport charged with stealing copper wire from the Western Union Telephone Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pope, of Grandview avenue, are the parents of a son born to them yesterday.

Miss Margaret Allison, of New York, is spending a week with Miss Josie Leary, of West Fifth street.

Mrs. Elmore D. Moffett, of Orchard place, will spend Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Tams, of Trenton.

Peter Bowers, of Somerset street, has designed his position with Henry Nischwitz in order to accept one with Charles Jensen as bartender.

—The local painters' union held its annual ball in Vardon's hall last night. It was attended by a large crowd and proved a success.

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Injunction Against Drivers' Union.

Trenton, Feb. 17.—Chancellor Magie filed in the Court of Chancery yesterday an order restraining the members of the Paper Drivers' Local, No. 342, of Bergen county, from interfering with the employes of the Barrett Manufacturing Company, of Shadyside, Bergen county, and from congregating in the neighborhood of the company's plant. The order was obtained by the Barrett company, which alleges that since last December members of the union have been interfering with drivers employed by the company, have assaulted drivers in the company's employ and have so intimidated the men that they are afraid to take the company's wagons from the stables.

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PINNED UNDER BIG AUTO

Charles Woolston and Marcus Hoyt Injured In Wreck,

VOEHL'S CAR SMASHED

Sharp Turn Sends Heavy Rambler Against East Front Street Bank and Machine Turns Somersault.

George Voehl's big Rambler touring car was wrecked on Cole's hill, East Front street, yesterday afternoon. Charles Woolston and Marcus Hoyt, who, with Albert Allen and Voehl were in the car, had a remarkable escape from serious injury. They were painfully hurt, but Voehl and Allen got out of the wreck with a few bruises.

The party were returning from Summit, where Voehl had demonstrated the car to an intending purchaser. He was at the wheel, with Allen alongside of him. Hoyt and Woolston sat in the rear seat. A short distance outside of Scotch Plains, a buggy going in the opposite direction drew near the auto. Voehl thought the carriage would turn out until the two vehicles were close together, when he found a quick turn was up to him. He twisted the wheel sharply. Voehl's car turns easily, and the twist sent the car straight for the bank. He straightened the front wheels with another quick turn, and that led to the wreck.

The rear wheels skidded, and crashed into the sloping bank at the side of the road. The wheel that struck first was smashed and the car turned a complete somersault. Voehl and Allen were flung clear of the wreck, but Woolston and Hoyt, held by the sides of the tonneau as in a box, were dropped directly beneath the falling car.

Woolston was caught beneath the drip pan and Hoyt was pinned under the smashed side. Neither one was under pressure enough to crush them, but Woolston suffered intense agony from the burning hot drip pan. The pan rested on his forehead, and he put his hands up to keep it from coming closer to his face. He called for help, and Hoyt joined in the cries. Voehl and Allen, assisted by three passersby, raised the car and released their two companions.

Woolston was in bad shape. His face and hands were burned and blistered, a finger of his right hand was split to the bone, and the shock half left him in a state of semi-consciousness. Hoyt was bruised, scratched and half-dazed. Voehl had a lamed shoulder and Allen was bruised and scratched. Woolston and Hoyt rallied quickly, and the party proceeded to this city on the trolley. Their injuries were dressed by Dr. Dundon. When the physician got through with Woolston, there was only about an inch and a quarter of his face and two and a half inches of hand uncovered by bandages or plaster.

The automobile was badly damaged. It was left where it smashed until this morning, when Henry Wierenga hauled it to a Newark repair shop behind one of his trucks.

BOROUGHITES IN RUNAWAY.

Horse Leaps Into Ditch—Five Occupants of Phaeton Thrown Out.

While enjoying a drive near South Plainfield, yesterday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin and child, of Mountain avenue, Miss May Duckworth and Walter Emmons, of Jackson avenue, becames involved in a runaway but fortunately escaped serious injury.

Two boys passing along the road swinging a pair of skates frightened the horse and it sprang into a ditch, causing both front wheels of the phaeton they were in to collapse. The occupants were pitched out in all directions and before either of the men could regain their feet the animal bolted and was beyond their reach. All five were more or less cut or bruised but they were quickly given assistance by nearby residents and then driven over to Park avenue, where they caught a trolley car home.

The runaway turned into Plainfield avenue near the mill pond and was caught before hurting itself. The phaeton was badly damaged.

Dave and Jim Hold Confab.

D. J. Carney, the Democratic leader of the borough, paid a social visit to friends in Newark yesterday. While walking down Broad street he unexpectedly met former Senator James Smith, one of the leaders of the State Democracy. The two politicians had a pleasant little chat.

At the Chalfonte.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bushnell, Miss Bushnell, Miss Helen F. Bushnell and Miss Martine are registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

HOPE FOR A DEMOCRAT

Minority Party May Benefit By Dividing County Into Assembly Districts.

DIVISIONS MAPPED OUT

Said to Be Foregone Conclusion That Measure Will Become a Law—Favored by Republicans.

Republican politicians in Union county are discussing the effect the bill to provide for the election of Assemblymen by districts instead of by counties will have. It is said to be a foregone conclusion that such a measure will be enacted into a law at the present session of the Legislature. At its last meeting the Union County Republican Committee declared in favor of Assembly districts. The Essex County Republican Committee has done likewise and each has named a sub-committee to draw up the district lines.

Union county will have, as before, three Assemblymen, and unless the Democratic majority downtown suddenly vanishes, one of the Union representatives in Trenton next year will be a Democrat. It might be possible to slice up the county so as to still elect three Republican Assemblymen, but the policy of straining a point to bring that about is not to be followed. It is well understood that each Assembly district should be made up of contiguous territory, and as much as possible a compact whole. There does not seem to be any desire to stretch a point to hold on to three Republican Assemblymen.

It has been suggested that the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh wards of Elizabeth form one Assembly district. The Democrat would come from that territory. The remaining wards of Elizabeth, with Union township, the Roselles, Cranford, and Linden would form approximately the Second district. That is not definite, however. Plainfield, with Rahway, Westfield and Summit, would be included in the Third district.

The constitution of the State allows only sixty Assemblymen. There are nine counties now with only one representative each, and these in themselves will each form a district. Bergen, Burlington and Cumberland counties have two Assemblymen. It is quite probable that Burlington county will lose one of its representatives under the redistricting plan. It has a population a little more than 50,000. With sixty Assemblymen in the State there ought to be one for about each 40,000 of population, or thereabouts.

Up to 1895 Assemblymen had been elected by districts for about forty years. Then somebody attacked the constitutionality of that law in the courts, and no one saw fit to make a strenuous defense of the old system and the Supreme Court declared the law unconstitutional. The particular clause in the constitution which deals with this matter reads thus:

"The General Assembly shall be composed of members annually elected by the legal voters of the counties, respectively, who shall be apportioned among the said counties as nearly as may be according to the number of their inhabitants."

Eminent lawyers believe that the constitutionality of an election by districts is without doubt, notwithstanding the decision of the Supreme Court. The case has been lingering before the Court of Errors and Appeals for a long time and a decision from that tribunal may be expected next summer before the primaries.

The test of the new district law will be made in this way: Before the next primaries application will be made to a county clerk to take some step required by the new district law, He will refuse to do so on the ground that the Supreme Court has decided the elections by districts unconstitutional. Then an application will be made to the Supreme Court for a writ of mandamus to compel the county clerk to bring the constitutionality of the district system into the courts, where it will be continued until disposed of by the Court of Errors and Appeals.

Republican politicians figure that under a fair redistricting plan there will be about forty cast-iron Republican districts in the State, or two-thirds of the whole.

Dinner-Dance at Casino.

There was a large attedance of members and friends at the dinner-dance given at the Casino Saturday night under the auspices of the Plainfield Country Club. This was the last event of this character prior to Lent and it was fully enjoyed. The music for dancing was a feature, while those not caring for this diversion spent the time playing bridge whist, billiards and in bowling. During the evening refreshments were served and shortly before midnight the festivities were brought to a close. The remaining dinner-dances of this series will be held at the Casino after Lent.

SUPPORT FRELINGHUYSEN

Somerset Co. Agriculturists Advocate the Passage of Senator's Auto Bill.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED

Judge Schenck, Sheriff Cooper and Others Delegated to Appear Before Judiciary Committee.

The fact that Senator Frelinghuysen's proposed automobile bill, which will come up for a hearing tomorrow before the Senate judiciary committee at Trenton, was to be discussed doubtless attracted the unusually large attendance at the meeting of the Somerset County Board of Agriculture Saturday afternoon in the Court House at Somerville. Senator Frelinghuysen was unable to be present, but Clarence E. Case, who drew the bill, made a ringing speech, explaining the provisions of the proposed law and urging the farmers to co-operate earnestly for its passage. Mr. Case was loudly applauded.

On motion of former President Joseph Fitzga, the Frelinghuysen bill was endorsed unanimously by the board, and Judge Louis H. Schenck, Sheriff Edward E. Cooper Bernhard Meyer and Joseph Fitzga were appointed a committee to go to Trenton tomorrow to attend the hearing and urge the passage of the bill.

Former Congressman Alvah A. Clark also spoke on the automobile question. He said: "There is a class of people who run their automobiles recklessly and such should be restrained. We are a suffering public the way the auto is run now and I think it is proper for the people to give expression to their sentiment. I do not believe in any radical law."

Hubert P. Phillips, of North Plainfield, spoke at length on "Potato Culture."

TOASTS AND SPEAKERS FOR JUNIOR'S BANQUET

MAYOR SAUNDERS, SENATOR COLBY, ASSEMBLYMAN TUCKER, GOV., MAYBE

The committee in charge of the "Junior American banquet," to be held at the Casino on Thursday night, March 1, under the auspices of Franklin and Benevolent Councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., is making excellent progress with the arrangements.

It is now planned to have four speakers, namely, Governor Stokes, who, if he attends, will be asked to speak to the toast "Our State;" Senator Everett Colby, who will be assigned the toast "Patriotism," and former Mayor W. L. Saunders, of the borough, who will be asked to speak on "Our City." The fourth speaker is expected to be Assemblyman Everard Tucker, of Elizabeth. His toast has not yet been selected. In case Governor Stokes or Mr. Saunders cannot attend, their places will be filled by other prominent men.

As stated before, politics will have no part in the banquet, the chief purpose of the affair being to arouse enthusiasm among the members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. and to advance the interest in its principles.

While there has been a large demand for tickets among the members of the order, many outsiders have also sought them, wishing to hear Senator Colby and others who are expected to speak. The committee will meet tomorrow night to further complete details for the affair. Mayor Newton B. Smalley, who will be the toastmaster at the banquet, will go to Trenton tomorrow and call on the Governor for the purpose of persuading him to come to Plainfield. He will know definitely tomorrow whether Mr. Stokes will attend.

Driving Club's Plans.

The Riding and Driving Club, of Orange, is having an unusually successful season, due in a large measure to the entertainments that have been given by the club. Plans have about been completed for another one, to be held on Washington's Birthday Eve. It will be a Colonial ride, and those taking part will be attired in costumes typical of the time of Washington. The club gave a somewhat similar masked ride on January 5, and the occasion was such a pronounced success that it was decided to hold an entertainment of a like character on February 21.

Postal Clerks' Convention.

The annual convention of the New Jersey Postal Clerks' Association will be held in Hoboken Thursday afternoon. Alfred E. LaPorte, of this city, is secretary of the organization.

Mrs. Frank D. Bennett, of East Gloucester, Mass., spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. John Clapp, of Mercer avenue.

HELD CARNIVAL SITTING

Last Night's Affair One of the Most Successful Ever Conducted.

A VARIED PROGRAMME

Judges Called on Attendants for Contributions—Shadow Pictures Very Pleasing.

With a large gathering of members and friends in attendance, the Gesang and Turn Verein conducted its annual "Carnival sitting" in Saengerbund Hall last night. It was the most successful affair of this kind the organization has ever conducted and ranks as one of the pleasantest in recent years.

According to the rules of the "sitting," the guests are seated in the auditorium until the arrival of Prince Carnival and his aids, and also the judges, bearing a "cage." The prince was supposed to arrive in an airship, and a cleverly arranged craft of this kind was sent across the stage while Otto Keller's voice, carried by a megaphone from the rear, added to the illusion. The judges were Mr. Keller, Walter Koeppel and Frank Heidig, who called upon people in the gathering to be placed in the "cage" and present some form of entertainment. Those called upon were escorted forward by two policemen, Fritz Schmidt and John Retzer.

Among those who contributed to the programme in this way were August Wolf, recitations; Charles Dresselt and Henry Haurand, vocal selections; Miss Clara Weber and Herman Klinsman, recitations; Otto Keller and Walter Koeppel, addresses.

In addition to these a series of shadow pictures were presented as follows: "Schiller's glove," August Meicher, Frank Neidig, Fritz Schmidt, John Retzer, Anton Stenzenberger and Masters Stenzenberger and Wieda; "Spooning," Frank Neidig, Fritz Schmidt and Mrs. Meicher; "The Dental Parlors," Messrs. Neidig and Schmidt; "The Dancing Elephant," Mrs. Schmidt and Neidig. The Turn Verein Singing Section rendered several selections, and instrumental selections were furnished by B. A. Paroubek's orchestra.

Another feature of the "sitting" was a side show, in which curiosities were exhibited. The most amusing was "The Siamese Triplets, imported by Otto Keller." Henry Luthmann and Rudolph Spiegel were placed either side of a dummy and a clever make-up enabled them to present a ludicrous imitation of the well known dime museum exhibit.

The committee which arranged and had charge of the affair consisted of Otto Keller, Frank Neidig, John Retzer, John Wirth, Fritz Schmidt and Charles Meyer, Sr.

Willard Memorial Service.

A service in memory of Miss Frances E. Willard was held at the W. C. T. U. rooms yesterday afternoon. Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, county president of the union, was in charge, and she related interesting and helpful reminiscences of the life of this noted temperance worker, telling also of her work. In addition to Mrs. Tomlinson's remarks, selections were read by Mrs. Elizabeth A. Parse and Mrs. M. C. Dobbins and impromptu remarks were made by other members. Throughout the service appropriate hymns were sung.

A Surprise Party.

On Saturday evening, the night students of the shorthand department of the Plainfield Business College gave Miss Virginia Grant, their teacher, a surprise party. The affair was held in the art studio of Miss A. C. Phelps, of the Babcock building. The evening was one of merriment from beginning to close. Messrs. Caleen and Gray were the committee.

Death of Mrs. Amelia Ball.

Mrs. Amelia Ball, of New York, daughter of the late John and Ann Ball, of Somerville, died at her home in New York today. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. John Bosler and M. Louise Ball. She was also an aunt to Mrs. Elmer E. Runyon, of this city.

New York Shooters Coming.

A large number of trap shooters from New York and vicinity will visit Plainfield Thursday for the purpose of taking part in the annual shoot of the Independent Gun Club. The programme will start at 10 a. m. and will continue until dark.

Salaam Temple's Affair.

Salaam Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles, of the Mystic Shrine, will hold a "ladies' night" entertainment at Kreuger's Auditorium, Newark, on Friday night. The Plainfield Shriners and their women friends will attend.

Jean, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Vail, of Putnam avenue, is very ill with pneumonia.

ALL READY TO ORGANIZE

Plainfield Protective Association Will Be Formed Next Monday.

CONSUMERS FAVOR IT

Anti-P. S. C. Sentiment Growing Rapidly, Says Organizer R. Henry Depew—110 Signers Secured.

The organization of the Plainfield Protective Association, designed to check the alleged greed of the Public Service Corporation in gas and electric light charges, will be completed at a meeting in the lecture room of Grace P. E. parish house, Sycamore and Sixth streets, on Monday night, February 26. The meeting will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

The campaign against the P. S. C. has drawn a lot of supporters. Over a hundred householders have signed the list of intending members. Many others are expected to join the association as soon as it is launched.

The meeting was to have been held at the Casino, but the auditorium could not be obtained for the twenty-sixth.

R. Henry Depew, who started the movement, is greatly pleased with the success that has attended his efforts to bring the consumers together.

"I am glad to say that the movement has met with a very hearty response and the list of members, numbering already about 110, is an exceptionally strong one," he said this morning.

"The success of this move, while practically assured, will depend for its complete fulfillment upon the firm and united action of the people of Plainfield and North Plainfield, and I trust that all those who can join will do so, and will induce others to become members, and that as many as possible will attend the first meeting."

BOROUGH YOUNG MAN SAVES SWEETHEART'S LIFE

BEAT OUT FLAMES WHICH CAME FROM HER BURNING DRESS.

What came near being a tragic climax to a joyous wedding celebration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blocher, of Hoboken, yesterday, was averted by the quick action of Frank Jellig, of the borough, who rescued his fiance, Miss Barbara Marmhilard, of Dunellen, from burning to death.

While the merrymakers were dancing, the young woman attempted to pass through the room and one of the couples knocked her against a stove, which ignited her skirt. No one noticed it at the time, and the dress continued to burn until the smell of smoke caused the dancers to stop.

They were just in time to see Miss Marmhilard become enveloped in flames, and several of the women fainted. Jellig was standing near and, springing to the side of the imperilled girl, wrapped his coat about her form in an effort to beat out the flames. The young woman swooned and both were burned before she was placed out of danger. She recovered during the evening and was able to return home. Jellig's presence of mind in springing to her side undoubtedly saved her life.

As a result of the accident the celebration came to an abrupt termination.

Boat Club's Dinner.

The Wanamassa Boat Club's annual dinner was given at the Broadway Central Hotel Saturday night, wit hthirty guests in attendance. The members enjoyed vocal and instrumental selections and addresses during the evening. Among those in attendance from this city were G. Harold Whitney, Fred Martin, Percy Phillips, Enoch Hardingham, Fred Hardcastle, William Pope, William Hicks, Den. J. Galbraith, Walter Sampson, John McCullough, Arthur Aalholm, Paul Collier and Messrs. Hillyer and Kershaw.

Completing Large Vault.

Henry Klein, of Spooner avenue, who has been directing the work of installing a large vault made by the Manganese Steel Safe Company, of this city, in the Second National Bank at Hoboken, is now putting the finishing touches on the job, which has been in operation since last October. The vault is one of the largest ever erected by the local factory and is said to have cost between $50,000 and $75,000.

—For the next few days Neuman Brothers will sell Hecker's Superlative and Pillsbury's Best flours at a special price by the barrel. Don't miss this chance.

MAY INSPECT BUILDING

Public Will Be Admitted to the New High School Structure This Week.

PROGRAMME FOR WEEK

Last Exercises in Old Building on Friday, When Washington's Birthday Will Be Observed.

For the benefit of all who are interested in the opening of the new High School, Superintendent Maxson has made arrangements so that those who wish may inspect the building. Today, tomorrow and Wednesday sessions will be held in the old school as usual, but on Thursday morning the pupils will be at the new one to act as guides for visitors. They have already familiarized themselves with every room and are enabled to explain all the details of construction. It is Dr. Maxson's wish that every Plainfielder take this opportunity to see the new building, which is the handsomest in the city and compares favorably with any in the State.

The formal dedication exercises are scheduled to begin at 3 o'clock and the programme has already been been announced. The pupils will be represented by the Glee and Banjo Clubs, otherwise there will be none of them present. The alumni reception is to be given in the evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. William C. Hubbard and Dr. Norman Probasco comprise the committee that will have charge.

The usual Washington's Birthday exercises will be omitted by the High School pupils Wednesday, but they will be observed in the old structure Friday morning. At their conclusion the classes that are to be moved will adjourn to the new building and sessions will be conducted from then on as usual. The change will necessitate the transferring of classes in other schools and all next week principals and teachers will be kept busy getting settled.

At the Thursday exercises the seniors of the High School will present a statue of Lorenzo de Medici and other classes have gifts in preparation.

The city authorities, former members of the Board of Education, and donors of prizes in the school will be given seats on the stage. The seats on the floor and in the galleries are not reserved but will be open to the first comers. The address, it is said, will be about twenty minutes long and the whole exercises will last about an hour and a half.

It will not be possible to arrange for carriages to drive in to the porte cochere but a boardwalk will be built from the front steps to the sidewalk on Ninth street and entrance will be by the front door. In case of stormy weather an awning will be put up to protect the people.

Superintendent Maxson made this statement today:

"The Board did all it could to secure a distinguished speaker until it got so near the time that it seemed likely to be a question not as to what big man it would have but whether it could secure any professional speaker on Washington's Birthday. It was fortunate in securing Mr. Blair, whose whole time is given to professional work on the lecture platform, and if what is said of him is true, he will be as well worth hearing as some whose names are better known."

TO PRESENT "GRIM TRUTH" AT THE COLONIAL FETE.

Miss Saunders' Play to Be Chief Feature at Charity Affair.

Miss Louise Saunders has written a play for the Colonial fete to be held at the Casino Thursday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the Cup Bearers' Circle, King's Daughters. It is entitled "The Grim Truth," and the author will appear in it with Miss Hope Ivins, Miss Marion Half and Miss Helen Stevens, both afternoon and evening. In the afternoon there will also be moving pictures and a Japanese artist will paint pictures, which will be put on sale.

In the evening in addition to the play there will be violin solos by Miss Hyatt, to be followed with a dance for the young people. With the exception of a Japanese booth, the decorations will be appropriate to Washington's birthday. The proceeds will go toward the fund for the support of the King's Daughters' city nurse.

Aged Mt. Bethel Resident Dead.

Mrs. Frances R. Wood, a well known resident of Mount Bethel, died at her home there Saturday. She was in her seventy-seventh year. The funeral will be held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Etta Randolph, of Mount Bethel, tomorrow at noon. Interment will be in Hillside cemetery, this city.

ARRESTED IN THE PULPIT

Dominie Morris Charged with Trespass In Calvary Baptist Church.

CALLED AN USURPER

Rev. D. W. Baily, Who Claims He Was Called to the Pastorate, Invokes the Law.

Rev. P. T. Morris, who came from Belmar Friday and announced that he would begin his work as pastor of Calvary Baptist church, colored, Central avenue, yesterday, didn't go much further than a beginning. He was arrested last night, just as he was about to begin his second service, as a trespasser.

The warrant under which the arrest was made was sworn out by Rev. J. M. Mitchell, acting pastor of the church, who claims Pastor Morris is attempting to usurp the position that rightfully belongs to Rev. D. W. Bailey, of New York.

Shortly after Rev. Scott Wallace, pastor of Calvary, died, Mr. Mitchell was installed as acting shepherd by the flock. When a congregational meeting to choose a permanent pastor was called, Mr. Bailey was a candidate for the place. A faction of the church opposed him and supported Rev. Mr. Morris. Mr. Bailey and his supporters claim that a majority of th evotes fell to him. The Morris faction, it is alleged, called a rump meeting and voted him into the pastorate in defiance of the majority vote.

When Mr. Morris ascended into the pulpit yesterday morning he was not molested, but Mr. Mitchell went to Justice Mosher after the service and swore out a warrant against him. Officer James Saunders, colored, went to the church with the warrant last night. As the Belmar dominee started the service the officer placed him under arrest.

No disorder marked the act. Mr. Morris went quietly with the officer, and though the congregation buzzed with excitement the factions did not clash.

Justice Mosher was waiting for the officer and his prisoner at headquarters, and gave the minister a preliminary hearing at once. Mr. Morris was released in the custody of his counsel, Clarence Murphy, to appear for a hearing this afternoon. Mr. Mitchell will be represented by W. S. Angleman.

Rev. Mr. Bailey was in the church when the arrest took place, and wnet on with the service. He preached from the text, "Lo, I am with you alway."

"It was a fine old fashioned Southern sermon," said Mr. Mitchell, this morning, "with plenty of spirit and fire."

WILLIAM LAING DIES AFTER FEW DAYS' ILLNESS.

Taken Ill Thursday, He Grew Rapidly Worse and Succumbed Yesterday.

William Laing, son of the late James Laing, a well known resident of this city, a carpenter by trade, died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock from enlargement of the liver, at his home on West Fourth street. He was taken ill on Thursday and rapidly grew worse. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. N. C. Dunn, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Julia L. Force, of Westervelt avenue, and one brother, Hugh S. Laing, of North avenue.

The funeral services will be held from the residence of his niece, Mrs. E. A. Millard, 319 East Second street, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment will be in the Plainfield Avenue cemetery beside Mr. Laing's wife. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck will officiate.

THE LITTLE GRAY LADY.

Alan Dale Says She's the Nicest Girl in Town.

Without exception "The Little Gray Lady," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre tonight direct from a long run in New York, has received the unstinted praise of the New York press and it is claimed that the play has received the best notices of the year.

Alan Dale says: "'The Little Gray Lady' is the nicest girl in town. Such a relief is it to sit for three hours with these ingenuous young citizens, in which blood there are red instead of white corpuscles, that at the close of the play one parts regretfully from them. It is like saying goodbye to some charming acquaintance one has just made. To give them up seems cruel."

Colby Buys Observer?

It has been rumored during the past week that State Senator Everett Colby has purchased outright the Hoboken Observer, with the intention of conducting it as a straight reform paper. The owners of the paper, however, denied the rumor Saturday.

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$1.25 Velvet Carpets, lengths under 25 yds.. 62½c

Young Men's Business Suits Half Price, single and double breasted, from old stock. Regular price $7.98, now 3.99

Ladies Skirts and Suits, from old stock, less than **Half Price.**
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$7.50 to $10.00 for $2.98.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Rev. W. W. Casselberry started a series of special meetings at the Presbyterian church last night. There was a large attendance. The meetings will continue tonight, tomorrow and Wednesday nights, and every night next week. As much success is looked for as marked the recent revival services.

Silas D. Drake will be the spokesman of the anti-separation committee from New Market when the South Plainfield borough measure comes up before the legislative committee. He is preparing his line of argument.

George Schenck has cut ice enough to reconcile him to the slow freezing weather. His house is about two-thirds full, and there is a good chance now that he will get a full crop.

R. P. F. Von Minden was at a meeting of the State Board of Agriculture in Trenton Saturday. He made an interesting report on the recent farmers' institute in New Market.

Interesting exercises commemorative of George Washington were held at the Presbyterian Sunday-school yesterday. Rev. W. W. Casselberry spoke.

Rev. S. K. Doolittle is a member of the board that is arranging the meetings of the Mt. Tabor Camp-Meeting Association for next summer.

Mahlon Dayton has been elected to the Board of Trustees of the Baptist church, to the place left vacant by F. P. Vail's resignation.

Walter Elliott has recovered the use of his foot, the great toe of which was dislocated while he was chopping wood last week.

William Tabb, of Port Richmond, S. I., visited Mr. and Mrs. Foster Sofield yesterday.

William Piddington was a member of a theatre party to New York Saturday night.

Paul Brakeley will be a member of the P. H. S. baseball team this spring.

Daniel Moody has been confined to the house by illness for several days.

Miss Dora Fulton, of Brooklyn, has been visiting Mrs. Charles Ross.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher have arranged to give up housekeeping.

Miss Mabel Cole has returned from a visit to friends in Bayonne.

Valentine McLaughlin visited friends in Newark Sunday.

A. N. Randolph has recovered from a brief illness.

The Sunshine Society met Saturday afternoon.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The annual borough report, in pamphlet form, just received by Collector Charles Sheelen, shows a cash balance on hand December 31 of $1,939.57. This speaks well for the hustling little borough, and shows that its welfare is being well cared for by its governing bodies.

John Dunn finished filling the large ice house at the "Back Pond" on Saturday. This finished the local harvesting. The ice housed is as good in quality as in former years, the last crop cut being nearly twelve inches thick.

The members of the Epworth League held an interesting weekly meeting last night in the class rooms of the Methodist church.

The members of Bucket and Engine Co. are arranging to hold a dance during the early part of the coming month.

Edward L. Hand is able to be around again after an illness of several days, which has detained him at home.

Miss Evelyn Buckley, of South avenue, Plainfield, spent Sunday with her aunt, Miss Susie Parse.

Rev. Mr. Phipps, of Drew Seminary, occupied the pulpit yesterday at the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stroble, of Easton, were the guests Sunday of Mrs. Edward L. Hand.

The B. Y. P. U. held its regular weekly meeting last night in the parlors of the church.

Mrs. William Sharp has been entertaining relatives from New York over Sunday.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Reading Circle of the First M. E. church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. McNaughton.

A cottage prayer meeting will be held Friday evening at the home of the Rev. Daniel Rapalje, 724 Carlton avenue, at 8 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church received $50 as net profits from the recent birthday social held in Vincent chapel.

The Junior Society of the First Baptist church has been busy making scrap books and other things that will entertain and interest the children at the Day Nursery.

The canatata, "The Triumph of David," and Gounod's "Gallia," will be given by the choir of the First M. E. church tomorrow night under the auspices of the Brotherhood.

Arthur G. Drake, formerly organist of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, has been re-engaged for another year as organist at the Second Reformed church, New Brunswick.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

The Elks' minstrel committee will meet Wednesday night and make a final report of the recent show. The total receipts were $1,075 and it is expected the profits will be about $450.

Manager Counihan has booked Mme. Lillian Blauvelt and her big company of seventy-three people for appearance at the New Plainfield next week. She will present her successful production, "Rose of the Alhambra," being seen this week at Philadelphia.

Miss Dorothy Donnelly, the leading lady of "The Little Gray Lady," is a sister of H. V. Donnelly, who managed the stock company at the Murray Hill theatre for many years. She was associated with him for many years and it was in this way that she gained her early stage education.

George Swift Trow, who takes a prominent part in "A Daughter of the Revolution," which comes to this city Wednesday night, is a nephew of Mrs. A. T. Slauson, of East Ninth street, and is also second cousin to Judge William N. Runyon. He is a clever actor and is well known to local society people. In connection with his work in "A Daughter of the Revolution" he gives an imitation of "The Yankee Doodle Boy," George M. Cohan.

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ATLANTIC BOAT CLUB WINS IN LAST MINUTES OF PLAY.

The Y. M. C. A. five made a gallant attempt to check their run of defeats Saturday night, but the effort was futile. The Atlantic Boat Club quintette wrenched the victory from Plainfield's grasp at the last moment, 30 to 27.

Fast work characterized the game on both sides. The teams were evenly matched, taking them by a large, and the struggle was close at every stage. The Boat Club men were inaccurate in shooting, but they made up for that in shiftiness. If they missed a shot they had speed enough to work around to another try at the basket. In individual work Haselman, of the victors, and Leary and Smith, of Plainfield, stand out. The Hobokenite was like lightning in flints and turns. Smith was spectacular in his speed, and Leary scored some pretty goals on snap shots.

The score was 16 to 15 in Y. M. C. A.'s favor at the end of the first half. Through the second Plainfield led by a narrow margin until the last five minutes of play. Then the visitors put on a spurt and shot two goals before the anxious Plainfielders could catch up to the gait.

Eighteen fouls were called, ten of them on the visitors, but there was no yellow playing. Some of the Hobokenites thought Umpire Morse didn't treat them right in one or two decisions, but there was no undue waiting. Line up:

Y. M. C. A.	A. B. C.
Smith	Haselman
Thompson	Binderwald
forwards.	
Scull	Shortemple
center.	
Leary	Hanke
Letson, Neal	Fagan
guards.	

Umpire—Morse. Referee—Burgstadt.

The large crowd, at twenty-five cents per capita, brought some joy to the bruised hearts of the vanquished. The receipts will be applied to the purchase of new jerseys.

PERSONAL.

John Storms, of Liberty street, was the guest of his brother in West Hoboken yesterday.

Mrs. W. W. St. John, of Watchung avenue, is entertaining her sister from New Haven, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones, of this city, have returned from a visit with relatives at Bound Brook.

Miss Lulu Randolph, of West Eighth street, has returned from a visit with friends out of town.

Miss Jessie Nichol, of Kingston, Pa., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Stout, of Madison avenue.

Mrs. Melinda Megan, of Jackson avenue, expects to leave early next week for Atlantic City, for a week's sojourn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dreier and family, of West Front street, visited relatives of the latter in New York yesterday.

Miss Mary Woolston, of Fairview avenue, who has been detained at home with an attack of the grip, is improving.

Patrick Harrington, of West Fourth street, has recovered from a week's illness due to blood poisoning in the hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Kiseman, of East Second street, are entertaining the latter's parents from Richmond Hill, L. I.

Yardley T. Brown, formerly of this city, but now of Wilmington, Del., has been spending a few days in town on business.

E. S. F. Randolph, of Grant avenue, who recently underwent an operation at Muhlenberg Hospital, is steadily improving.

Former Policeman James Totten and Captain George Feiring, of Hose Company, No. 3, of this city, visited a number of fire houses in the metropolis Saturday.

Lloyd Lewis, of Newark, a former resident of this city, holds a responsible position in the draughting department of the Marine Engine and Boiler Manufacturing Company of that city.

Friends of Mrs. A. B. Lewis, who formerly resided on West Fifth street, this city, but now of Newark, will regret to learn that she is suffering from a temporary paralysis of her right arm. It is an unusual affection, but it is expected that she will regain the full strength of the arm within a short time, which is now undergoing treatment by a Newark physician.

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"The Little Gray Lady," called by New York critics "the great love play," will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre tonight. This charming drama, written by Channing Pollock, produced under the direction of Maurice Campbell, and interpreted by a splendid cast, including Dorothy Donnelly, Julia Dean, John W. Albaugh, Jr., Eva Vincent, Justina Wayne, William Humphrey, Charles Gay, Harry Wagner and Robert Ober, was the most emphatic success of the season in New York. The praise bestowed upon it while at the Garrick and Majestic theatres has not been approached by that given any other play this season. The reason is not far to seek. "The Little Gray Lady" contains every element that makes for success in a play. As already intimated, the love factor is strong. Its comedy is no less delightful and its "human interest" is enthralling, because the types and incidents of the play were taken from real life.

Local theatregoers will have the opportunity of seeing May Irwin in this city in her greatest success, "Mrs. Black Is Back," at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night. Miss Irwin has accumulated a very large fortune and she is considered the wealthiest actress on the American stage. "Mrs. Black Is Back" is the most successful comedy she has ever employed. It is by George V. Hobart, author of the famous "John Henry" stories, and last season was the distinct comedy success of New York, where it ran for six months.

The cast of "The Daughter of the Revolution" company, which comes to the New Plainfield theatre Wednesday night, is a very appropriate one, as all of the members are descendants of the War of the Revolution. Harry A. Truax's great grandfather fought through the entire war as a member of General Washington's personal staff. His father was a soldier in the Civil War, and he himself was with Roosevelt's Rough Riders during the Spanish War. Henry Clay Mortimer is a descendant of and namesake of the famous Henry Clay, who did so much for America and Americans. William F. Haddock and Edward De Corsia are also descendants of veterans of the War of the Revolution, Mexican and Civil wars. Mr. De Corsia himself is a graduate of West Point and a veteran of the Spanish War.

The work of Joe J. Sullivan and Charles Hanley in this season's big spectacular production, "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," which will play at the New Plainfield theatre Washington's Birthday, afternoon and night, is very pleasing to the large audiences which nightly assemble to enjoy this popular farce comedy. The members of this company are entertainers of great talent, and in their concerted work there is a finish and originality which is seldom seen.

"How Baxter Butted In" is a new domestic drama by Owen Davis. Of this play, which is a combination of brisk comedy and melodrama, Vance and Sullivan have made a very complete production and have engaged a splendid company of artists, headed by Sidney Toler, who in the part of Billy Baxter, the wide-awake drummer, presents a breezy and refreshing performance. It will be at the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night.

LIBERALS TO FIGHT BALFOUR.

Ex-Premier Will Be Opposed for Election.

London, Feb. 19.—The City Liberal Association, at a meeting yesterday, decided to nominate a candidate to contest the city of London against former Premier Balfour at the forthcoming bye-election.

The name of the proposed candidate has not yet been announced, but Thomas Gibson Bowles, who represented Kings Lynn in the last Parliament, is supported by many Liberals as the man most likely to effect a combination of the Unionists and Liberal free traders.

January Immigration Fell Off.

Washington, Feb. 19.—A statement made public at the Department of Commerce Friday shows that immigrants to the number of 51,127 arrived at the ports of the United States in January. This is a decline of about 5,000 compared with the arrivals in January, 1905. For the six months period ended January 31 the number of arrivals is given as 403,725, compared with 398,110 for the six months ended January 31, 1905. Immigration from Russia shows a falling off, arrivals in January last being 10,382, as compared with 15,743 in January, 1905. For the six months ended January 31 last arrivals from Russia were 71,574, as compared with 87,282 in the six months period ended January, 1905.

Perth Amboy Chamber of Commerce.

Perth Amboy, Feb. 19.—Perth Amboy Chamber of Commerce held its fifth annual banquet Thursday night at the Parker House. The speakers were John S. Gibson, of Newark, and Rev. Ernest H. Northrup, of this city. Both are natives of Sussex county, a feature of which much was made during the evening. Mr. Gibson spoke on equal taxation, and Mr. Northrup, after a humorous recital of the woes of the Perth Amboy bridge, took up the dawn of righteousness in public and business life. Edward W. Barnes presided at the banquet and Adrian Lyon was toastmaster.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—The capital stock of the Bound Brook Water Company has been increased from $75,000 to $100,000.

—There will be dancing Washington's Birthday afternoon and evening at the Empire Dancing Academy on West Front street. Music will be furnished by Hanemeyer's full orchestra, of Elizabeth, and a good time is assured all who attend.

—You can have a pleasant and profitable time tomorrow night by attending the illustrated lecture to be given by Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss at the First Baptist church on "Here and There in London." The lecture will be given for the benefit of the Young Women's Missionary Society and is deserving of liberal patronage. There will be 100 fine views.

—William Holmes is rapidly getting his chorus to a point of perfection in the presentation of "The Pirates of Penzance," to be given at the New Plainfield theatre on Tuesday night, February 27, for the benefit of the Day Nursery. There is a great demand for tickets and the patronage promises to be very large. The weekly rehearsal for the opera will be held tonight at the Casino.

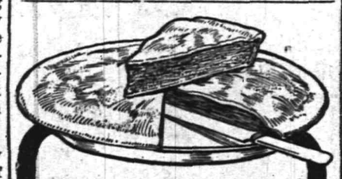
—There will be an executor's sale of valuable real estate on Thursday afternoon, March 1, beginning at 2 o'clock, to close the estate of the late William McD. Coriell. The sale will be held on the premises, No. 201 Clinton avenue, and will include the homestead property, 100 feet on South Second street and about 425 feet on Clinton avenue, and 650 feet on West Third street. The large house and barn are in good condition. There will also be sold the property at West Front street and Clinton avenue, three vacant lots in the rear on Clinton avenue and a house and lot at 1254 Milton place. For further particulars inquire of B. Frank Coriell, executor.

Mr. Powell on Tree Protection.

The Men's Association of Trinity Reformed church will not meet this month, as the date for the regular session falls on Washington's birthday. The association will meet at the appointed time in March, when it is hoped to have an address by George T. Powell, of this city, who is interested in the growth of trees and shrubbery and the extermination of the cottony maple and other scales.

C. J. Baxter in Town.

State Superintendent of Schools C. J. Baxter and Mrs. Baxter, of Trenton, spent Sunday with former Judge and Mrs. W. R. Coddington, of Sandford avenue.



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WHY JERSEY WAS "AGIN IT."

All Delegates Against Bill to Consolidate Unprofitable Customs Districts.

Washington, Feb. 19.—It is not to be wondered at that all the members of the New Jersey delegation in the House voted Thursday afternoon against the consideration of Representative Payne's bill to provide for the consolidation and reorganization of the customs collection districts of the country. The passage of the bill would result in the wiping out and winding up of a long list of offices at which the expenses of running the office is far in excess of the total amount collected at such office.

The list of such offices, where the expenses are greater than the receipts, which is contained in the report made by Mr. Payne, by direction of the Committee on Ways and Means, shows that only one of two other States in the Union has as many "unprofitable" districts as has New Jersey. That State has four such offices, which will no doubt be closed up if the bill ever becomes a law, thus throwing four collectors and six assistants out of their jobs.

Shoemakers' Night.

New York, Feb. 19.—The Shoe Manufacturers' Association of Greater New York held its seventh annual banquet Thursday night at Delmonico's. Patrick Gleason, president of the association, was toastmaster, and 152 members and invited guests were present, among them A. A. Eisele and Herbert P. Gleason, of Newark.

The Misses Welsh and Patterson, of West Front street, visited friends in Orange yesterday.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 19, 1906.

CAR STOVE OVERTURNED STRIKES WOMAN PASSENGER.

Causes Painful Contused Wound that Necessitates Her Removal to the Hospital.

While the last main line trolley car from this city to Elizabeth, leaving the Watchung avenue stand at 12:30 o'clock yesterday morning, was making the turn from East Fifth street to Richmond a sudden jolt loosened the fastenings which held the stove in position and pitched it forward into the lap of Mrs. Mabel Havowell, who, with her husband, were passengers, en route from Philadelphia to New York. The heavy weight struck the woman's foot, inflicting a painful contused wound. The police patrol was summoned and Mrs. Havowell was removed to the hospital, where she is now under treatment. The injury is not serious, and it is said she will be able to leave the hospital in a few days.

An official of the company who is investigating the accident remarked that he was unable to explain what caused the stove to upset. He said that these stoves were usually securely fastened and could not fall over unless a car was overturned. It was considered remarkable that the fire remained in the stove.

ANNA VALENTINA'S APPEAL.

It Will Be Heard and May Be Decided Today at Washington.

The appeal of Anna Valentina, under sentence of death in the county jail at Hackensack, for the murder of Rosa Salza at Lodi, will be heard today at Washington, D. C., before the United States Supreme Court. Attorney-General McCarter and Prosecutor Ernest Koester, who tried the case in the local courts, will represent the State at the hearing.

It is expected that Mrs. Valentina's fate will be known before the court adjourns today. Even the sympathizers with Mrs. Valentina have little hope of a decision favorable to her. She herself has ever been willing and ready to die upon the gallows.

MORE ICE HARVESTED.

Natural Ice Co. and J. H. Tier Had Men Working Yesterday.

More ice was harvested by the Natural Ice Company and J. H. Tier yesterday. Their men worked all day and part of the night.

The ice was of good quality, between eight and nine inches thick. The Natural Ice Company, which harvests at Watchung, has gathered about half a crop.

Witnessed Championship Shoot.

Henry Vosseler, of the borough, has returned from a Western business trip in the interests of the Peters Cartridge Company. Mr. Vosseler, when in Grand Rapids, had the good fortune to see W. A. Tewes, the rifle expert, of New York, win the championship of the United States by scoring 2,481 points out of a possible 2,500. Tewes was the winner of the Wimbleton cup at the State military match at Sea Girt last August, and is well known in this city.

Explanation For Taxpayers.

County School Superintendent H. B. Willis, of New Brunswick, will address a public meeting at Dunellen February 26, to explain why the borough school board must give pupils who so desire a high school course four years long, and to approve the action of the board in arranging for the tuition of such pupils at the Plainfield High School. The meeting is designed to make the law plain to the taxpayers, some of whom do not understand it.

—Word has been received from Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, of East Second street, from El Paso, Texas, telling of her pleasant journey and safe arrival there on Friday morning last.

American Steam Laundry

H. W. Marshall, Proprietor

122 East Front Street

Lace Curtains from 40 cents per pair up. We handle them carefully and return promptly.

Collars and Cuffs 2 cents each.

Our wagons are painted GREEN.

REMEDIES FOR SALOONS

Clergymen of Union and other Counties to Hold Meeting at Newark Friday.

PLANS ARE OUTLINED

Vicar General Sheppard Argues in Favor of High License—The "Side Door" Evil Explained.

Catholic clergymen who are stirring up public sentiment throughout the State in favor of making radical changes in the excise laws will hold a meeting in the school hall of St. Patrick's Cathedral, in Newark, next Friday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. All the rectors of the Roman Catholic churches in Essex, Hudson, Sussex, Morris, Passaic and Union counties will convene at the request of Bishop O'Connor, and other prominent clergymen of other denominations will be invited to attend by Bishop Iines, of the Episcopal Diocese of Newark.

Vicar General John A. Sheppard, when seen by a reporter at the rectory of St. Michael's Roman Catholic church, Jersey City, last night, said in relation to the proposed excise legislation: "Our bill has been prepared and will probably be introduced in the Senate on Monday or Tuesday. We think we have been fair and just to all. Clergymen of every denomination, citizens irrespective of parties, brewers and liquor dealers alike, admit there are many abuses as the business is at present conducted. The only difficulty to contend with is how to better conditions. We have asked for $500 a year license fee as a minimum because we find in larger cities of New Jersey we have more saloons per capita than in any part of the Union, which we pay the lowest license for. Jersey City, Newark and Trenton have a saloon to about every 200 population. That is one to every forty or fifty voters. Hoboken has one saloon to every thirty-five or forty voters.

"By raising the license we hope to diminish the number of saloons and so cut out some of the low resorts. We have asked that both property owners and the individuals carrying on business be licensed, so that the landlord may be interested in the character of the tenant who keeps the saloon or suffer the consequences of not seeing his property licensed for a year.

"There is no man who does not wish to see minors refrain from the drink habit and stop lounging around the corner wine shop; hence our insertion concerning those not of age, so that the youth of the State may be guarded and become good citizens.

"The greatest of our abuses is the side door and back rooms of the saloons. They have become, in many places, veritable feeders of the immoralities that call for houses of refuge. No one can tell how many a decent man's child has gone down the road to ruin from this cause alone.

"To take a drink is not criminal. Why, therefore, should any man who wishes to treat himself or his friends oppose the taking down of all curtains, screens, etc., that are obstructions to the view of passersby?

"Today gaudy, flashy and sometimes indecent pictures are placed in the windows of saloons, that ought to be thrown into the fire. Decent saloonkeepers say that they do not object to the removal of these screens. They are not ashamed of their places of business. Why, then, not do away with them and prevent the degradation and the disgrace that have come to many an honorable family on this account?

"A few policy shops may suffer and we do not believe any one, not excepting the patrons, will have much sympathy for them."

Vicar General Sheppard then announced that there will be another meeting of the clergymen who are working hard to secure the passage of the proposed excise bill, in the school hall of the Catholic Cathedral in Newark next Friday.

"We intend," he said, "to create public opinion by having meetings such as we had in Trenton. At the Newark meeting we hope to take such action and present such resolutions as will appeal to every citizen of the State.

"We do not wish to interfere with the liberty of any man. One man's liberty should not be another man's nuisance. We are a state or a city or a town for the common good of all. And recognizing this principle there is no danger of intrenching on any individual's right. This maxim I believe to be axiomatic and needs no proof, nor is it questioned by intelligent, law-abiding and God-fearing citizens."

All-Day Meeting of Women.

The all-day meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will begin at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. At 11 o'clock interesting papers will be read on "Mormonism," and at 12:30 o'clock there will be a basket luncheon. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a business session will be held. The sewing will be for the Day Nursery, the new charity recently opened by the City Union, King's Daughters.

THE Great Alteration Sale!

is rapidly drawing to a close, but we still have many lots of dependable housefurnishing goods to close out rather than move them. This is really a chance of a lifetime. At the prices we are disposing of this big stock, it will pay you to provide for your wants for a long time to come.

DINNER SETS.

Full 100-piece, plain print sets, neat decorations, reg. 9.50, sale. 6.98
Full 100-piece sets, floral decorations, with gold edge, reg. 12.50; sale 9.98

TEA KETTLES.
Solid Copper, Nickel Plated.

No. 6 size, reg. price 89c, sale.. 69c
No. 7 size, reg. price 98c, sale.. 79c
No. 8 size, reg. price 1.10, sale.. 89c
No. 9 size, reg. price 1.25, sale.. 99c

GALVANIZED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

ASH CANS, WITH COVERS.
Regular price 1.48, sale 98c

SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

NICKEL ALARM CLOCKS.
Regular price 89c, sale 69c

MRS. POTTS' IRONS.
Regular price 98c, sale 69c

YELLOW PIE PLATES.
Square Shape.
Regular price 10c, sale 5c

ROSETTE IRONS.
Regular 50c, sale 38c
With a set of these Irons you can make 40 wafers, suitable for all kinds of dessert, at a cost of 10c.

CLOTHES BASKETS.
Made of good quality willow.

	Reg.	Sale
Small size	49c	39c
Medium size	59c	49c
Large size	78c	59c
Extra Large size	98c	69c

BISSELL'S CARPET SWEEPERS.
The 2.00 kind for 1.69
The 1.25 kind for 98c

FANCY SCRAP BASKETS.
Importer's Samples.
Regular 25c Baskets for 19c
Regular 50c Baskets for 29c
Regular 75c Baskets for 39c
Regular 98c Baskets for 49c

GRAY ENAMELED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
Twin Match Safes	10c	6c
Handy Tea Strainers	10c	6c
Wash Basins	35c	15c
Dish Pans	59c	29c
Stew Kettles	35c	19c
Sauce Pans	35c	19c

WAFFLE IRONS.
New Heart-shaped kind.
Regular price 1.00, sale 69c

A LAMP BARGAIN.
Nickel plated central draft Lamps. Complete with embossed dome shade, chimney and tripod.
Regular price 1.98, sale 1.50

SALAD SETS.
Consisting of a large dish and six small ones to match, regular 98c, sale 49c

SPICE SETS.
Six small cans, with a handled tray, regular 25c, sale 17c

COLUMBIA FAMILY SCALES.
Regular price 1.25, sale 95c

TOILET JARS, WITH COVERS.
Enameled white, with gold lines.
Regular price 48c, sale 35c

FOOT BATH TUBS.
Enameled inside and out.
Regular price 39c, sale 25c

THE QUAKER DUST PAN.
With heavy edge, which prevents bending up.
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The "No Sag" kind, with anti-rust pins.
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Regular price 25c, sale 17c

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The self basting kind.
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Extra Heavy Polished, long and short handled Dippers and Six-quart Flaring Pails.
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Regular price 4.98, sale 3.98
Regular price 2.98, sale 2.50

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WOODHULL & MARTIN.

Executor's Sale
OF
Valuable Real Estate

to close the estate of the late **William McD. Coriell**, will be held at **public auction** on

Thursday, March 1, 1906

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon beginning **on the premises, No. 201 Clinton Avenue**, Plainfield, N. J.

The first property to be sold is the **Homestead property** at the corner of Clinton Avenue and South Second Street, having a frontage of about 700 feet on South Second Street by about 425 feet on Clinton Avenue and about 650 feet on West Third Street. Large house and barn in good condition.

The second property is on the **west corner of West Front Street and Clinton Avenue**, (No. 1304 West Front Street) having a frontage of 140 feet on West Front Street and 200 feet on Clinton Avenue, with house and barn, and will be sold on the premises.

The next to be sold is the **three vacant lots** in the rear of the last mentioned property, 40 feet front on Clinton Avenue and about 143 feet deep. Each lot will be sold separately.

The last property to be sold is the **house and lot** known as 1254 Milton Place, containing about 1¼ acres of land and will be sold at the corner of Clinton Avenue and West Front Street, after the sale of the other properties.

Terms—10 per cent. cash when property is struck off; balance on delivery of deed in cash or half cash and half purchase money 5 per cent. mortgage at the option of the purchaser.

For further particulars inquire at No. 211 West Fifth Street of

B. FRANK CORIELL,
Executor.

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Y.M.C.A. COURSE

Thursday, Feb. 22, 8 p. m.
A Rogers-Grilley Recital.
Van Veachton Rogers, Harpist.
Charles T. Grilley, Entertainer.
Admission ..... 35 cents
Reserved Seat ..... 50 cents
Diagram at Hodge's Pharmacy.
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FOR SALE

at a bargain, on easy terms, the
Ten-room Frame Dwelling
newly painted, 1040 Arlington avenue, near Randolph avenue, trolley passing the door. Lot 60x144, and frame barn in rear. Particulars by
P. J. & W. H. RYAN,
205 Broad St., Elizabeth, N. J.
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Joseph McMahon, of Jersey City, was the guest of relatives in Plainfield over Sunday.

W. Seventh St. and Arlington Avenue.

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Restaurant
New Management
Superior facilities for Private Lunch, Dinner, and Theatre Parties. Unexcelled cuisine.
Mrs. "Freida" Collens in charge
Patronage solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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Interest at the rate of
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NOTICE.

All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1st, and all persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk before February 22nd

After March 1st no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY,
Chief of Police.

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Mr. Clifford J. Werner
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in new and up-to-date songs.

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You may not need it yourself.
But it is handy to give someone else.

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Furniture and Bedding Sale

We are receiving large shipments of Furniture every day and will place it on sale at most reasonable prices as you will see by comparison.

Beds and Bedding.

We can show as large and complete lines of enamel Beds and Mattresses as you would care to see, and all good reliable makes, too. Our prices for this sale will convince you that we can sell you Furniture and Bedding as reasonable as we do our Carpets, Rugs and Shades.

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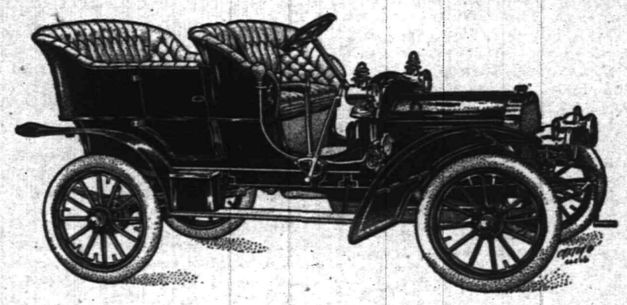

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$2,250, $3,500
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$750, $950, $2,500
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Don't have wet feet when you can buy Rubber Goods at prices quoted below.

Men's Storm King Boots, regular 4.00, now	$3.25
Men's Short Boots	2.25
Men's Felt Boots, 1 buckle	1.85
Boys' Felt Boots, sizes 3 to 6	1.50
Youths' Felt Boots, sizes 11 to 2	1.25
Youths' Storm King Boots, sizes 11 to 2	2.00
Men's Arctics, sizes 6 to 11	1.00
Boys' Arctics, sizes 3 to 6	85c
Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	75c
Child's Arctics, sizes 6 to 10½	59c
Men's Rubbers sizes 8 to 11	55c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers	40c
Ladies' Low Rubbers	35c

WATCH OUR BARGAIN COUNTERS.

M. ABRAMS, 229-233 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

GAME FAST INCREASING

According to Report of New Jersey Fish and Game Commissioners.

STOCKING OF WATERS

Eighty-three Deer Liberated in South Jersey—Prosecutions for Violations.

According to the annual report of the State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners, just out of the hands of the printer, game of all sorts is more plentiful in New Jersey than in many years, and steps have been taken to insure a steady increase. Game Warden Hawkins and his associates throughout the State have been very busy this fall and will not be through with their labors for two weeks to come.

The stocking of waters and fields has been engaged in to a somewhat larger extent than heretofore, and the game refuge experiment begun last year at Oradell, Bergen county, has proven a great success. Mongolian pheasants hove been propagated with ease, and it is believed that enough of them can be obtained there to stock other parts of the State at a relatively small expense. Considering the results, the commissioners dee mthe refuges inexpensive and recommend the establishments of more in this State, the commissioners being authorized to lease or purchase tracts of land for the purpose.

Eighty-three deer have been liberated in nine of the southern counties, and the number is now increasing rapidly. Reports have been received that sixteen deer have recently been seen in one herd near Barnegat, Ocean county, and twenty were seen in a field in the same county. Numerous does with fawns have been sighted in other counties. The extension of the closed period for two years from next April, when the present closed season expires, is recommended in order to assure deer in plenty for the State. The commission holds that if such legislation is not secured there is danger that their work will have been in a great degree useless.

Over 8,000 quail purchased and liberated last spring have propagated well, and the birds are much more numerous than they have been for years.

The introduction of wall-eyed pike, channel catfish, caico bass and crappies has been successfully accomplished. Wall-eyed pike brought from Lake Erie several years ago have multiplied and appeared in large numbers in lakes in the northern part of the State. During the past summer large catches have been made at Greenwood Lake and Lake Hopatcong almost every day, the size being from two to four pounds. Some weighing six and a half pounds were taken.

Twenty-five thousand seven hundred and fifty brook trout were purchased and placed in the most suitable streams in the northern part of the State in the fall and winter of 1904-5, and the commission has been working to place 40,000 additional since last fall. When released the trout are four or five inches in length and in good healthy condition.

New Jersey has not fish hatcheries and must purchase its supply of game fish from other States or depend upon the Delaware and Raritan canal to stock the lakes within its borders.

Owing to the severe cold weather of the first three months of last year it was found impossible to get the usual supply of black bass from the Delaware and Raritan canal, that waterway having been frozen almost to the bottom from the day traffic was closed. Pickerel, perch and catfish were taken from ponds and streams, and several thousand catfish and bait fish were taken from old cranberry bogs in the southern part of the State. By this method 475 black bass, 2,675 perch, 2,490 pickerel, 25 crappies, 11,600 catfish, and 6,600 bait fish were secured and placed in the larger lakes and streams best adapted for them.

During the past year there were 294 prosecutions for violation of the fish and game laws, 286 convictions, 6 acquittals, one complaint withdrawn and one case still pending. The aggregate of fines imposed was $8,535.45. Of this sum $2,845.15 was received by the department, the balance being retained by the officers making the complaint and the witnesses furnishing evidence to secure a conviction.

Pomlo Bitters

create an appetite and aid indigestion. It is one of the best known tonics for strengthening the system after sickness, grip, etc. Nursing mothers will find it an ideal Galactagogue.

Try a bottle today—it will restore vigor and strength.

Prices per Bottle

25c and 90c

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The City Pharmacy,
143 West Front St.

THREE HURT IN RUNAWAY NEAR BERNARDSVILLE.

Somerville Lawyer, Young Woman Stenographer and Driver Badly Cut Up by the Mishap.

Somerville, Feb. 19.—A. L. Beekman, a lawyer of this place; Miss Nellie Flaherty, his stenographer, and Thomas Donahue, a driver, were injured in a runaway accident on the road between this place and Bernardsville Thursday night. Mr. Beekman, who had been trying a case in a court at Bernardsville, started in a closed carriage for a fifteen-mile drive to this place after dark.

While on a steep incline one mile west of Bernardsville, Donahue, the driver, dropped a rein, and his team, unrestrained, started on a wild run down the hill. Donahue, who has an artificial leg, was unable to climb on the backs of his team to recover the rein. Mr. Beekman, in attempting to swing himself from the carriage step to the back of the horses, while they were running at full speed, fell under the carriage and the wheels passed over his leg.

A minute later Miss Flaherty made a flying leap from the carriage and fell, badly cut and bleeding, in the road. A short distance further up the road Donahue was thrown from his box under the horses' heels and run over by the carriage. Mr. Beekman's leg was injured and he was cut about the hands, but he was soon on his feet caring for the injured.

Just as the lawyer was about to go to a farm house some distance away for help, Dr. Jones, of Bernardsville, happened along the road. Dr. Jones removed the injured people to a farmhouse, where their injures were treated and they were sent here in another conveyance late Thursday night.

Donahue, the driver, is seriously injured; Miss Flaherty is badly cut about the head and face, but her injuries are not considered serious. The runaway team was caught five miles away, near Far Hills.

FINDS HIS WIFE ALL IN FLAMES.

Old Bridge Hotel-keeper Discovers Helpmate a Pillar of Fire.

South River, Feb. 19.—Mrs. John Weber, wife of the proprietor of the Middlesex Hotel at Old Bridge, was burned to death Friday in a fire that started from a mysterious origin and which the police will probably investigate. Her husband made frantic efforts to save her life and succeeded in putting out the flames only after she had been fatally burned. A doctor who was summoned could not save her life.

Early yesterday morning Weber was awakened by the crackling of flames. He was in a half suffocated condition, but managed to get wide-awake enough to realize that his bed was afire. He leaped from the bed, but did not see his wife. He turned his efforts at once to putting out the fire in the bed, and, though severely burned, succeeded.

Then Weber searched for his wife. On throwing open the door of the room next to his bedroom he saw his wife standing just inside the door, a veritable pillar of flame. She did not say a word, though the flames were buring her body. Weber, in a frenzy, tore off his wife's blazing garments.

By that time, however, Mrs. Weber was so terribly burned that the doctors could do nothing for her. She was about forty-five years old. Mr. Weber said that he knew of no way in which the fire could have possibly started.

CITY CUTS DOWN WIRES.

Workmen In Orange Remove Telephone Property from Trees.

Orange, Feb. 19.—Laborers of the Orange street department, assisted by linemen, descended Friday on wires of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company strung in violation of the law on shade trees. The Orange Common Council has given the company every opportunity to remove the wires and make other provision for its subscribers. Nothing was done, however, toward removing the wires except in one street, where the company took a few wires down and ran them along fences.

Alderman Edward Cheetham, chairman of the street committee of the Common Council, mapped out the work for Snyder, Park, Day, Elm, Hillyer and Clevelands streets, and good progress was made yesterday. The subscribers whose service has been interrupted are, of course, exceedingly indignant, but the city officials say the responsibility rests with the company, which is at liberty to do as much business as it wants to under the terms of its agreement with the city.

The linemen are cutting the wires, while the other men in the gang are rolling them up and stacking them in piles on the curb.

Mrs. Helen Huff and family, of 16 West End avenue, will move this week to Stebbins place.

Canned Fruits.

Golden Gate Cherries.
Golden Gate Peaches.
Hunts Canned Fruits.

Neuman Bros.
GROCERS.

Watchung Avenue and Fifth Street.

HONEST FARMER HELPS STEAL HIS OWN PIG FOR BENEFIT OF MIDNIGHT VISITOR

New Providence, Feb. 19—Edward Meeker, a farmer in this vicinity, is still piling maledictions upon the head of the "Nervy Nat" who not only stole his choice hog, but routed him out of bed to help capture it.

Meeker and his son, Edward, Jr., were sleeping peaceably the other night and about 12 o'clock were awakened by a loud knocking. The father hastily slipped on his shoes and trousers and went downstairs. He opened the door from which the sound came and was confronted by a stranger. "What do you want around here this time of night, waking everybody up? It's high time all decent folks should be in bed," said Meeker.

"I'm awfully sorry to disturb you," responded the man, with a smile, "but really it's necessary. I was driving from up the country to the market with a nice hog, so as to get there early in the morning. Just as I was passing your home he broke the box he was in, jumped out of the wagon and ran toward your barn. I didn't know what you might do if you saw me running around out there, and besides, I can't catch the beast alone. Can't you give me a hand?"

Meeker, who is a good-natured fellow, and is always willing to lend a helping hand, called his son, and the three started in search of the pig. After hunting about ten minutes they heard a grunt and looking in the direction of the sound saw the pig. Then began an exciting race. The three men chased poor pig for fully half an hour. At last they caught it and half carried, half dragged the hog, squealing and struggling, toward the wagon that stood in the road. Using all their strength and a rope, for the hog weighed almost 300 pounds, they succeeded in getting it int othe wagon. The stranger thanked the Meekers and drove off.

"I bet that hog is almost as big as ours," said the son to his father, as they went upstairs to bed. When morning came Edward, Jr., went out to clean the stables and feed the stock before his father was up. He was gone but a moment, when he came headlong into the house again. He rushed up into his father's room and began to talk most excitedly.

"Oh, Pop, the hog's gone! That fellow must be a bunco man. He came in to steal our pig and it got away from him and then he made us help him catch it."

Here the son began to say things. The father soon joined him. Mr. Meeker hos heard nothing further of his pig, nor has he been able to find any trace of the polite stranger who buncoed him.

Athletic Student Wins Class Honor.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 19.—Henry Atwater, of East Orange, whose athletic ability was recently recognized by his appointment as catch of the Cornell lacrosse team, has just received a scholastic recognition at Cornell. Every year the six seniors who have the hightest standing in the department of mechanical engineering are taken by one of the professors on an important testing trip. This year Professor H. Diedrichs and his party of students are to test the engines and boilers of the steamship Morro Castle of the Ward line, which runs between New York and Havana. They left today for a two weeks' trip, during which Atwater is to be detailed to surpervise the testing of the engines.

Allenhurst Clubhouse Sold.

Asbury Park, Feb. 19.—The Allenhurst Clubhouse and adjoining property, together with the furniture and personal property in the house, were sold Friday at sheriff's sale. The purchaser was William C. Frick, who represented Fred Gerken, of New York city. The property was sold subject to mortgages and claims aggregating $146,000, and was bought by Mr. Frick for $12,000. The new owner will convert the clubhouse into a summer and winter hotel.

—Daily Press want ads. pay

Auction

FRIDAY, FEB. 23, 1906,
at 10:00 a. m. sharp. Contents of house occupied by

MRS. M. M. COLLINS,
Martine Ave., Fanwood,

near station. Including elegant piano, parlor furniture, bronzes, etc., carved dining-room furniture, imported china, chamber suits, bedding, handsome rugs, immense library in sectional bookcases, of the latest pattern. Sale absolute.

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2 19 3 Auctioneer.

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Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, 211 Plainfield avenue, Tuesday, February 20, 1906, at 8:30 o'clock, and from St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock, where requiem high mass will be said for the repose of his soul. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

WOOD—At Mt. Bethel, Saturday, February 17, 1906, Mrs. Frances R. Wood, aged 76 years, 5 months.

Funeral service from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Etta Randolph, at Mt. Bethel, Tuesday, February 20, at 12 o'clock noon. Interment at Hillside cemetery, Plainfield, N. J.

LAING—In this city, February 18, 1906, William Laing, aged 53 years.

Funeral services from the residence of his niece, Mrs. E. A. Millard, 319 East Second street, Tuesday afternoon, February 20, at 3 o'clock, to which friends and relatives are invited.

BALL—In New York City, on Monday, February 19, 1906, Amelia, daughter of the late John and Ann Ball, of Somerville, N. J.

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VOLLMERS—On Saturday, Feb. 17, 1906, Adolph Vollmers, in his 44th year.

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German-American Central Alliance Conferees at Trenton Against Prosposed Acts.

Trenton, Feb. 19.—To protest against the enactment of the local option and proposed high license bills, and the "fanatical enforcement of the local excise ordinances," was the object of the mass meeting here Thursday night under the auspices of the local branch of the German-American Central Alliance.

Colonel E. C. Stahl, as president of the alliance, presided over the meeting, which was attended by more than 500 persons. The list of speakers included Germans prominent throughout the State.

At a recent meeting held by the alliance a committee was appointed to draw up resolutions expressing the sentiments of the alliance.

The resolutions were submitted Thursday night, and were adopted amid loud applause. The committee was composed of Gottlieb Kohler, Charles Goldenbaum and Frederick Huber, of Princeton.

The speakers included former Mayor Adolph Lankering, of Hoboken; Adolph Mathieson, of Hoboken, president of the State organization; Rudolph Deutl, of Jersey City; Frederick Huber, of Princeton; Otto Schaler, of Trenton.

The alliance in this city represents 39 German societies, having 1,542 members. There are over 22,000 members in the State organization.

BOY LOSES $30,400.

Bank Messenger Reports Loss of Package Containing Cash.

New York, Feb. 19.—The loss of $30,400 in cash, checks and notes was reported to the Brooklyn police yesterday by Frederick J. Ennis, a seventeen year old bank messenger. The boy said he lost the money Thursday while carrying it from the Mechanic's Bank, Brooklyn, for which he works, to the Ridgewood Bank. The money was in a parcel in his inside coat pocket, according to the messenger's statement to the police, and apparently dropped from his pocket to the sidewalk. He said that while still a short distance from the bank where he intended to deliver the money he felt of his pocket and assured himself that the package was safe. When next he examined the pocket at the Ridgewood Bank the money was gone.

The amount reported lost includes $24,000 in promissory notes, a check for $6,000 drawn by the Jenkins Trust Company to the order of the Ridgewood Bank and $400 in cash.

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His arm grew tense around her waist.

"Do you know what was running through my mind at the embassy last night? I was thinking how deeply I love this great wide country of mine. As I looked at the ambassador and his aides, I was saying to myself, 'You dare not!' It may have been silly, but I couldn't help it. We are the greatest people in the world. When I compared foreign soldiers with our own, how my heart and pride swelled! No formalities, no race prejudice, no false pride. I was never introduced to a foreign officer that I did not fear him, with his weak eyes, his affected mannerisms, his studied rudeness, not to me, but the country I represented. How I made some of them dance! Not for vanity's sake; rather the inborn patriotism of my race. I had only to think of my father, his honorable scars, his contempt for little things, his courage, his steadfastness, his love for his country, which has so honored him with its trust. Oh! I am a patriot; and I shall never, never marry a man whose love for his country does not equal my own." She caught up her father's mutilated hand and kissed it. "And even now this father of mine is planning and planning to safeguard his country."

"But you must not say anything to a soul, my child; it must be a secret till all is ready. I met Karloff to-day at the club. He has promised to dine with us to-morrow night."

"Make him postpone it. I have promised to dine with Nancy Warburton."

"You had better dine with us and spend the evening with your friend. Do you not think him a handsome fellow?"

"He is charming." She touched the bowl of poppies with her fingers and smiled.

"He is very wealthy, too."

Betty offered no comment.

"What did they do to that infernal rascal who attempted to run away with you and Mrs. Chadwick?"

"He was arrested and locked up."

"I hope they will keep him there. And what reason did he give the police for attempting to run away with you?"

"He said that he had made a wager with some serving-maids to drive them from the embassy. He claims to have got the wrong number and the wrong carriage."

"A very likely story!"

"Yes, a very likely story!"—and Betty, still smiling, passed on into the music-room, where she took her violin from its case and played some rollicking measures from Offenbach.

At the same time her father arose and went out on the lawn, where he walked up and down, with a long, quick stride. From time to time a wailing note from the violin floated out to him, and he would stop and raise his haggard face toward heaven. His face was no longer masked in smiles; it was grief-stricken, self-abhorring. At length he softly crossed the lawn and stood before the music-room window. Ah, no fretting care sat on yonder face, nor pain, nor trouble; youth, only youth and some pleasant thought which the music had aroused. How like her mother! How like her mother!

Suddenly he smote himself on the brow with a clenched hand. "Wretch! God-forsaken wretch, how have you kept your trust? And how yonder child has stabbed you! My country! . . . My honor! . . . My courage and steadfastness! Mockery!"

CHAPTER XI.

THE FIRST RIDE.

The next morning Warburton was shown into a neat six-by-eight, just off the carriage-room. There was a cot, running water and a washstand, and a boot-blacking apparatus. For the rest there were a few portraits of fast horses, fighters, and toe-dancers (the adjective qualifying all three!) which the senator's sporting groom had collected and tacked to the walls. For appearance's sake, Mr. James had purchased a cheap trunk. Everything inside was new, too. His silver military brushes, his silver shaving set, and so forth and so forth, were in charge of a safe-deposit storage company, alongside some one's family jewels. The only incriminating things he retained were his signet-ring and his Swiss timepiece.

"Have you had your breakfast, sir?" asked William, the stable-boy.

"Yes, my lad. Now, as Miss Annesley has forgotten it, perhaps you will tell me of just what my duties here will consist."

"You harness, ride and drive, sir, and take care of the metals. I clean the leathers and carriages, exercise the horses and keep their hides shiny. If anything is purchased, sir, we shall have to depend upon your judgment. Are you given to cussing?"

"Cussing?" repeated Warburton.

"Yes, sir. Miss Annesley won't stand for it around the stables. The man before you, sir, could cuss most beautifully; and I think that's why he was fired. At least, it was one reason."

Warburton smoothed his twitching mouth. "Don't you worry, William; it's against my religion to use profane

William winked, there was an answering wink, and the two became friends from that moment on.

"I'll bet you didn't say a thing to Pirate, yesterday, when he bolted over the wall with you."

"Well, I believe I did address a few remarks to Pirate which would not sound well on dress-parade; but so long as it wasn't within hearing distance, William, I suppose it doesn't matter."

"No, sir; I suppose not."

"Now, what kind of a master is the colonel?" asked Warburton strapping on his English leggins.

"Well, it's hard to say just now. You see, I've been with the family ever since I was six. The colonel used to be the best fellow I ever knew. Always looking out for your comfort, never an undeserved harsh word, and always a smile when you pleased him. But he's changed in the last two years."

"How?"

"He doesn't take any interest in the things he used to. He goes about as if he had something on his mind; kind of absent-minded, you know; and forgets to-morrow what he says to-day. He always puts on a good face, though, when Miss Betty is around."

"Ah. What night do I have off?"—of a mind that a question like this would sound eminently professional in William's ears.

"Sunday, possibly; it all depends on Miss Annesley, sir. In Virginia nearly every night was ours. Here it's different." William hurriedly pulled on his rubber boots and gloves, grabbed up the carriage sponges, and vanished.

Warburton sat on the edge of the cot and laughed silently. All this was very amusing. Had any man, since the beginning of time, found himself in a like position? He doubted it. And he was to be butler besides! It would be something to remember in his old age. Yet, once or twice the pins of his conscience pricked him. He wasn't treating Nancy just right. He didn't want her to cry over his gracelessness; he didn't want her to think that he was heartless. But what could he do? He stood too deeply committed.

(CONTINUED.)

Harriman, Duluth to New Orleans.

Duluth, Minn., Feb. 19.—It is reported on seemingly reliable authority that the Duluth, St. Cloud, Glencoe & Mankatee Railway Company has passed into the control of the Harriman interests and that the Illinois Central road will operate the line when it is completed. It is further said that the road will be built through to Duluth, making direct connection between the head of the lakes and the Gulf of Mexico, forming a trunk line with no single competitor.

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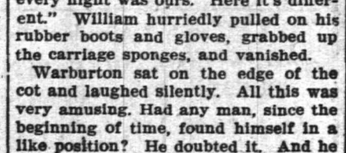

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For Newark—5.35, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.48, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.34, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.12, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.32, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 2.17, 3.36, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.35, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.33, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.32, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

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GOVERNOR ON CHARITIES.

Tells Convention That New Jersey Has Now Invested $12,000,000.

Governor Stokes made a remarkable speech before the State Charities and Corrections convention at Newark Thursday night. He spoke on the State penal and charitable institutions and said:

"A Roman emperor is quoted as saying that anything for the betterment of humanity was of interest to him. An organization that has as its leading motive the improvement and elevation of the weak and dependent members of society should be welcomed as a most useful adjunct to the State government. A hearty welcome should await the men and the women who give their time and their talents to the improving of the conditions of the dependents, of the sick, the poor, the erring. I felt so strongly the importance of the work of the State in this line that I recommended in my inaugural the creation of a State department to supervise the State's work in the way of charities and corrections, to systematize its various efforts and to bring the various agents engaged therein in closer association and intercourse.

"For that department I have neither apology nor praise. Apology is unnecessary and praise would be a meager reward for the splendid results the new department has accomplished. The commissioner has so clearly demonstrated its great possibilities for usefulness and reform that I think the public will welcome an increase of the powers of the department commensurate with its possibilities for good.

"In the performance of this necessary duty, State jurisdiction should not be limited to its own institutions. Where it financially aids in the work of charities and correction, though that work may be directly under county control, as in the case of county asylums, the State has the right to know that its moneys are properly expended, and that these institutions maintain a certain standard of excellence. I would give the commissioner of charities and corrections the power to withhold payment of State funds from all local institutions which are not properly carrying on the work for which they are designed.

"County insane asylums have their proper place. I believe it would be wise to let them have the custody of incurable cases. The patients could there be comfortably housed, as in State institutions, and could be nearer their homes and their friends. The danger in the theory of giving the acute cases to the State institution and the chronic cases to local institutions lies in the fact that the latter might degenerate into almshouses. Such a provision as I have suggested would prevent this danger, and would compel local institutions to maintain a proper standard.

"The State has already invested $12,000,000 in institutions for dependents and criminals, and expends $1,400,000 annually in this work, or thirty per cent. of the total outlay. It spends $30 for charities and corrections to $6.50 for education, $7 for militia, $6 for public roads, $5.50 for courts of justice, $2.50 for its veterans and $1.20 for agriculture. So, you see, we spend more for the dependent and wayward than for all these other things enumerated combined. Certainly no one can charge the State of New Jersey with inhumanity.

"Now, why does the State look so carefully after its epileptics, its blind, its insane, its wayward- The care of the dependents—the weak, the abnormal members of society—cannot be attained by municipalities, acting each for itself. The State falls heir by social evolution to the care of dependents who have outgrown the limits of municipal control."

PRAISE FOR UNION COUNTY COURTHOUSE.

Delegation from Passaic County Inspects the Building at Elizabeth.

A delegation of officials from Passaic county, including Judge Zabriskie, ex-prosecutor of the Pleas Stagg and members of the Passaic Bar Association went to Elizabeth Friday afternoon to inspect the courthouse building, to obtain ideas for a like building in their own county.

The visitors, who were escorted through the courthouse by County Collector Wood and former Freeholders Farrell and Brucklacher, were shown every part of the building. They declared that it was just what was wanted in Passaic. They were surprised at the moderate cost of the structure and declared that Passaic county would order the erection of its duplicate at once if it could be put up at a like price. They say that they had inspected several other courthouses, including the one recently erected at Paterson, and in their opinion the one in Elizabeth in its main points excelled them all.

Jersey City Wants No More Saloons.

Jersey City, Feb. 19.—The Excise Board Thursday night refused to grant any more new licenses and turned down three applications. The commissioners stated that they considered that there are enough saloons in this city. There was some talk in the city hall yesterday that the Excise Board had taken the step because of the movement of the clergymen of the State, and particularly in this city, to regulate the liquor traffic and restrict the number of saloons.

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GOOD REPORTS MADE IN SUNDAY-SCHOOL

TRINITY'S SCHOOL HAS A MEMBERSHIP OF EIGHT-HUNDRED AND SIX.

At the close of the Sunday-school session in Trinity Reformed church, yesterday afternoon, the annual reports of the secretary, E. H. Bird; treasurer, H. E. Gayle, and the librarian, H. C. VanEmburgh, were presented. These showed the school to be in a most flourishing condition and the work of the past year was gratifying to all.

The treasurer's report showed the receipts to be $799.26 and the expenditures $504.56, leaving a balance of $294.70. The building fund account showed the receipts to be $66.82.

Secretary Bird's report showed the present membership to be 806, an increase of forty-seven over last year, divided as follows: Officers and assistants, 14; teachers, 40; home department, 208; Bible classes, 169; main school, 126; junior department, 59; primary, 137; beginners' department, 53. The average attendance is as follows: Officers, 8; teachers, 32; Bible classes, 67; main department, 78; junior department, 47; primary and beginners' departments, 109; visitors, 5; total, 339. This surpasses the average attendance of last year by fourteen.

The largest attendance during the year was on Sunday, March 26, when the twenty-fifth anniversary of the school was observed. There were 471 persons present that day. The smallest attendance, 90, was on September 3, a very stormy Sunday. One gratifying feature is the fact that there is no deficit, but a substantial balance in the treasury.

ARRAIGNS POLITICAL BOSSES.

Alden Freeman Publishing a Book About Reform Work.

Alden Freeman, the East Orange reformer, is publishing a book based on his personal experiences in reform work and dedicated to the late Henry G. Atwater, of East Orange.

The book is embellished by cartoons drawn by leading cartoonists, and in the text Mr. Freeman has not allowed himself to be governed by fear of libel suits.

He deals in plain language with the Legislature, and those who have seen the sheets already off the press say the book is the strongest arraignment of the political powers in New Jersey that has yet been printed.

Sued for Breach of Promise.

New Brunswick, Feb. 19.—Alleging that his desertion has broken her heart, turned her hair gray and ruined her happiness, Miss Lydia A. Green, of 2436 North Park avenue, Philadelphia, has entered suit for $10,000 for breach of promise against Henry L. McNabb, of Bound Brook. Miss Green brought suit on Thursday and McNabb is under $800 bail to appear in court. Miss Green says tearfully that she does not want to marry her recreant fiance now. All she wants is to punish him for all that he has made her suffer. He was attentive to her for a long period, she says, and their engagement was announced in March, 1904. The wedding day was set once and then the prospective groom had it postponed.

Tinkering the Rail Rate Bill.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The Senate Interstate Commerce Committee has adjourned until next Thursday, with the understanding that votes on important amendments will be taken the next day. Two amendments to the railroad rate bill were adopted Friday, one increasing the number of interestate commerce commissioners to nine and the other fixing the liabilities of railroads in cases of negligence. The vote on all important amendments to the railroad rate bill was postponed in order to give Senators Cullom and Tillman a chance to be present. The former is in Florida and the latter is ill, threatened with pneumonia.

Yale Captain Spoke.

Richard C. Morse, captain of the Yale 'varsity crew, addressed the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday. He spoke on resistance to temptation and worldliness. W. C. Leek sang. E. H. Guest played the cornet. R. L. Lovell, a Yale undergraduate, of this city, led in prayer.

Charles Wakefield Seriously Ill.

Charles Wakefield, of Somerset place, is seriously ill with dropsy. He is being attended by his mother, who is past ninety years of age.

MISSIONARY SERVICES.

Interesting Addresses Both Morning and Night at Grace M. E. Church.

Both morning and evening services at Grace M. E. church yesterday were devoted to talks on missions. In the morning Dr. A. B. Leonard, of New York, general secretary of the Methodist Board of Missions, spoke of the work that is being carried on and in the evening he made a further address. There were two other speakers at the latter service, Dr. H. K. Carroll and Prof. M. W. K. Heicker, both of whom spoke interestingly. Prof. Heicker, who is now teaching in the borough school, has been appointed missionary to Japan and will leave for the field next summer.

At the morning service a solo was rendered by Miss Winifred Carroll, and in the evening Dyckman Winckler contributed a violin selection.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The annual business meeting of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will be held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Carrie M. Baker, Mrs. Orrie P. Baker and William F. Doane were baptized at the Park Avenue Baptist church last night, and Miss Martha W. Wagner was received into membership on experience.

The Women's Home Missionary societies of all the churches of the city will unite in a service of prayer for home missions in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Churchmen to Discuss Saloons.

There will be a meeting of the clergymen of all denominations next Friday afternoon in the school hall of St. Patrick's Cathedral, at Newark, at which action concerning the proposed legislation to wipe out many of the saloons throughout the State will be taken. Every Catholic priest throughout the northern section of the State has been requested by Bishop John J. O'Connor, of the Newark Diocese, to be present, and a similar request has been made to all the clergymen in the Episcopal Church by Bishop Edwin S. Lines, of Newark.

Fight Spectators.

Prosecutor Berdine, of Middlesex county, is endeavoring to get as complete a list as possible of the people who were in attendance at the Griffo-Hennessey fight at Amazon Hall on Tuesday night with a view of summoning them before the Grand Jury to tell about the fight. He does not intend to let such a gory exhibition as took place Tuesday night pass unchallenged. If the Prosecutor carries out this plan there are going to be a lot of surprises in town, as some men who would not like to have their names appear in print in connection with a prize fight were on hand.

To Build Big Theatre.

Atlantic City, Feb. 19.—A theatre to cost $1,000,000 and seat 2,500 people is protected by a syndicate in which New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Boston men are interested. The site has been secured on the Boardwalk and the architect employed to draw the design. The ground floor plan includes, besides the auditorium, stores facing the Boardwalk. It will not be in the trust.

May be a Member of 'Varsity Crew.

L. W. Gavett, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gavett, of West Fifth street, Cornell University, '08, is among those being considered as possibilities for the 'Varsity eight. Last year Gavett did good work in rowing and won distinction on several occasions. It is believed that he will surely be a member of this year's 'Varsity crew.

A Stubborn Chimney Fire.

A chimney fire at the home of W. W. Martin, of Park avenue, near Ninth street, gave the firemen from headquarters an hour's hard work Saturday night. Three extinguishers were required to kill the blaze. A still alarm called the men to the place.

Montague to Oppose Balfour.

London, Feb. 19.—L. S. Montague, son of Sir Samuel Montague, the well known banker, will be the Liberal Parliamentary candidate for the city of London against former Premier Balfour.

He Sassed An Officer.

Charged with disorderly conduct by sassing an officer, James Dennis was arraigned before Judge Runyon this morning, by Patrolman Myers. He was fined $5.

Fred Emmel, formerly of Plainfield and now a medical student in New York city, spent Sunday at the home of his uncle, Reuben Knox, of Rockview avenue.

MILITIA FAIR OPENS; BIG CROWD ATTENDS

COMPANY K'S ANNUAL ENTERPRISE PROMISES TO BE A GREAT SUCCESS.

Company K's annual fair opened in the armory Saturday night, under the most favorable auspices. The Saturday night holiday spirit brought out a big crowd, and everybody in it had a good time.

The booths were well patronized. They are prettily decorated, the national colors figuring largely in the effect.

The fancy table is in the care of Mrs. A. L. Tranchand, Miss Edith Kreutzfeldt, Miss Helen Apgar and Miss Florence Bilyeu; candy booth, Miss Bertha Frazee and Miss Gertrude Geier; ice cream, Harry Manning.

Music and dancing will be features of the fair nightly. Saturday night illustrated songs were sung by C. J. Werner and Edward A. Meeker, composers and authors, and selections were rendered by the Elite Quartette, composed of Arthur Williams, Clarence Evans, Meeker and Werner. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights George Offerman, a popular composer and singer, will be one of the attractions.

The floor committee is made up of Lieuts. Kitchell and Lewis, and Privates Vail, Petersen and Slingland. The decoration committee is composed of Sgt. Pearson, Privates Ferris and James Pearsall. Sgt. Apgar is chairman of the donation committee. The general committee work was directed by Corp. A. L. Tranchaud, Corp. James Conkling and Privates French, Thompson and Lambert.

BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Attendance Double What it Was a Year Ago.

The present year, it is said, has exceeded all previous ones in the history of the Plainfield Business College and Technical Institute. The attendance has been doubled and the prospects for the coming year are reported to be better than ever. The immediate results produced by thorough re-organization, new courses added, equipment and a large staff of able instructors, it is declared, have secured so firm a hold on the confidence of the people within a wide radius of Plainfield, that it is realized to be unnecessary to send young men and women to distant colleges to receive a business training.

It is possible to get a good business training at the institution. The telegraph department will soon have some young telegraphers ready for business. The excellent work of the mechanical drawing students, Samuel W. Fisk, instructor, is attracting the attention of machinists and others and the class is growing rapidly.

The business departments are running along with a large number of students, who are being taken into positions as fast as they can be prepared. The following have been placed in positions within the past two months: In New York—The Misses Ada M. Sharkey, Carolyn Koechlin, Catherine Wall, Lucy Herlich, H. Rafferty, Mary Carney, Janet B. Carter; in Plainfield—The Misses Effie M. Bailey, Fanny B. Ayers and Clyde D. Burgess.

Prof. Herr, principal and owner, says he proposes to raise his school to the highest standard that time, experience, money and integrity produce.

A Birthday Party.

Marjorie King Van Emburgh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Van Emburgh, of Richmond street, was two years old on Saturday and in the afternoon a delightful children's party was given in honor of the event. There were twelve little ones present with their mothers to spend a pleasant afternoon with the young celebrant, and they had a jolly time playing with toys. Later the company of children marched into the dining room, where refreshments were served. The table was attractively decorated in pink and white, while the birthday cake was a feature. In the center of it was placed two lighted candles. Little Marjorie was well remembered by her many friends and received a number of pretty and useful presents.

Arrested on Wife's Complaint.

James Hewitt, of the borough, was arrested Saturday night on a charge of disorderly conduct preferred by his wife. He was released on bail for a hearing tonight.

The Misses Shreve, of Island Heights, N. J., are visiting at the home of their uncle, B. J. Shreve, of Grove street.

ASK FOR LOCAL OPTION

Trinity Men's Association and First M. E. Brotherhood Endorse Bill.

PREPARING PETITIONS

Also Request Common Council Not to Increase Number of Rum Shops—Approve Zone Ordinance.

Following the lead of the Men's Club of the Congregational church, the Men's Association of Trinity Reformed church put itself on record yesterday as strongly in favor of the local option bill, and as strongly opposed to a liquor license for John Goff or any other man who might want one outside of the saloon zone ordinance. Petitions to the legislative committee in charge of the option bill and to the Common Council will be prepared.

The meeting was held after the morning service. The secretary presented a communication from the Congregational church, in which co-operative action in favor of the option bill and against new saloon licenses was requested.

Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, the pastor, spoke in favor of the bill briefly. Its one great point of superiority over the present law, he said, lay in the fact that it gave the people of any community the right to say whether liquor should or should not be sold. The present law put the power into the hands of excise commissioners, a council or a county judge.

The bill was read and a motion to endorse it was carried unanimously. By unanimous vote it was decided to prepare and send a petition requesting the passage of the measure to the committee in whose hands it rests. Another petition to the council, protesting against against a license for any place outside of the limits in the Tyler ordinance was also passed.

The petitions will be signed by all the members of the association. They number about eighty.

Following the morning service at the First M. E. church, yesterday, the Brotherhood met and voted to endorse the local option bill now before the Legislature and urge its passage. It also decided to petition the Common Council not increase the number of liquor licenses in this city and to have the "zone" ordinance, restricting saloons, remain in force.

A committee composed of Samuel Bingaman, William Symons and Fred Martin was appointed to draft the petitions and see that they are properly presented.

The Monroe Avenue M. E. church and the First Baptist church Men's clubs have already passed similar resolutions.

Missionary Conference.

An interdenominational missionary conference will be held at the Twenty-third Street building of the New York Y. M. C. A., on Thursday, Friday and Saturday and the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church has been invited to send delegates of young people. W. D. Murray and the missionary committee of the Young People's Society will furnish other information and programmes.

A Ceiling's Bad Habit.

For the second time this month a large portion of the ceiling fell in the dining-room of M. A. Rose's home at 325 Franklin place, last night, breaking pictures and bric-a-brac and otherwise doing considerable damage.

Planning Summer Cruise.

Howard V. Manning, of Grant avenue, is already making preparations for a week's cruise on Long Island during the coming summer. He expects to take a party of twelve West Enders. The trip will be made in a thirty foot sailing sloop.

WOOD IS REMEMBERING

Tells New Details of His Wanderings to S. S. Swackhamer.

JUNCTION, RED BANK

That Is Where He Got Off the Train—Clings to Little Black Man Delusion.

S. S. Swackhamer and George W. Bird visited George Wood, the murderer of George Williams, at the State prison in Trenton last week. Mr. Swackhamer, who was Wood's chief counsel, had a long talk with the convict about the murder.

Wood had some more recollections of his wanderings, before he came to himself after the crime. He remembered that the junction mentioned in the trial, the name of which he could not recollect at that time, where he and the mysterious Mac, Henry Wolff and the little black man left the train, was Red Bank. He says he walked from there along the road to some farmhouse, where he went, or was put to bed. Just before he lay down one of the men in the house pased his hand over the back of his spine and lost consciousness. He recovered in a few hours, but the man passed his hand over the nape of his neck again, and unconsciousness returned, to last for a day and a night.

He now has a recollection of a sleighride on his wanderings. At the trial he could not remember anything about a sleigh. The ride he remembers, and which he places in point of time about the day he left farmhouse—he has no exact recollection of how he got away from that place—was not in a single-seated sleigh, behind a black horse, like the Williams rig, but in a double-seated sleigh, with a team of snow white horses. The driver was an elderly man in a high hat. The little black man rode beside him on the rear seat.

Wood looks much the same as he did at the trial. His health seems to be good, but he complains of worriment over his complete lack of memory as to the murder or anything connected with it.

"If I could only remember something about it," he told Mr. Swackhamer, "so as to feel convinced that I was not here for something I did not do I would be satisfied."

He insisted, with his old positiveness, that the little black man was not an imaginary creature.

"The little black man directed every step of my journey," he said, "and made all arrangements. And he managed things properly; there was nothing queer or foolish about his directions."

Death of Mrs. Henry Bundy.

Mrs. Jane Ann Bundy, wife of Henry Bundy, colored, died yesterday at her home, 425 Elizabeth street, aged sixty-two years. Mrs. Bundy was a member of the Park Avenue Baptist church, from which place the funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Adolph Vollmers Dead.

Adolph Vollmers, aged forty-four years, died at his home, 1236 East Seventh street, Saturday night. The funeral services will be held from the late residence tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be in Hillside cemetery.

Rasores Club Meeting.

The Rasores Club meets at the home of Mrs. I. C. Pierson in Watchung avenue tomorrow morning.

—Neuman Brothers are quoting a special price on Hecker's Superlative and Pillsbury's Best flours. Don't miss this opportunity as it will last but a few days.

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One Night—Wednesday, Feb. 21.
"A Daughter of the Revolution"
With An All-Star Cast.
Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.

Thursday, Washington's Birthday Feb. 22nd
MATINEE AND NIGHT
Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World.
Prices—Matinee: 25c, 35c, 50c Night: 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

Friday, Feb. 23.
Robertson's Moving Pictures.
Prices—25c, 35c, 50c.

Saturday, Feb. 24—Matinee and Night.
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Prices—Matinee 25c, 35c; Night 25c, 35c; 50c, 75c.

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Blown Out of Building.

The explosion of an ammonia pipe in the works of the Orange Mountain Ice Company, at Fourteenth street and Helden place, on the line between Newark and East Orange last evening, blew a big hole in one side of the building through which Frank Popp, of No. 71 Stirling street, East Orange, and James Monohan, of Belleville, the engineer and fireman of the plant, were blown. Neither was seriously hurt. Their being blown out saved them from death by ammonia fumes. The plan took fire but the firemen soon put out the flames. The loss is about $4,000.

Married Sixty Years.

New Brunswick, Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. James T. Rolfe, of No. 19 Schurman street, celebrated yesterday the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding. They were married here. Mrs. Rolfe was Miss Eliza Armstrong. She was born in New York city. They have seven sons living, and are about eighty years old.

United States Transports at Gibraltar

Gibraltar, Feb. 19.—The United States transports Kilpatrick and McClellan, having on board the First Infantry, bound for Manila, arrived here Saturday after a very rough passage of seventeen days from New York.

Calls Voters to Primaries.

Morristown, Feb. 19.—John S. Gibson, of Newark, who is an active adherent of the Colby faction in Essex county, came to Morristown yesterday and spoke to a large audience in the Young Men's Christian Association hall on "The Good Citizen in Politics." Although making no allusion to Senator Colby, Mr. Gibson told of the smashing of the Lentz machine in the county by the active work in primaries of good citizens.

Milburn to Have a New Station.

The Lackawanna Railroad is planning to begin to build this spring a large and handsom station at Milburn to replace the antiquated frame structure that has sheltered commuters many years. It will have concrete foundations and will be in two sections, with a waiting-room on either side of the tracks, which will be separated by a steel fence. It is planned to eliminate a sharp curve near the station.

Japan Thankful to Roosevelt.

Tokio, Feb. 19.—The sincerest gratitude is expressed here on all sides at President Roosevelt's appeal to the American nation for assistance for the sufferers of the famine in Japan. His action is appreciated as the timeliest mark of America's unvarying friendship.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6:49 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:41 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:41 p. m.

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THE WEATHER
Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight; Wednesday rain.
Maximum, 48; minimum, 25; 24 hours ending at noon today. Ther. at noon, 48.

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OUSTED DOMINIE'S SIDE

Rev. Mr. Morris Indignant Over Justice Mosher's Decision.

HINTS AT PREJUDICE

Says His Arrest and Subsequent Proceedings Wouldn't Be Tolerated If Victim Was White Pastor.

To present his side of the Calvary church mix-up, Rev. P. T. Morris, who disputes Rev. D. W. Bailey's claim to the pastorate, sent the following communication to The Daily Press this morning:

"Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 20, 1906.
"Editor The Daily Press:

"Dear Sir—If you will kindly permit me a little space in your valuable paper I would like to give to the public my statement in regard to the matter of my arrest under false charges preferred by one J. W. Mitchell.

"Since the death of Rev. Scott Wallace the church has had no regular pastor, but Mr. Mitchell was filling the pulpit from Sunday to Sunday, until a regular pastor should be called.

"On the seventh day of Febraury, 1906, I received a letter signed by the senior deacon of the church and also by the president of the board of trustees, extending to me a call to be pastor of the Calvary Baptist church of Plainfield. I accepted the call and on Friday, February 16, I was given the key of the building by th esenior deacon, and I conducted the evening prayer meeting at the church.

"On Sunday, February 18, I conducted the morning service. Shortly before service began Mr. Mitchell came upon the platform and told me that if I attempted to conduct service I would be arrested. I told him that I had received a regular call as pastor, and that I should proceed in the regular way. Whereupon Deacon Robinson, chairman of the board of deacons, introduced me to the people as the newly elected pastor. Mr. Mitchell then retired from the church and there was no further disturbance at this meeting. I attended the Sunday school in the afternoon and taught a class, and although Mr. Mitchell was there he made no further disturbance at this time.

"Prior to the evening service it is our custom to hold a prayer meeting. This meeting was in charge of one of the church members. I was seated quietly on the platform when, at about 7:15, Mr. Mitchell came in to the church building, and came to the platform and took a seat thereon.

"He sat quietly for about fifteen minutes, then finally arose and came forward and stopped the services, and turning to me he said in the hearing of those present, 'I want to ask Rev. Morris to vacate the platform.' I replied that I was pastor of the church, whereupon Mr. Mitchell made a motion to some one in the building to come forward, when Policeman Saunders came to the platform and said that he had a warrant for my arrest. Though greatly surprised, I asked the officer to come upon the platform and take a seat, which he did. I then asked him to read the warrant, which he proceeded to do. After the reading of the warrant I closed my Bible, laid it upon the desk, and said to the church 'I am sorry this has happened, but will soon return to you,' and went quietly with the officer to the police station.

"It appears that Mr. Mitchell had sworn out a warrant for my arrest before Justice Mosher, who was present at the police station, who released me in the custody of my counsel until yesterday at 3 p. m. Much to my surprise the justice refused to allow me to be heard in my own defense, and upon the testimony of Mr. Mitchell held me on my own surety to keep the peace, which I had never violated.

"I believe that my arrest is the result of a conspiracy to obtain possession of the church by a certain faction, but it was a great outrage. That a regular pastor, of fourteen years good standing, peaceably holding service in his own church, may without any cause whatsoever be placed under arrest and dragged before a magistrate, who places him under sentence without even permitting him to be heard in his own defense, is something that would not be tolerated if it was a white pastor of the city of Plainfield.

"Under advice of my counsel I shall immediately seek redress against my defamers, who have brought this unmerited disgrace upon me and my family, and hope that the public will wait until my side is presented before giving judgment in this matter.

"Thanking you for your kindness in extending to me the use of your columns, I am,

"Yours very sincerely,
" P. T. MORRIS."

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

FEARS COURT'S SENTENCE

John J. Goff Withdraws License Application and will Ask For Clemency.

CIRCULATES PETITION

Says He Will Get Out of Liquor Business and Will Become a Huckster—Sentence Due Tomorrow.

John J. Goff has withdrawn his application for a liquor license for Seeber's hotel on West Front street, and says he will become a huckster again. His recent experience in the Union County Court, when he was fined $50 for illegal selling of liquor, and his subsequent arrest on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, upon which he was convicted and will be sentenced tomorrow by Judge Vail, has put him in disfavor with those who have the power to grant him a license.

Mr. Goff is circulating a petition today asking that leniency be exercised in his sentence. It is said that a large number have signed the petition. It will be presented in court tomorrow morning by Mr. Goff's counsel, Lawyer W. R. Wilson.

When seen by a reporter for The Daily Press this morning, Mr. Goff replied in answer to the question: "Yes, I have withdrawn my application for a liquor license and will now engage in some other business. I believe that I have been treated pretty rough, but I will go to Elizabeth tomorrow and take my medicine. I don't know what the Rising Sun Brewery Company will do with the property I now occupy. It is possible that the place may be run as a boarding-house, but I expect to leave there and locate somewhere else."

The Daily Press recently published the opinions of the members of the Common Council relative to granting a license to Goff and the majority of them were against him. Goff evidently took the hint.

What disposition will be made of the hotel on West Front street, owned by George Seeber, of the Rising Sun Brewery Company, is not known. It has been intimated that an attempt will be made by the company to secure a license for the place, but that would be impossible because of the "zone" ordiance. At any rate it is too late for an application to be filed for this year.

While the jury which found Goff guilty, recommended mercy in sentence, it is the general opinion that Judge Vail will give him the limit, it being his second offonse for practically the same violation of the law.

LA MONTE A CLEVER CROOK, POLICE LEARN

MAN WHO STOLE FROM MACHINISTS WANTED IN PENNSYLVANNIA.

Frank La Monte, arrested at Wilkesbarre by Scranton detectives, for the police here, has a long criminal record. His history was furnished to Chief Kely today in a letter from the Scranton officers.

La Monte is the man's alias. His real name is Frank Koterba, and he hails from Louisberg, Pa. He is under indictment now for the theft of two bicycles, and is supposed to have stolen at least fifteen other wheels within a year. He has served six months for horse-stealing in the Lackawanna county jail and eighteen months for impersonating an officer in the Huntington reformatory.

When arrested in Wilkesbarre last week he had a detective's badge in his clothes. La Monte is wanted here for stealing an overcoat and a suit of clothes from Karl Avery and a set of machinist's tools from Dennis McMahon, whose confidence he gained after coming to this city in the guise of a machinist. The tools and clothes were found on him in Wilkesbarre and he acknowledged their theft from McMahon and Avery.

The chief of police in Wilkesbarre wants Koterba more than Chief Kiely does, and the latter, satisfied to recover the tools and clothes, will let the Pennsylvania officers give the crook what is coming to him.

Hope for Y. M. C. A. Five.

The Y. M. C. A. basketball five hopes to break the hoodoo run of defeats Saturday night, when they meet the Maxwell House combination, of Brooklyn. They beat Maxwell House in Brooklyn, and naturally have hopes of doing it again. Maxwell House is a strong and fast quintet, however, and it means work and plenty of it to bring about the desired consummation. Y. M. C. A. will put this line-up into the field: Smith, Thompson, forwards; Scull, center; Leary, Letson, guards.

JUSTICE SCORES LAWYER

Mosher Says Murphy Advised Both Sides In the Church Case.

ENDS ACTION ABRUPTLY

Warm Finish to the Hearing of Calvary's Pastorate Dispute—"Proceedings Montrous," Says Lawyer Indignantly.

Following a sharp rebuke to counsel for the defendant from the court, the hearing of Rev. P. T. Morris, colored, for alleged trespass at Calvary Baptist church Sunday night, came to an abrupt ending before Justice Mosher yesterday afternoon. The justice declared the lawyer had been advising both sides, in violation of his oath as an attorney, and refused to hear the case further. Morris was put under a $100 bond, under his own recognizance, to keep the peace for six months.

The case left both Lawyer Clarence L. Murphy, the defendant's counsel, and the justice very angry. The latter intimated that an attempt had been made to turn his court into a farce and the lawyer was outspoken in his opinion that the course pursued by the court was "monstrous."

Lack of cordiality between Mr. Murphy and the justice developed early in the hearing. Mr. Murphy made one or two objections that were not sustained, and plainly annoyed the justice by his persistence in pushing his arguments in support of his contentions. Mr. Murphy had all his objections and the justice's decisions noted by his stenographer, and forcefully declared, at one stage of the hearing, that the hearing was not being conducted according to the rules of evidence and law.

The charge, as told in yesterday's Daily Press, grew out of a dispute between two factions of the church as to the filling of the pastorate. D. W. Baily, it is alleged by one faction, headed by Rev. J. M. Mitchell, acting-pastor, was called by a majority vote at a regularly constituted meeting of the congregation. Rev. Mr. Morris, the choice of the other faction, claims the pulpit by virtue of a call from his supporters. He insisted on taking charge of the church Sunday against the protest of Mr. Mitchell, and the latter had him arrested on a warrant just as he was beginning the evening service.

There was a little sea of colored faces in the court room when the trial opened. Every member of the church who could get in, apparently, attended the hearing. The sudden ending of the case left them as much agape as the dominie's arrest. They are talking about it yet.

Mr. Murphy began his attack on the course of procedure against his client as soon as the court opened. He demanded a dismissal of the action on the ground that the complainant's affidavit was too sweeping and general. He argued at length on that point, and looked amazed when the justice refused to dismiss.

"I want the objection noted by my stenographer," he said. Justice Mosher's eyes glinted.

"I want to know what statute you are proceeding under," continued Mr. Murphy. W. S. Angleman, counsel for the complainant, contended that the evidence would indicate the statute under which the justice could dispose of the case, but Mr. Murphy insisted, "In justice to his client," to know what the prosecution was for.

"The action is for breach of the peace," ruled the justice, after considering.

As the hearing proceeded Mr. Murphy's tilts with the court increased in sharpness, until the final clash, brought on by the evidence of Deacon Lewis Booker, witness for the complainant. Under examination by Mr. Angleman, Booker testified that Mr. Murphy had advised a committee, of which he, Booker, was a member, to call in the police to keep the undesired minister from the pulpit. In his opening argument Mr. Murphy had claimed that the presence of the police was unwarranted and uncalled for. He protested against allowing Booker to present such testimony, on the ground that it was irrelevant and immaterial. The justice ruled that it was permissible.

"There is just one thing I want to bring out," said Mr. Murphy as the witness was turned over to him for cross-examination, "and that is the exact truth as to what I did advise. As long as the court has seen fit to allow that sort of testimony to go in, I want the truth of it told. Didn't I tell you," he said, turning to the witness, "to get the deacons of the church together Sunday morning and decide on the man to occupy the pulpit that day?"

"No, you didn't," replied Booker. "You told us to write a letter."

Patrick Reed, another member of the pacification committee, was called, and Mr. Murphy attempted to continue his cross-examination on the advice he gave. Mr. Angleman objected to further examination on

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BIG ESTATE FOR THEM

Adam Fritz, Mrs. Angerbauer and John Wendell Heir to $700,000.

AN UNCLE'S BEQUEST

Billinger Struck It Rich As a "Forty-Niner"—Came From Germany and Located in North Plainfield.

Adam Fritz, of Somerset street, has just received a letter informing him that he is one of three relatives heir to an estate of $700,000 located in Los Angeles, California, which was left by his uncle, Adam Billinger, a former resident of Mt. Bethel, and he will at once take steps to get possession of the estate. The other two heirs are John Wendell, of Mt. Bethel, and Mrs. Joseph Angerbauer, of East Third street.

Adam Billinger, who was a native of Germany, came to this country when a young man and located in North Plainfield, where he married a sister of Gotlieb Fritz, father of Adam Fritz. During the gold fever craze in 1849, the couple went to California and acquired considerable property and money. When he died several years ago, he left a will amply providing for his wife, and directing that upon her death the estate should be divided among the three mentioned heirs.

Mrs. Billinger died recently at Los Angeles and in the due course of time the will was offered for probate. This was followed by the letter written to Adam Fritz informing him of the provisions of the will. Mr. and Mrs. Billinger had no children and the three mentioned heirs are the nearest relatives.

Mr. Fritz has informed both Mrs. Angerbauer and John Wendell concerning the letter from the surrogate in California and legal steps will now be taken to prove their right to the property left by Mr. Billinger. The property in the estate is said to include some of the finest in Los Angeles and during the past few years has greatly enhanced in value.

AUTO BILL HEARING AT TRENTON TODAY

PLAINFIELDERS ON HAND TO PROTEST AGAINST FRELINGHUYSEN'S MEASURE.

A large delegation of members from the Union County Automobile Association, including former Senator Charles A. Reed, Mayor N. B. Smalley, Dr. F. C. Ard, George J. Tobin, W. P. Veysey, A. B. Laing and many others, left this morning on the 8:51 train for Trenton, to attend the hearing on the Frelinghuysen and Jackson automobile bills now pending before the Legislature.

The Plainfielders as well as others from various parts of Union county will seek to have the bills amended so as not to be unjust. The objects of the association were set forth at the meeting held last week at the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Reed represents the association at the hearing and will speak on its behalf in favor of certain amendments. The association does not condemn the bill in its entirety.

The Somerset County Agriculture Association is represented at the hearing by Judge Schenck. The association favors the Frelinghuysen bill and Judge Schenck will speak for it and urge its passage. Among others representing the Somerset county farmers was Sheriff Cooper.

TOOK MAYOR'S ADVICE.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hewitt Will Hereafter Live Apart.

Arraigned before Mayor Smalley in the borough court last night, on a charge of disorderly conduct preferred by his wife, James Hewitt, of Harmony street, was fined $5. The testimony showed that he had been a little hasty in his actions toward his spouse, but when sentence was pronounced the Mayor turned to Mrs. Hewitt and gave her a lecture that she won't forget in a hurry. He blamed her for the family differences and in the end he advised Hewitt to get his property from the house and live elsewhere.

Hereafter he and Mrs. Hewitt will treat one another as strangers.

Miss Vanderveer's Funeral.

The funeral of Miss Sarah Vanderveer, colored, was held yesterday afternoon from Mount Zion A. M. E. church. Rev. H. C. Ashley officiated, and interment was made at Hillside.

—Note the fact that Neuman Brothers are quoting a special price on Hecker's Superlative and Pillsbury's Best flours by the barrel. Just the chance to secure a supply.

PUBLIC SERVICE IS FREE

Assessors in Dohblt as to Status of Big Jersey Corporation.

IT NEVER PAID TAXES

Has Never Turned Over One Penny to the City or State—Capitalized for $25,000,000.

It was learned yesterday that the Public Service Corporation, which controls all trolley lines and lighting plants in Northern New Jersey, and which was lately reported taken over by the United Gas Improvement Company, of Philadelphia, since its organization, nearly three years ago, has not paid a cent of taxes to either city or State. The company has an authorized capital of $25,000,000, of which half has been issued and is outstanding, while the other half is about to be issued.

This condition is due to the fact that a doubt exists in the State Board of Assessors as to whether public service should be assessed as a public utility corporation, using the streets and subject to the franchise tax law on its gross receipts, or simply as a corporation subject only to a tax on its capital stock issued and outstanding under the Corporation Tax act of 1884. The city taxing officers say they know of no law which permits of the taxing of the known value of Public Service stock as bank stock is now taxed. The corporation says that it operates but does not own the many lines under its control, and therefore it not liable to a franchise tax, so long as the tax is paid on the individual franchises.

These facts were brought to light in Newark yesterday, when Joseph Maguire, secretary of the board, admitted that the corporation had never paid one cent of taxes as a separate corporation. Public Service is not taxed as a unit in Newark, its birthplace, because the properties which it holds under lease or ownership are taxed as they exist.

The East Jersey Traction Company, a concern held under a perpetual lease as a constituent of one of the Public Service subsidiary companies, with $500,000 5 per cent. forty year gold bonds issued by it, the principal and interest of which are guaranteed by the Public Service, is another concern which receives similar favor from the assessors. According to a report of the East Jersey company, filed with the State Board of Assessors in April, 1904, the $500,000 bonds were issued. In a report filed December, 1903, no property on which the bonds might have been based appears. The last report recites that the company's capital stock issue is $30,000, of which $25,000 was paid in.

In reply to the questions concerning the cost of road or equipment, operation, source of dividends, number of miles of track, location of track and the income, the answer is "None." Frank Bergen, as president, signed the report, and Thomas N. McCarter, president of the Public Service, swore him in as Master in Chancery.

Chapter 9 of the Laws of 1901 was called to the attention of the assessors, with reference to Public Service, since there is a doubt as to how to class it. This act was enacted at the suggestion of the assessors to prevent the shirking of taxes by corporations. It reads in part:

"All corporations incorporated under the laws of this State, other than those which are subject to the payment of a State franchise tax assessed upon the basis of gross receipts, shall make annual return of the amount of capital stock issued and outstanding at a graduated rate, according to the amount of capital ranging from one-tenth of 1 per cent. to $50 on each $1,000,000 capital."

It is argued that the Public Service Corporation should pay a license fee on its stock issued. On that basis the corporation would now be $8,700 in arrears, and it would necessarily be listed with 1,300 corporations, the charters of which Governor Stokes recently declared forfeited because of non-payment of taxes.

The resolution with reference to the status of Public Service, coming as it does just at a time when a big financial deal is in the fire, with Public Service behind it, there is considerable anxiety and guessing at present, particularly in Newark financial circles—Newark News.

Parks Will Bowl Tonight.

The last games in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament will be rolled tonight. The Park Club will roll Elizabeth on the local alleys. Tonight's result cannot change the standing for the trophy, it having been settled that Westfield gets it. The Park Club members will, however, share in some of the prizes.

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FAKE FOOD FOR DINERS

Prof. Stillman Will Serve Chemically Prepared Dishes.

SUBSTITUTION EASY

"Synthetical Biscuit" and Cottonseed-Oil Ice Cream Will Demonstrate How Nature May Be Copied.

Prof. Thomas B. Stillman, of Stevens Institute, Hoboken, son of the late Dr. Charles H. Stillman, of this city, will give a unique dinner at the Hotel Astor, New York, tomorrow night. To show how easily substitute food products may be put on the market—foods, which though absolutely spurious, are entirely harmless, inasmuch as they are of the same chemical constituents found in natural substances classed by chemists as organic compounds—Prof. Stillman will duplicate usual courses of the dinner by compounds chemically prepared. He promises that the compounds will be the exact counterfeit of the natural dishes in taste and color.

Prof. Stillman will prepare the dishes in the dining room with his own apparatus. Some of the recipes to be used are:

Martini cocktail—Definite proportions of alcohol, saccharine, absinthin, ice and aniline yellow.

"Biscuit synthetical" — Fecula, cream of tartar, distilled water, salt, saccharine, artificial butter, bicarbonate of soda, milk substitute.

Butter—Oleo oil, lard, milk, salt and carrotin or coloring matter.

Sherbets used will receive a raspberry flavor by chemical manipulation and tripe refined cottonseed oil will be used for the vanilla ice cream. In distilling his "cognac," Professor Stillman will use heat produced by a krytol plate that will require 1,250 volts of electricity.

Professtor Stillman is the eldest son of the late Dr. Stillman, whose name is held in grateful remembrance by the citizens of this city for the many public services he rendered during his life time. He holds the position of director of the chemical labratories of the Stevens Institute. He is a brother of William M. Stillman, West Seventh street, and of Mrs. J. K. Myers, of East Seventh street.

CHARLEY WILLIAMS BECOMES A BAD MAN

MILD OLD SOAK GETS RAMBUNCTIOUS AND THUMPS COP.

Charley Williams, dean of the drunk corps, whose record for arrests stretches back to 1879 and touches five score as to number, developed a new jag trait yesterday afternoon. Charley has been regarded as a docile soak, resigned to periodical pinching, but yesterday he thumped the cop that pulled him in. The occurrence was so unusual that Judge Runyon thought the officer was joking when he testified to it.

Officer Overbaugh was the victim of Charley's misguided energy. Charley turned on the cop as he was locking him in a cell, and banged him on the mouth. The blow drew blood. Charley took much satisfaction out of the biff, and caroled joyously in his coop after the door clanged on him.

"What do you think you ought to get this time?" asked Judge Runyon. "This is a serious matter. A peaceable and quiet drunk is one thing, but a wild, insane and homicidal souse is a grave matter of another kind." The judge thought the story of Charley's assault was a joke at that time. He didn't learn until later that he really did split Overbaugh's lip.

Charley considered his own case carefully.

"About forty days will do me," he hazarded.

"Forty will satisfy you, eh? If I give you thirty will be no kick coming, will there? Thirty it is."

"All right," said Charley, resignedly, and started on his hundred and third trip to Elizabeth.

Grace M. E. Fair.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church will hold a fair and bazaar in the church Thursday and Friday nights. An entertainment has been arranged for both evenings. A feature of the fair will be the sample booth, where a great variety of articles from all parts of the country will be displayed. There will also be the usual booths of fancy and useful articles, home made candies and cakes. The cherry tree will be an attraction to the children.

HOSPITAL RELIEF MEASURE

Drawn By Corporation Counsel Marsh and Introduced In the Legislature.

NOW IN COMMITTEE

Introduced by Senator E. R. Ackerman—Complete Text of the Measure.

Senator Ernest R. Ackerman introduced the "hospital bill" in the Legislature last night. It was drafted by Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, and is said to be intended for the benefit of Muhlenberg Hospital. The measure is known as "Senate bill No. 132," and has been referred to the judiciary committee.

Following is the text of the bill:

"An act for the relief of associations or corporations heretofore organized under the act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the erection and maintenance of hospitals, infirmaries, orphanages, asylums and other charitable institutions,' approved March 9th, A. D. 1877, and acts amendatory thereto.

"Whereas, by the act whose title is cited in the title to this act, it was, among other things, directed that certificates of incorporation therein referred to be recorded in the office of the clerk of the county where the principal purposes of such association are to be carried out, and after being so recorded, be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and it is the intention of this act to validate the incorporation or attempted incorporation of any such associations heretofore made or attempted to be made under of by virtue of said act, or acts amendatory thereof or supplemental therto, notwithstanding any defect, irregularity, or omission in the matter of the recording or filing of such certificates of incorporation in any or all of the offices in which such certificates were required to be recorded or filed, upon such associations first complying with the provisions of this act; therefore

"Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

"One—That it shall and may be lawful for any association or corporation organized or which it was attempted to organize or incorporate under and in pursuance of any act of the Legislature referred to in the title to this act, at any time within four months from the date of the approval or final passage of this act, to cause its original certificate of incorporation or attempted incorporation, as the same may have been recorded in the county clerk's office of any county in this State, or a copy thereof bearing the date of such record and certified to be a true copy under the hand and seal of the county clerk of such county, to be recorded in the office or offices of the clerks of the county or counties in this State where the principal purposes of such association or corporation were or are to be carried out, and after being so recorded, to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State; and that upon the recording and filing of such original certificate or certified copy thereof, as in this act directed, such association or corporation shall be taken and deemed for all purposes to be regularly and lawfully incorporated and to have been lawfully incorporated from the date upon which its original certificate was first recorded as aforesaid, with the same force and effect as if said original certificate had in all respects been properly recorded and filed in the first instance. A copy of said original certificate or of the certified copy thereof, the recording and filing of which is hereinabove authorized, duly certified by the Secretary of State, shall be evidence in all courts and places.

"Two—That this act shall take effect immediately."

ANOTHER FAIR CROWD.

Second Night of Co. K. Sale Like First Night.

Company K entertained another big crowd at its fair last night. More than 450 tickets were sold at the door.

Dancing and singing were again the features. The orchestra made perfect melody for two-step and waltz and the crowd enjoyed it to the full. The booths were well patronized.

C. J. Werner and Edward Meeker, who sang Saturday night, were again the vocalists. Tonight George Offerman will sing. Offerman is familiar to Plainfield publics, and he always draws big houses. He will sing again tomorrow night and Thursday.

Capt. Martin was at the fair last night, watching the progress of all the departments. Capt. Martin is in general charge of the affair, and deeply interested in its success. Tonight, it is expected Col. Collins and other regimental officers will attend.

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Reg. $2.98 for $1.49½.

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4-4 Floor Oilcloth Half Price, from old stock, assorted patterns. Reg. 25c, for... 12½

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Carpets at Half Price, from old stock.
30c Grade Stair Carpet for 15c
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$1.25 Velvet Carpets, lengths under 25 yds. 62½c

Young Men's Business Suits Half Price, single and double breasted, from old stock. Regular price $7.98, now 3.99

Ladies Skirts and Suits, from old stock, less than Half Price.
$3.00 to $5.00 for 98c. $5.00 to $6.50 Skirts $1.49
$7.50 to $10.00 for $2.98.

Embroideries from old stock less than Half Price.
15c to 20c Edgings and Insertions for 8c
8c value, ½ to 2-inch wide, for 3c

Silks, plain and fancy, Half Price and less, one lot 50c value for 25c; one lot 75c, 85c for. 39c

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ANOTHER WONDER OF SCIENCE.

Biology has Proved that Dandruff is Caused by a Germ.

Science is doing wonders these days in medicine as well as in mechanics. Since Adam lived, the human race has been troubled with dandruff, for which no hair preparation has heretofore proved a successful cure until Newbro's Herpicide was put on the market. It is a scientific preparation that kills the germ that makes dandruff or scurf by digging into the scalp to get at the root of the hair, where it saps the vitality; causing itching scalp, falling hair, and finally baldness. Without dandruff hair must grow luxuriantly. It is the only destroyer of dandruff. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

There will be a meeting for men only at the Presbyterian church next Thursday night. F. W. Whittemor, the Corean missionary who was announced to speak at the gathering, is too ill to keep the engagement. His place will be taken by Rev. Hunter Corbett, a worker in the Chinese field.

William Purnell, Melvin Smalley, Winfield Smalley and John Newburg, charged with stealing coal from the Lehigh Valley Railroad, will be arraigned before Justice Von Minden tomorrow morning. Lawyer Isaac P. Runyon will appear in defense of Melvin Smalley.

There was a large attendance at a special evangelical meeting in the Presbyterian church last night. Rev. W. W. Casselberry spoke. Another meeting will be held tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Meeker will entertain a number of friends on Washington's Birthday night, in honor of the first anniversary of their marriage.

The financial statement of the township has been issued in pamphlet form, and is being distributed to all the Piscataway taxpayers.

Miss Leila McCloughan, of Lebanon, has returned home after a stay with friends in the borough.

Miss Edna Baldwin began her winter's vacation yesterday. She will have a week of leisure.

Miss Sophie Jenner has returned from a week's stay with Rutherford relatives.

Communion will be celebrated at the Presbyterian church a week from Sunday.

Miss Edna Vail will entertain the Young People's Card Club tonight.

Mrs. De Witt Giles is recovering from an attack of the grip.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Washington's Birthday exercises will be held tomorrow afternoon in the assembly room. An interesting programme has been arranged. The scholars will enjoy a vacation until Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

"The Little Gray Lady," one of New York's latest attractions, was on the boards at the New Plainfield theatre last night. Tonight May Irwin, in "Mrs. Black Is Back," is the attraction.

Owing to the rush to gather in the ice harvest the local workers were paid 20 cents an hour for the work, which in the past has been scheduled at 15 cents.

The young people of St. Mary's parish, Stony Hill, will hold a social and dance tomorrow night in the Suburban Club Hall.

Adam Gray, who has been spending Sunday with his brother, Joseph Gray, has returned to his home in Newark.

Miss Nancy Wade, of Milburn, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Wade, of Stanbery avenue.

The Suburban Club holds its next club reception and dance on Thursday night, March 8.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The South Plainfield borough bill will have a hearing in the Legislature the twenty-seventh of February at 1 p. m.

Mrs. Mary Pyatt is spending several weeks with friends on Staten Island and in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randolph, of Dunellen, dined with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Laing Sunday.

William Coulter has sold his home on the Oak Tree road to Andrew Ryno.

Mrs. A. Brundage entertained her brother, Mr. Gage, on Sunday.

Injured Woman Leaves Hospital.

Mrs. Mabel Havowell, of Philadelphia, who was injured in a trolley car early Sunday morning, the stove falling on her foot, inflicting a contused wound, expects to leave the hospital today. She will go to New York with her husband.

Annual Banquet of Co. K.

The annual banquet of Co. K will be held Monday night, February 26, at Truell Inn. The committee in charge has prepared an attractive programme of speakers, including some prominent in State affairs.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Union Bible class taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns will meet at the Y. M. C. A. hall tomorrow afternoon at 2:15 o'clock.

Dr. B. VanDoren Hedges will lead the Young People's Society meeting at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. French, of Craig place, will entertain the Brotherhood of the First M. E. church at their home on Friday night.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church are holding an all-day sewing and literary meeting at the church today.

The Junior Epworth League of the First M. E. church will meet in Vincent chapel tomorrow afternoon. Miss Beeching has arranged an interesting programme.

The Board of Trustees of the Park Avenue Baptist church has placed a telephone in the home of their pastor, Rev. A. E. Finn, 111 East Ninth street. The number is 529-R.

"The Modern World and the Christian Character," will be the topic of the prayer meeting at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tomorrow night. The pastor will lead.

Mrs. W. S. Lowry will lead the Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow night. The subject will be "Missions in Protestant Europe."

The women of all the Plainfield churches have been invited to attend a prayer service for home missions at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Junior Society of the First Baptist church will meet in the parlors of the church Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. All children of the church and Sunday-school are invited.

The Home Mission Circle of the Park Avenue Baptist church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. A. Krom, 211 West Fourth street. The subject will be "Recent Work Among the Indians."

The interests of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions will be presented at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday by a member of the board from New York, who will preach both morning and evening.

"Here and There in London," will be the subject of an illustrated lecture to be given by Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss at the First Baptist church tonight, under the auspices of the Young Women's Missionary Society. The views will be especially good and the lecture is sure to be of interest.

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Warren County Teachers Meet.

Washington, N. J., Feb. 20.—The Warren County Teachers' Association held a meeting at the Washington High School Saturday afternoon. There was a fair attendance of teachers from all parts of the county. Addresses were made by Professor Crist, of Hackettstown; Professor Philhower, of Belvidere, and Professor Tressler and Rev. C. X. Hutchinson, of Washington. Recitations were rendered by Misses Mary Hornbaker and Marjorie Shrope. The pupils of the sixth grade of the local school gave a drill in grammar, with transative verbs as the basis of the drill.

Sues for Alleged Breach of Promise.

Bound Brook, Feb. 20.—Henry L. McNabb, of this place, is the defendant in a suit for $10,000 damages brought by Miss L. A. Green, of 2426 North Park avenue, Philadelphia, who alleges a breach of promise. McNabb is under $500 bail.

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Al Johns, one of the foremost of America's colored composers, has written two new songs for May Irwin, which will be sung in this city for the first time during the comedienne's engagement tonight in George V. Hobart's comedy, "Mrs. Black Is Back." The titles are "Steamer Stoker" and "Melinda." Johns not only hits the popular fancy, but all his work is musicianly, besides being of the so-

May Irwin in "Mrs. Black Is Back," at New Plainfield Theatre Tonight.

called "catchy" order. Other new songs to be sung by Miss Irwin include "Before This Time Another Year," by Shepp Edmonds, another successful disseminator of rag-time; "Don't Arguefy," and the "Filipino Dance." All are the whistleable sort and are sung in Miss Irwin's inimitable way.

The coming production of "A Daughter of the Revolution," to be given at the New Plainfield theatre Wednesday evening, has a double interest for Plainfield society. Mrs. Dore Lyon, the brilliant and versatile authoress of the play, numbers among her closest friends and admirers many of the leading people of this city. This occasion will also be the debut of George Swift Trow, nephew of Mrs. Alfred T. Slawson and cousin of Judge William N. Runyon. Mr. Trow's sketch, which consists of a clever imitation of George Cohan in the "Yankee Doodle Boy," will be used as a curtain raiser.

"Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," the genial hobo made so famous by F. Hopper in the New York American, and put into dramatic form by Maurice Hageman, will be the offering of the New Plainfield theatre next Thursday afternoon and night. The company presenting "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World" numbers forty people, and the scenery, costumes, music and other features are all new and of the most expensive nature.

"How Baxter Butted In," the new Owen Davis play, produced on a magnificent scale of scenic perfection by the Vance and Sullivan Company, will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday afternoon and night. The splendid cast presenting this novel piece is composed exclusively of artists of the high school, headed by that rapidly rising young comedy star, Sidney Toler. The scenes of the play and action of the story, which is in four acts, takes place in a small village in Vermont, and many new stage creations are presented.

There should be decided interest in the appearance of Lillian Blauvelt in this city, who is making her first appearance here in light opera. She comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night at the head of a magnificent organization of eighty-five people, in a new romantic comedy opera by Charles Emerson Cook and Lucius Hosmer, entitled "The Rose of the Alhambra." Besides Miss Blauvelt's appearance in grand opera she has been seen a great deal in oratorio and concert, both here and abroad, and has been frequently "commanded" to appear before various royal personages. She sang before Queen Victoria at Windsor Castle, King Edward at Buckingham palace, Queen Alexandra, Princess Victoria, Princess Beatrice, Princess of Wales, Princess of Schleswig-Holstein, the Dowager Queen of Italy, Margherita, at the Quirinal, in Rome; the late King of Italy, Humbert, and the present King and Queen of Italy, and from many of these she has received jeweled decorations. Among the most valued of these decorations is one presented to Miss Blauvelt by the late Queen Victoria and one presented to her by the Dowager Queen of Italy, Margherita.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Mimford, of East Ninth street, and Miss Holly, of Park avenue, are at Lakewood.

Miss Adelia Runyon, of Arlington avenue, is planning to spend several weeks with out-of-town friends and relatives.

Game Warden C. W. Hawkins, of Elizabeth, was in town yesterday calling on friends and attending to matters pertaining to his official position.

—Leal's School hockey team was defeated by the Montclair High School team at Montclair on Saturday. The score was 3 to 0.

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AN EFFECTIVE COUNTY BOARD MUST BE WELL PAID.

Those in favor of a more effective method of supervising the work of the local boards of assessors throughout the country than the one now in operation, under which the State Board of Equalization of Taxation is, for the taxpayer, the court of last resort, are looking hopefully for the passage this week of the Avis bill, the principal points of which have been published in The Press and which calls for the appointment of county boards of assessors by the governor. The bill has been the subject of wide discussion during the past week and out of it all comes the pretty generally accepted idea that if the county boards are to be effective they must be made up of men who can devote their whole time to the business, and in order to secure the services of such men larger salaries than those provided for in Senate bill No. 41 must be offered.

On Wednesday night the Board of Trade will hold a special meeting, at which the provisions of this bill will, with other bills affecting this city, receive special consideration. The board is in favor of some such legislation as the Avis bill provides, and if the necessary amendments are made before the board's meeting on Wednesday night, it is likely that resolutions endorsing it will be passed. From opinions expressed on the subject of the salaries it is thought that when finally presented the salary for the emmbers of boards in counties of the first class, will be at $2,000; for cities of the second class, $1,500; cities of the third class, $1,200, and probably $1,000 for cities of the fourth class. In the last two classes the figures may not be raised, as the work is not to be compared with that expected from the boards in cities of the first and second classes.

The salaries provided by the Avis bill are: For counties of the first class, $1,500; second class, $1,200; third class, $1,000; fourth class, $800.

One source of trouble for the local Board of Assessors heretofore has been the unwillingness of property owners when seeking a reduction of their assessment to name the property of a neighbor whose assessment has caused their dissatisfaction. Because of this and the great difference in the assessments on property, in many instances in the same neighborhood, it is held by those who have reason to know that a county board will have to reassess every piece of property in the city if it would start its work on a correct basis and save trouble and additional expense.

Another amendment that is considered absolutely necessary is one providing for clerk hire by the different boards. In this city it is thought that two clerks, one of whom would be a stenographer, could do all the work and at the same time make it possible to keep the office of the board open all day and the tax lists always at the disposal of property owners who may wish to make comparisons.

SCHOOL HEAD ISSUES LETTER.

Superintendent Calls Attention to Evil of Student Secret Societies.

An open letter to the parents of the Montclair High School pupils has been issued by Randall Spaulding, superintendent of schools in that town, requesting their co-operation in preventing secret societies from fastening on the public school system. The circular refers to the agitation about a year ago on this same question, at which time a committee of five was named to consider the subject of secret organizations in the High School, and goes on to relate how they reported that the best interests of the school would be served if the societies were wiped out of existence.

Continuing, Dr. Spaulding says that while this recommendation was agreed to with one or two exceptions, the oldest of the secret bodies did not agree with the provisions of the committee's report and hence, in his opinion, the suggestion will probably go unheeded.

"It will certainly be a disaster to our country," Dr. Spaulding declared, "if a feeling of genuine democracy cannot be instilled in the minds of the young people.

"The parents are herewith earnestly requested to use their influence, their authority and every legitimate means in their power to prevent the secret societies from fastening on our public school system."

Sociological Department at Yale.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 20.—A new department will be added next fall to Yale University, that of sociology. It will be in charge of Professor William G. Sumner, at present the head of the political economy department. Yale is the first of the Eastern colleges to create a department for the study of sociology.

Yale Club's Annual.

The Yale Club, of Plainfield, is planning to hold its annual meeting at the Casino on Friday night, February 23. C. Westley Abbott is chairman of the committee of arrangements.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 20, 1906.

It cannot be true that Senator Colby is going to have a newspaper of his own. Every honest journal in New Jersey is with him heart and soul now.

It would be interesting to read the names of those who have signed their names to a petition circulated by John J. Goff for clemency. Clemency is not what is needed for men like Goff. Justice should and will take its course, and it is pretty certain that he will receive a penalty that will impress upon him the fact that laws are made to be obeyed.

Few legislatures have faced such responsibilities as now confront the lawmakers in session at Trenton. Before the members of the Senate and House are such important and urgent measures as equal taxation, purification of the ballot, abolition of the fee system, abolition of corrupt practises, and jury reform. If only half of these questions are solved, the Legislature of 1906 will be one of hallowed memory.

It is hardly likely that the local option bill, which was reported by the committee today, will be passed by the Legislature. No recommendations, whatever, have been made by the committee, and the matter will have to be fought out on the floor, but from present indications the battle will not be a long one. Arrayed against the measure are some of the leading newspapers of the State and the editorial fire has been particularly sharp and decisive during the last few days. Local option to them is not an adequate remedy for the evil to be solved. Experience has proven such to be the case not only in New Jersey but in other States where it has been tried. On the other hand the high license theory has worked more satisfactorily and the chances of its becoming a State law are deemed to be much better than those of the bill which will bring seeming prohibition to one town and a "wide open" condition to an adjacent community.

PARTY AT WILLOW GROVE.

Given in Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Terry.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Terry, a party was given Saturday night at the home of Miss Ethelyn Terry, at Willow Grove. The affair was arranged by Miss Terry and thte features were games, music and dancing. Prizes were won by Mrs. Peter Lott, of Metuchen, and Miss Blanche Abbott. Selections were given on the phonograph by Miss Edyth Rouch.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lott, of Metuchen; Miss Blanche Abbott, of Rahway; Jerome Lott, of Elizabeth; Miss Graham, of Bayonne; Fred Teuazo, Otto Muller, Miss Muller, Miss Coles, Miss Edna Coles, of Dunellen; Miss Ethelyn Terry, Miss Elizabeth Terry, Edward Terry, Mr. and Mrs. William Terry, Miss Emma Dickson, Miss Irene Guttile, Mr. Waldron, Miss Ethel Schenck, of Willow Grove; Mr. and Mrs. L. Setlle, of Westfield; Miss Sadie Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Terry, Miss Harriet Terry, John Terry, Elmer Terry, Mrs. D. W. Terry, Mr. Deets, Miss Grace VanNest, Miss Harriet VanNest, Harry VanNest, Edward DeForest, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mellick, Miss Lucetta Clark, of Plainfield.

Resigns a Newark Pulpit.

The Rev. J. Martyn Neifert has resigned the pulpit of St. Paul's Episcopal church, of which he has been rector five years. He has not decided on his future.

Miss Edith Weimer, of West Front street, leaves today for a two weeks' visit with friends at Lehighton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Goebel, of East Second street, have returned from a visit with friends at Bridgeton.

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JUSTICE SCORES LAWYER

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that line, and the court sustained him. Mr. Murphy protested.

"You permitted the other side to examine into that matter," he said. "What is the difference?"

"It makes a difference if you are mixed up in the case," said Justice Mosher, sharply. "You have been working for both sides; you have violated your own oath. I will draw this thing to a close before it goes any further. I will hear no more of this. I hold the defendant under $100 bond to keep the peace for six months."

"State the statute under which you proceed," demanded Mr. Murphy. The court refused.

"You have carried things on without any regard to law or rules," said Mr. Murphy indignantly," and I don't intend to permit it. Note the court's refusal in detail," he ordered the stenographer."

"That won't go across the mountain," commented Justice Mosher, disgustedly. "I will not have this turned into a farce court."

Mr. Murphy expressed his indignation over the court's proceeding very freely after the hearing.

"The whole procedure was monstrous," he said. "My advice to the committee had no bearing on the case whatever. It was not truthfully presented, to begin with, and when it was given proceedings had not been started."

No witnesses for the defense were on the stand at the hearing, and only three for the complainant. The court's sudden ruling brought the examination up very short.

Rev. J. M. Mitchell, Deacon Scipio Wendleton and Deacon Booker were the witnesses examined. Their testimony was to the effect that Mr. Mitchell was the regularly appointed pastor in charge, that Mr. Bailey had been called by a regularly constituted majority of the congregation, and that the arrest of Mr. Morris was necessary to prevent a possible riotous disturbance between the two factions. Feeling ran pretty high among the partisans Sunday morning, according to the witnesses.

In cross-examining, Mr. Murphy attacked the credibility of Rev. Mr. Mitchell. He said he was an inveterate trouble-maker.

"He split Mt. Olive church," declared the lawyer, "and wrecked the Filmore church, and now he has come to Calvary church to wreck that."

MRS. EDEN BOICE DEAD.

Was Born on the Randolph Farm on Rahway Road in 1818.

Ms. Eden L. Boice, one of the city's oldest and best known residents, died at her home on West Third street last night, following an illness of a week with a complication of troubles.

Mrs. Boice was the daughter of the late John and Mary Randolph, and was born in 1818 on the Randolph homestead on Rahway road. She resided a short time in Rahway and also in Virginia, otherwise Plainfield has been her home all her life. She was a member of the First Baptist church and attended regularly until her last illness prevented. Th eonly members of the Randolph family now living are a sister, Mrs. Fanny Pound, of Elizabeth, and Henry Clay Randolph, of the borough.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Mrs. W. J. Florence, widow of the great actor, who died Sunday, was a personal friend of Maze Edwards, of this city. Mr. Edwards was associated with Florence in a business way for many years.

Robertson's moving pictures, which have been presented several times at the local Y. M. C. A., will be at the New Plainfield Friday night. A vaudeville entertainment will be added to make it a strong attraction.

That old chestnut about F. F. Proctor seeking to re-open Music Hall as a vaudeville house is again agitating the wise ones. There's nothing to it and never was, yet it bobs up regularly every three months.

One of the coming big offerings at the New Plainfield will be Wilton Lackaye in "The Pit." It will afford Plainfielders with stage aspirations an opportunity to get before the footlights as fifty "supes" are used in the great panic scene on the Chicago Board of Trade.

There is nothing slow about Theodore Kremer, the prolific writer of "mellerdramers." He announced yesterday that he had completed two acts of a play to be called "The Marriage in the White House." The president's daughter will figure in it somehow but Kremer doesn't say anything about it yet.

Press dispatches from Chicago declare that Edna May, now appearing in "The Catch of the Season," was secretly wedded two weeks ago to Oscar Lewisohn. Miss May but recently secured a divorce from Fred Titus, who Plainfielders remember as the bicycle rider appearing in a number of meets at the Crescent track.

Sixty Days, Suspended.

Harry Levine was arrested yesterday on complaint of his wife, who charged him with beating and abusing her. Judge Runyon warned Levine that he was pursuing a dangerous course, and suspended sixty days over him.

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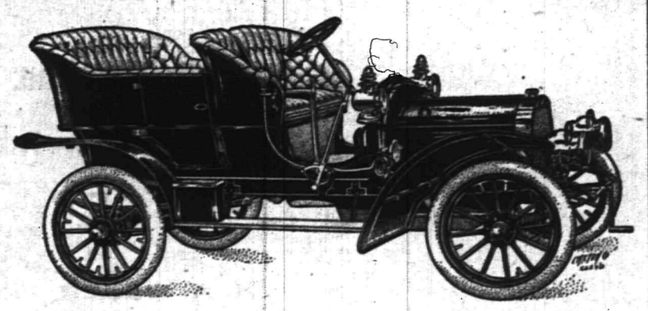

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LOCAL OPTION FALLACY

Records Show That the Scheme Does Not Work Well Elsewhere.

The Newark Advertiser says editorially:

"Local option obtains in parts of New England, with the result of a constant changing by municipalities from license to prohibition and from prohibition to license, at the annual elections. One year it is a statutory offense to sell beer from kegs or bottles in a town, and the next year the act is perfectly legal, and vice versa. This seesaw makes a constant confusion in the public mind, property rights are created and destroyed and the liquor question is always uppermost. All other public questions are subordinate, and to the manifest injury of public interests.

"That is one of the most serious aspects of local option. Other forms of regulation serve to take the liquor question out of politics. Local option perpetuates it. Men vote for candidates and on important local issues having no relation to their views on the license question, and good, bad and indifferent candidates and measures succeed or fail according to that test alone.

"It was gratifyingly said of the Werts liquor law, enacted in New Jersey after the local option act of 1888 had been repudiated, that it removed the liquor question out of politics. And it did for a long period of years. The immediate effect of the local option law had been to inflame the whole State on the question. It was evidence of dominance of that issue over all other State questions in the November election in 1888 that the Legislature was revolutionized and that men got elected as legislators who could never have hoped for election on any other issue.

"Local option, therefore, means perpetual turmoil over the liquor question and the subordination of all other questions and issues, local and otherwise, to this one question in the municipal and county elections in New Jersey. Apart from the consideration of personal rights and liberty which is involved in local option, the effect of the principle is sufficient to condemn it as State policy. It is illogical in that it makes law in one locality and lawlessness in another immediately adjoining that locality, and then by a majority vote exactly reverses these conditions.

"Does local option prohibit? Does it lessen the drinking habit? Is it a temperance measure? Is it a system that is permanent? The answers to these queries are emphatically in the negative.

"Portland, Maine, is a prohibition city. The police records of Portland show that there is vastly more intemperance in that city than there is in Newark. Comparisons of New Jersey communities with New England communities in which prohibition, with or without local option, is the law is very much in favor of the New Jersey communities. As Judge Skinner said truthfuly in his argument before the legislative committee last week, the man who is accustomed to malt or other beverages, when he is shut out of local public places, resorts to the bottle, and the bottle contains whiskey.

"Local option does not prohibit the stocking of dwellings with liquor, and one of the results of that is the female intemperance which was recently deplored in a public meeting in New York as coming to be common among American women. People who can have their private bars at home are often advocates of local option for their localities. It doesn't interfere with their personal liberties and it gives the place, if a suburb, a tone of exclusiveness.

"But the one fatal defect of local option is that it settles nothing. On the contrary, it unsettles everything. It injures good government because it is always a disturbing and demoralizing factor in elections. The moral right, also, of one man who is in the majority to dictate what another man, who is in the minority, shall buy or shall not buy in his own vicinage may well be doubted in principle. The great majority sentiment in New Jersey rejected local option after a trial, and did it with such emphasis that the question was lost sight of for eighteen years. It pops up now as a disturbing factor, perhaps to compromise the enactment of some of the highly important bills pending in the Legislature."

The New Jersey Review of Charities and Corrections has this to say editorially:

"Let us see if we can not throw some light on the subject by the application of a little plain, ordinary common sense. In the first place, local option is not a moral question. Questions of morals are not debatable. They are for all people, and all time, and may be found in all religious creeds. The local option question belongs to the department of administration. Sometimes it works well; more often it doesn't. Its merit depends very largely upon local conditions. Take, for instance, the State of Massachusetts, and especially the city of Boston. There is no disputing the fact that the application of local option to the suburban municipalities with which Boston is surrounded has largely increased drunkenness in the city of Boston. There are more arrests for drunkenness in Boston than in any other city of the same class in the United States. Sixty per cent. of these arrests are people from out of town, and, of course, a large proportion of them are arrested on Saturday night and Sunday, in spite of Sunday closing. The Saturday night trains on the Boston and Maine and some of the other roads have to run several extra smoking cars to take care of the "drunks." The elevated and street car lines are constantly appealing for extra police to enable them to handle their unsteady patrons on Saturday nights. Boston has the largest sale of bottled liquors in the country. Many of the jobbers in whiskey have started express wagons of their own, under assumed names, which deliver the stuff to local option towns within a radius of fifty miles or so. An enormous express business has been built up in this manner, and many instances are cited of such dealers "standing in" with the local police authorities and selectmen in prohibition communities. There is, moreover, an excessive sale of whiskey within the city of Boston, both for local and out of town purposes, for the Sunday trade. The elections in Massachusetts on the license question occur annually, and the constant agitation of the question has undoubtedly had the effect in many communities of dragging the whole liquor business into politics deeper than before. Moreover, the uncertainty as to whether a license will be continuous or not has brought a poorer class of men into the retail business, who buy the cheapest and poorest goods, and are naturally anxious to make every possible cent that can be squeezed out of the business during their precarious tenure.

"On the other hand, local option is very popular in the fashionable suburbs, where the residents prefer and can afford to buy their beverages by the case, and would not patronize a saloon, even if it was adjacent to their premises."

The Newark Call treats the subject in this wise:

"Whether local option is a 'moral question,' as so many of the clergy seem to believe, remains to be demonstrated. To some it seems about as bad political immorality as any scheme yet devised, since it embarrasses popular government with a question which is filled with bitterness, and leaves to the vot of small communities the decision of a question which mere majority rule should not be permitted to decide. When majority rule becomes tyrannical, it is just as bad as any other tyranny, and men rebel at it the moment they find it invades their private rights. The plea that local option is a 'moral question' depends upon whether any and every use of liquor is immoral. Obviously the attack is not made against excesses, for the effect of the act itself is felt by the most moderate drinker. Men are bound to believe that drinking is not in itself a sin, and if not, how can its prohibition by the majority vote of a small community be regarded by them as a moral question? Of the injurious effect of such a subject coming up for frequent consideration in political discussion and elections there is no doubt. With the intemperate Prohibitionists on one side and the hater of public control of personal matters on the other, there is no opportunity for such consideration of other questions of government as require attention.

"The local option scheme has been and found wanting too often to make its discussion really worth while, and the present agitation does not seem as sincere as it should be, considering that it is limited principally to the churches. What the agitators really want is Prohibition, absolue and final: They call local option 'a step in the right direction,' and the end is to justify the means!"

Rogers-Grilley Entertainment.

The Boston Herald in speaking of the talent to appear in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course on Thursday evening, says: "The Rogers-Grilley recital at Association Hall was one of the most successful of the season. Mr. Grilley is a soloist of the first rank, and his numbers were enthusiastically received. Mr. Grilley's work is out of the ordinary line of entertainers, being entirely original in every way. His selections were a feature long to be remembered." Particulars will be found in the advertising column.

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Objects to Excise Bill.

Asbury Park, Feb. 20.—Objections to the excise measure, introduced by Senator Brown, has been raised here. A mass meeting will be held in this city at which resolutions of protest will be adopted. It is contended that a law which would authorize the Common Council to create an excise board would be a menace to the interests of the city and would tend to endanger the principal of prohibition upon which the city is founded.

Lindabury Barns Burn.

Bernardsville, Feb. 20.—A fire yesterday in the large farm barns, on the country estate of Richard V. Lindabury, of this place and Newark, which is located about a mile and a half from here, on the Mine Brook road, totally destroyed the buildings. The farm houses were rescued, but much of the other contents, including hay, grain and agricultural implements, was consumed.

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DIED.

ATWATER—On Monday, Feb. 19, 1906, Theron Skeel Atwater, aged 64 years.

Funeral services at his home, 1107 East Front street, on Thursday, Feb. 22, at 1 p. m. 2 20 2

YOUNG—On Monday, Feb. 19, 1906, Cora Frances, youngest daughter of the late Courtenius Schenck and Matilda B. Young.

Funeral services at her home, 616 East Second street, on Thursday, Feb. 22, at 3 p. m. Flemington and Somerville papers please copy. 20 2

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Help Wanted.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; small family. 909 Madison Ave. 2 19 3

WANTED—Reliable woman to wait on elderly lady. 515 Park avenue. 2 19 3

GIRL for general housework. 112 West Front street. 2 19 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; must go home nights. Apply 129 Plainfield Ave. 2 19 2

WANTED — Waitress - chambermaid (white); personal reference required. Apply 313 Franklin place. 2 14 6

WANTED—A plain cook. Apply 508 Central avenue. 2 16 6

WANTED—First-class lathe and vise men for small steel work. Spicer Universal Joint Manufacturing Co., Madison avenue, between Third and Fourth streets. 2 15 tf

WANTED—Installment collector for merchandise accounts; good salary and expenses. Address Manufacturer, P. O. Box 1027, Phila., Pa. 2 17 3

WANTED—Live men as outside salesmen; must be "hustlers." Address Big Money, Press office. 2 17 3

WANTED — Middle-aged woman for light housework; good home. Address Home, care Press. 2 17 6

WANTED—Before March 1, useful man; must understand care of horses and be a good driver. Call 7 Rockview terrace, evenings. 2 17 3

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—A competent waitress. Apply 112 West Seventh St. 2 20 6

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework; small family. 134 East Ninth St. 2 16 5

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework; half-days. 146 Westervelt avenue.

WANTED—A boy to work before and after school hours. Apply Reynolds & Co., Babcock building, Friday afternoon.

WANTED—Good typewriter; experienced in general office work. Rose, 301 Watchung Ave. 2 20 3

Lost and Found.

LOST—Hand bag containing money and two tickets for "Pirates of Penzance." Reward if returned to this office.

LOST—Silk umbrella; small silver handle; owner's name on. 816 First place. 2 19 2

LOST—A book entitled "Photography, Artistic and Scientific;" owner's name and inscription on title page. Finder please return to Press office and receive suitable reward. 2 17 3

For Rent.

TO RENT—House, ten rooms and bath, near depot and trolley; $30 a month. Inquire 402 Park Ave. 2 17 tf

FOR RENT—House of five rooms. Apply 103 Manning avenue, side door. 2 19 3

TO RENT—A butcher shop, in factory section; $15. Call Edward Willis, 1330 South Ave. 2 19 3

THREE or four rooms to let; all improvements. 10 Craig place. 17 6

TO LET—Four rooms and bath. Enquire 148 East Fifth St. 2 14 6

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

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TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

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MAN wants work around house. Call 536 West Third St. 2 20 3

RELIABLE colored girl; city references; wants position; general housework; small family. Apply 747 South Second St. 2 19 3

WANTED—Work by boy of 16. Schroeper, 409 Watchung avenue, side door. 2 19 3

YOUNG girl wants place to help with housework or take care of children. 132 Johnston Ave. 2 19 2

WOMAN wants work by the day or week. 26 Harmony St. 2 19 3

WASHING and ironing wanted at home. Call 416 John St. 2 19 6

WANTED—By young lady, position as stenographer; can give good reference. Address Stenographer, care Press. 2 17 4

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, 211 North avenue. 2 19 6

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He was puzzled about one thing, however, and, twist it as he would, he could not solve it with any degree of satisfaction. Why, after what had happened, had she hired him? If she could pass over that episode at the carriage-door and forget it, he couldn't. He knew that each time he saw her the memory of that embrace and brotherly salute would rise before his eyes and rob him of some of his assurance—an attribute which was rather well developed in Mr. Robert, though he was loath to admit it. If his actions were a mystery to her, hers were none the less so to him. He made up his mind to move guardedly in whatever he did, to practice control over his mobile features so as to avert any shock or thoughtless sign of interest. He knew that sooner or later the day would come when he would be found out; but this made him not the less eager to court that day.

He shaved himself and was wiping his face on the towel when Celeste appeared in the door-way. She eyed him, her head inclined roguishly to one side, the exact attitude of a bird that has suddenly met a curious and disturbing specimen of insect life.

"M'sieu Zhames, Mees Annesley rides thees morning. You will prepairre yourself according,"—and she rattled on in her absurd native tongue (every other native tongue is absurd to us, you know!)—

"He is charming and handsome,
With his uniform and saber;
And his fine black eyes
Look love as he rides by!"

while the chef in the kitchen glared furiously at his omelette souffle, and vowed terrible things to M'sieu Zhames if he looked at Celeste more than twice a day

"Good morning," said M'sieu Zhames, hanging up his towel. His face glowed as the result of the vigorous rubbing it had received.

"Bon jour!"—admiringly.

"Don't give me any of your bong joors, Miss,"—stolidly. "There's only one language for me, and that's English."

Merci! You Anglaises are so conceit! How you like me to teach you French, eh M'sieu Zhames?"

"Not for me,"—shaking his head. She was very pretty, and under ordinary circumstances . . . He did not finish the thought, but I will for him. Under ordinary circumstances, M'sieu Zhames would have kissed her.

"No teach you French? Non? Extraordnaire!" She tripped away, laughing, while the chef tugged at his royal and M'sieu Zhames whistled.

"Hang the witch!" the new groom murmured. "Her mistress must be very generous, or very positive of her own charms, to keep a sprite like this maid about her. I wonder if I'll run into Karloff?" Karloff! The name chilled him, somehow. What was Karloff to her! Had he known that she was to be in Washington for the winter? What irony, if fate should make him the groom and Karloff the bridegroom! If Karloff loved her, he could press his suit frankly and openly. And, as matters stood, what chance on earth had he, Warburton? "Chuck was right; I've made a mistake, and I am beginning to regret it the very first morning." He snapped his fingers and proceeded to the right wing, where the horses were.

At nine o'clock he led Jane and Dick out to the porte-cochere and waited. He had not long to loiter, for she came out at once, drawing on her gauntlets and taking in long breaths of the morning air. She nodded briefly, but pleasantly, and came down the steps. Her riding-habit was of the conventional black, and her small, shapely boots were of patent-leather. She wore no hat on her glorious head, which showed her good sense and her scorn for freckles and sunburn

"We shall ride north, James; the roads are better and freer. Jane has a horror of cars."

"Yes, Miss Annesley,"—deferentially. "You will have to teach me the lay of the land here-abouts, as I am rather green."

"I'll see to it that you are made perfectly acquainted with the roads. You do not know Washington very well, then?"

"No, Miss. Shall I give you a—er—boot up?" He blushed. He had almost said "leg up."

She assented and raised her boot, under which he placed his palm, and sprang into the saddle. He mounted in his turn and waited.

"When we ride alone, James, I shall not object to your riding at my side; but when I have guests, always remember to keep five yards to the rear."

"Yes, Miss." If he could have got rid of the idea of Karloff and the possibilities which his name suggested, all this would have appealed to him as exceedingly funny.

"Forward, then!"—and she touched Jane's flank with her crop.

The weather was perfect for riding; no sun, a keen breeze from the northwest, and a dust-settled road. Warburton confessed to me afterward that this first ride with her was one of the most splendid he had ever ridden. Both animals were perfect saddle-horses, such as are to be found only in the south. They started up the road at a brisk trot, and later broke into a canter which lasted fully a mile. How beautiful she was, when at length they slowed down into a walk! Her cheeks were flaming, her eyes dancing and full of luster, her hair was tumbled about and tendrils fluttered down her cheeks. She was Diana; only he hoped that she was not inclined to celibacy.

"Have you ever ridden with women before, James?"

"Several times with my major's daughter,"—thoughtlessly.

"Your major's daughter? Who was your regimental colonel?"

James bit his lips, and under his breath disregarded William's warning about "cussing." "Permit me, Miss Annesley, to decline to answer."

"Did you ride as an attendant?"

"Yes; I was a trooper."

"You speak very good English for a stableman."

"I have not always been a stableman."

"I dare say. I should give a good deal to know what you have been.

"I HAVE NOT ALWAYS BEEN A STABLE MAN."

Come, James, tell me what the trouble was. I have influence; I might help you."

"I am past help;"—which was true enough, only the real significance of his words passed over her head. "I thank you for your kindness."

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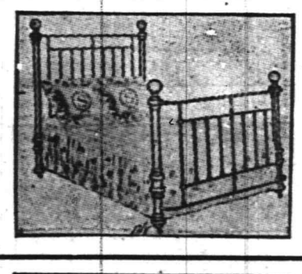
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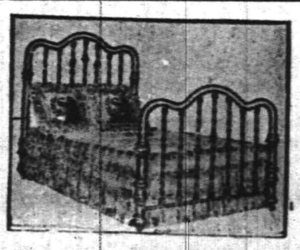
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The letter from the paymaster-general is as follows:

"Trenton, N. J., Feb. 17, 1906.

"Respectfully returned to Capt. Patterson, only members of the National Guard (Third Regiment,) who went to Sea Girt, May 2, 1898, and were mustered into United States service on or before May 12, 1898, are entitled to this pay.

"Recruits mustered after May 12, 1898, are not entitled to this pay.

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Westfield Couple Married.

Westfield, Feb. 20.—Miss Adele Bogart, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bogart, of Central avenue, and Frederick Ungerer, of Dudley avenue, Westfield, were quietly married in New York city Saturday. The young people are both favorites in society here and the news of their marriage comes as a surprise.

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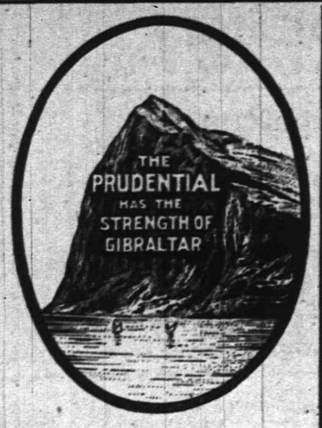

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SPORTS HERE AND THERE

DIAMOND DUST.

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Howard Craig, who manages last year's Dunellen team, says that he does not think the town will have a representative nine this summer.

"Pete" Cassidy, first baseman of the Jersey Citys, who is well-known here, has an offer to manage the Lancaster, Tri-State League Club, to succeed Jesse Frysinger, who died two weeks ago.

"Lou" Wiltse is still laying low and saying nothing about his plans for the coming season. However, he confidently expects to be re-instated by the National Commission and if he is there will be a chance for him to go to Cincinnati.

H. Walter Schlicter, of Philadelphia, and Nat. C. Strong, of New York, will book the entire schedules of the Philadelphia Giants, the All-Cubans, Brooklyn Royal Giants, the Murray Hills, the Paterson Club and many other teams.

Ye baseball fans get busy. When the season rolls around you will want good games and it will then be too late unless something is done now. Plainfield cannot afford to let Westfield walk off with the plum while it is possible to keep it here.

ROD AND GUN.

Game Warden C. M. Hawkins, of Elizabeth, is now arranging to liberate 1,000 quail in Union county. Of this number about 300 will be released in this part of the county, Fred Endress and J. A. Staats now having a number in their possession.

The number apportioned to Union county was selected from 18,000 sent to New Jersey. The birds, which are larger and stronger than those secured before, come from Kansas and are considered the finest specimens ever seen in New Jersey. During the open season for quail many hunters complained that they could not find any birds, yet Warden Hawkins says that he was out several times and never failed to find a bevy. He hopes that when the next season for quail comes around the sportsmen will find plenty of them.

Educators Return Home.

Samuel St. John McCutchen, of the borough, a member of the State Board of Education, who with Governor E. C. Stokes and other members of the State Board of Education has been inspecting the Normal School at Providence, R. I., has returned home.

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RADICALS ARE IN THE SADDLE NOW

THAT IS WHAT FORMER SENATOR SMITH SAID TO FORMER PRES. CLEVELAND.

Former President of the United States Grover Cleveland, of Princeton, and former United States Senator James Smith, Jr., of Newark, met on a ferryboat on the way from New York to their respective homes a few days ago and the substance of some of their conversation has just become known. It concerned the condition of politics from a national standpoint.

"I told Mr. Cleveland," said Senator Smith, in discussing their little chat, "that there is no use for conservatism in these days. He knows, and I know, that this is a period of radicalism, and for the time being the man who has the most extreme measures to propose is likely to meet with the most political success."

"How about Jersey conditions?"

"Well, there is a queer Legislature in Trenton that is likely to do anything. Governor Stokes is a remarkably able man, and I fancy he will control the legislative work. An interesting feature will be the enactment of the Assembly district plan. The courts may eventually sustain the district plan and that would end the county boss system. The county boss rose as a political power when the district system gave way to that of county elections of Assemblymen. A bill which will not pass is that for primaries on the United States Senatorship. The Republican leaders will refuse to allow that to pass, you may be sure."

"What about his new Public Service Corporation deal?"

"I guess it will go through all right, and Newark may be glad to get rid of some of the big financial responsibility which it now has. The whole management should be made more acceptable to the public and can be without much trouble."

MOST SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

Y. M. C. A. Orchestra Presents Fine Programme to Big Crowd.

The twenty-second concert of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra last night was a notable success. The programme was well balanced and the players were never in better form. Most of those in the large audience rated it the best concert ever held by the Korff organization.

There were ten members in all in the programme, which included baritone solos by E. C. Martin, a string trio by Messrs. Paroubek, violin; Muller, 'cello, and Harold, piano. Mr. Martin's singing was much enjoyed and enthusiastically applauded. A bass viol duet by Dr. Buchanan and J. Beyer was a feature.

The concert will be repeated tonight.

"February Social."

Under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church a "February Social" will be held in the parlors of the church tomorrow night. Supper will be served from 6 to 8:30 o'clock, to be followed by an entertainment. Miss Ruth Maxson is chairman of the committee in charge and the idea is to make the affair appropriate to "Washington's Birthday."

Says She Threatened to Poison Him.

Elizabeth, Feb. 20.—Miss Lillian Keller, of 215 Palmer street, was a prisoner in police court here yesterday, charged with declaring she would poison her brother-in-law, Valentine Keller, of this city. The latter declared his life, he feared, was in danger, from the woman. She was held in $200 bail to keep the peace.

—Hecker's Superlative and Pillsbury's Best flours are the best known to the trade. Neuman Brothers are quoting a special price by the barrel on each for a few days only.

ASSEMBLYMAN TUCKER'S BILL IS SUSPICIOUS

EDUCATIONAL MEASURE OF THE UNION MAN STIRS UP NEWARK OFFICIALS.

Assemblyman Everett, of Essex, has called the attention of the Newark Board of Education to a bill which was introduced in the House last Wednesday by Assemblyman Tucker, of Union. It is an amendment to the Colby school act, and, in the opinion of some, compels the Mayor to appoint a new Board of Education within sixty days of its passage without giving the people an opportunity to accept its provisions.

When the bill was introduced Mr. Tucker stated that it simply provided for the appointment by the Mayor of any city in the State which should accept the act at an election of a non-partisan board of eight members. Elizabeth, he said, was anxious to get rid of its present elective board of twelve members, which was too unwieldly and which did not give the satisfaction it was expected a smaller appointive body would. Earlier in the session he introduced a bill for an appointive board which was applicable only to cities of Elizabeth's class,, but having received a hint from "higher up" that the measure was unconstitutional he had dropped it and put his new measure in its place.

The bill is so made up of amendments to different sections of the school law and applies to municipalities which have accepted the provisions of certain sections in such a complicated way that it requires a trained legal mind to unravel the tangle. It appears to some lawyers who have examined it that either it conceals an Ethopian in the woodpile or is very loosely drawn. For example, it is pointed out that the first section, which is an amendment to section thirty-eight of the law, provides that within sixty days of the passage of the act the Mayor or other executive officer of any city of the State shall appoint a non-partizan Board of Education, and proceeds to designate the terms for which the first board so appointed shall hold office.

The section ends with this provision: "Any such school district which now has or hereafter may have a Board of Education appointed as aforesaid, may accept the provisions of section thirty-nine of the act to which this is an amendment, in the manner prescribed for such acceptance in section forty of said act."

According to the lawyers there is nothing in this section to show that it shall not become operative until the people have accepted the provisions of the act, while it compels the Mayor to appoint a board within sixty days after its approval whether it has been accepted by a vote of the people or not.

The section which provides for the referendum reads:

"Amend section forty of said act that it shall read as follows:

"The acceptance of the provisions of either section thirty-eight or thirty-nine shall be submitted to the qualified voters of any municipality acting under the provisions of article four of the act to which this is an amendment, at a general or municipal election, or at a special election held therein for such purpose; provided, that such submission shall be had and such vote shall be taken whenever the Common Council, Board of Alderman or other legislative body of the municipality, or the Board of Education of any school district situate in such municipality shall have, by resolution, determined or whenever at least five per centum of the legal voters of such municipality as shown by the election returns of the last election in such municipality shall, by their petition, duly signed and delivered to the clerk of such municipality, have requested that such question shall be submitted; provided further, after the question of accepting the provisions of either section thirty-eight or thirty-nine shall have been submitted to the legal voters of any such municipality, the question of the acceptance of the provisions of such section shall not again be submitted until at least five years shall have elapsed."

As this makes no specific provision for a special election for the purpose of accepting or rejecting the act, it is claimed, it practically leaves the voting on the act to be done at the general election in November.

This, it is further claimed, leaves the absurd situation of the Mayor being obliged to appoint, within sixty days of the approval of the act, a non-partisan board of eight members, and then at the general election in November, months after the appointments have been made and the appointees have entered upon their duties, the voters shall solemnly proceed to declared by their ballots whether they want the new board.

Whether this is the correct view of the situation, the local authorities believe there is enough in it to warrant them in requesting that the bill be held up until they can thoroughly examine into the matter and prepare the amendments necessary to remove all its ambiguity.

Mr. Everett is a member of the Committee on Education, to which the bill has been referred, and he intends to see that the interests of Newark are protected.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. George F. Brown, of Grove street, is out after an illness of two weeks with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stewart, of West Seventh street, have returned from a stay in New York.

Mrs. Melinda Megan, of the borough, has returned from a visit with relatives in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Irving W. Bininger, of East Fifth street, is visiting friends in Maryland and Virginia for two weeks.

NOTES.

A note given by a minor is void.

Notes bear interest only when so stated.

It is not legally necessary to say on a note "for value received."

If a note is lost or stolen it does not release the maker. He must pay it.

If the time of payment of a note is not inserted it is held to be payable on demand.

Notes falling due Sunday or on a legal holiday must be paid on the day previous.

A note obtained by fraud or from a person in a state of intoxication cannot be collected.

An indorser has a right of action against all whose names were previously on a note indorsed by him.

An indorser of a note is exempt from liability if not served with notice of its dishonor within twenty-four hours of its nonpayment.

Chas. Dana Gibson Pictures Free.

The New York World will publish a series of articles on pen and ink sketching as exemplified in the work of Charles Dana Gibson, the great American artist, and by special arrangement with Collier's Weekly, has obtained a series of ten of Gibson's originals which illustrate best his versatile art. These etchings will be issued as a special art supplement to the Sunday World beginning next Sunday, February 18. They will be produced in a style never before attempted by any newspaper. They will be printed from copper plates on an "eggshell-finish" art paper in black line drawing on a cream buff background. Each picture will be on a separate sheet, ten by fifteen inches, just a convenient size for framing. One of the pictures will accompany each issue of the Sunday World for ten Sundays. Order a set of ten from your newsdealer. The Gibson Art Series is limited and advance order is necessary. The entire ten, with ten weeks' Sunday World, will be sent postage paid, on receipt of 75 cents. It will be more convenient, however, for you to purchase from a newsdealer if one is nearby.

George Newton and Wife Separate.

George Newton, of North Plainfield, advertises in today's issue of The Daily Press, that he and his wife, Lovinna Newton, have separated and that he will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

Board Will Not "Resolve."

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade has been postponed from Thursday, March 1 until Wednesday, March 7, on account of the Junior's American banquet.

—A son has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Cullinan, of Prescott place.

—Helen Joy, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Joy, of North Plainfield, who was operated upon for appendicitis at Muhlenberg Hospital Saturday, by Dr. Ellis W. Hedges, is rapidly recovering.

Crescent Company, No. 13, U. R. K. of P., will install its recently elected officers tonight. Following the work the members and guests will enjoy a social time.

Roake's moving pictures will be given at Hope chapel Friday night, for the benefit of the Sunday-school.

MRS. SHELAND TO SPEAK AT SCHOOL DEDICATION

NOT PROVIDED FOR ON PROGRAMME BUT WILL BE CALLED UPON.

Among the notables who will attend the dedication of the Plainfield High School Thursday afternoon will be Mrs. Shelland, who is best known to Plainfielders as Miss Julia Bulkley, Dr. Maxson's predecessor as superintendent of the local schools. Her home is now in Minnesota, but she made the trip East especially to witness the exercises, having always retained her interest in Plainfield educational matters.

When asked this morning whether Mrs. Shelland would have a place on the dedication programme, Dr. Maxson said, "Certainly. The board had no thought of Mrs. Shelland's being here, her home is so far away, and it was only by chance that I myself learned that she was comign. This was after the programme had been approved by the board and sent to the printer; but I am very sure the president of the board, Dr. Probasco, will ask her to speak somewhere on the programme, even though no place has been formally provided."

The new school is limited in its seating capacity and while the board would have liked to throw the exercises open to the public without any restrictions, it seemed, from former experiences with graduations, that the hall would be filled up by idle curiosity seekers and the people really interested would be shut out. Therefore, they decided to admit only by ticket, but these tickets may be obtained freely on application to Mr. Travell, the High School principal, at the High School, as long as they last.

No one will be admitted without ticket. In order to give as many seats as possible to the public tickets are not given to the pupils themselves except to the Glee Club who sing.

NO TRACE OF FORMER JUSTICE.

Continued Absence of Sullivan Causes Talk in Harrison.

The continual absence of former Police Justice William Sullivan from his home in Harrison has been responsible for a great deal of talk in that town. Mr. Sullivan has been gone a month, leaving town soon after the Harrison police docket disappeared so mysteriously from the police station. The docket contained the records of the police justice's office for the past fourteen years, and while the Police Committee made some inquiries as to its disappearance nothing definite was learned. Some of the former official's friends when asked yesterday if they knew where he could be found said they had no knowledge of his whereabouts.

Councilman Daly, who is a member of the Police Committee, declared that the committee had done nothing further in the Sullivan case. Because of the fact that the docket was still missing the committee, he said, could do nothing. Mr. Daly added that as far as he knew the Sullivan matter was practically in the hands of the Hudson County Grand Jury.

YOUNG WOMAN'S DEATH.

Miss Cora F. Young Passes Away After a Lingering Illness.

Following an illness of several months, Miss Cora Frances Young, youngest daughter of the late Cornelius S. and Matilda B. Young, died at her home on East Second street yesterday afternoon. She had lived in this vicinity all her life and enjoyed a wide local acquaintance. She was a member of Trinity Reformed church and before her illness was active in the work of its societies. There are surviving three sisters, Mrs. Andrew Mulford, Miss Mary Young and Miss Lulu Young, also two brothers, Lee and Jonathan B. Young.

The funeral will be held at her late residence Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

"The History of Education."

Mrs. Hugh F. Fox presented an interesting paper before the Monday Afternoon Club at the Casino yesterday, on the subject of "The History of Education." The subject was treated in a general way.

Mrs. Crane's Talk.

Under the auspices of the King's Messengers of the First Presbyterian church, Mrs. William Crane, of Elizabeth, gave an interesting talk yesterday afternoon on foreign missions.

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LITTLE BOY SAVES HIS HOME.

New Providence Lad Puts Out Fire in House.

New Providence, Feb. 20.—By his presence of mind, little Leo Kaemmerer, of this borough, prevented a disastrous fire in his father's house on Springfield avenue. On Saturday afternoon Leo, with his mother and brother Harry, started for West Summit depot to catch a train for Summit, where Mrs. Kaemmerer has a store. They had not gone for when Leo thought of something that he had forgotten to bring with him.

"Oh, mamma!" he said, "I've got to go back; I've forgotten something."

"All right." replied his mother, "her's the key. We'll wait for you."

They waited for several minutes, but the lad did not appear.

"I bet he's in some kind of mischief," said Harry.

"We'd better go back and see," said the mother, and they started toward the house. On opening the door they smelled the odor of something burning and found that the house was filled with smoke.

"Leo! Leo!" called Mrs. Kaemmerrer, fearing for her son's safety.

"Here' I am, mamma, puttin' out the fire," a faint voice responded from the dining room. There they rushed, and in the midst of a cloud of smoke they saw little Leo heroically stamping out the last of a fire which had consumed most of the carpet.

"What is this?" said Harry. "How did it happen?"

"I guess a coal fell out on the floor," responded the little fireman. "I came in and it was all burning, and I had to put it out, so the house wouldn't burn down."

Funeral of Charles McCarthy.

Te funeral of Charles McCarthy, who died at his home on Plainfield avenue Sunday, was held at St. Mary's churc hthis morning. Rev. Father Delehanty officiated in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery. Mr. McCarthy was sixty years old and had resided in the West End for a great many years. He leaves one son, Daniel McCarthy, of Central avenue.

Death of Theron S. Atwater.

Theron S. Atwater, the real estate dealer, died at his home on East Front street yesterday afternoon. He had been ill two weeks with heart trouble. He was sixty-four years old and leaves a wife and family. The funeral will be held from his late home Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6:46 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:42 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:42 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER
Rain tonight, colder; Thursday, fair, colder.
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LIVELY AUTO HEARING

Friends and Foes of Frelinghuysen's Bill Argue.

C. A. REED'S PROTEST

Attacks Drastic Legislation as the Representative of Local Association—Repartee Tilt With Farmers' Representative.

Automobilists of this city were strongly represented at the hearing on the Frelinghuysen and Jackson bills before the Judiciary Committee of the Senate, in the Assembly chamber at Trenton yesterday. Former Senator Charles A. Reed appeared before the committee to speak for for the Union County Automobile Association, and T. E. H. Curtis, Dr. F. C. Ard, Henry Suydam, A. B. Laing and Richard Stevens, who are members of the association, helped to swell the crowd. Mr. Reed is himself an enthusiastic autoist.

It was the most interesting hearing of the session. Early in the morning the corridors of the State House were filled by men and women wearing fur-lined coats and other apparel, indicating that they are automobilists. In front of the State House there were lined upon both sides cars of every description, from the $750 machine to the $15,000 car.

The foes of the bill were headed by Wilbur F. Sadler, Jr., of Trenton, chairman of the Legislative Committee of the Associated Automobile Clubs of New Jersey, who introduced Senator Reed, the first speaker. It was 12:30 o'clock when Senator Hillery announced that one and one-half hours would be allowed the opponents and one hour to those in favor of the measure.

Senator Reed, on behalf of the Plainfield club read a petition signed by the members opposing the bills, which were characterized as drastic, and declaring they were in favor of a law that would provide for the revocation of a license for violation. Summary arrest and conviction were denounced, and it was urged that trial for violation should be in no court of lower jurisdiction that the Court of Common Pleas. The present law, he said, was good enough, if properly enforced, which could be done if the numbers were placed on the front as well as the rear of the machine.

The speaker also agreed that no person should be permitted to use a machine unless licensed to do so. He referred to 1888, when employed as counsel for the League of American Wheelmen, it took him three days to find a Senator—Pfeifer, of Camden—willing to introduce the bill, and then only by request. The opposition then was the same as now, because it was new, and the speaker said when the flying machine came into general use he anticipated similar opposition for like reasons.

In conclusion, former Senator Reed said the fee charged should be a license fee, and not a fee to raise revenue, which would be illegal unless all classes of vehicles were included. He objected to licensing only the professionals, who, he said, were responsible for most of the objections offered, and said the only true way of stopping the abuse was to make it known that a violator of the law would be barred from a license for all time.

Mr. Reed took the bill by sections and pointed out its many objections to users of automobiles, and said that what was needed was a law preventing a reckless driver from driving a machine at all. He asserted that automobiles do not damage roads as do wagons.

In reply to a question of Senator Wakelee if the proposed tax was not an occupation license, Senator Reed said that, in his judgment did not apply, for an occupation license was one which under the broad power of police militated against public health.

Senator Reed said that a law which would take hold of a reckless autoist good and hard for misdeeds was what the people wanted, and the taking away of all license to operate a machine was the true solution of the problem.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fletcher, of West Seventh street, entertained a company of friends at their home last evening, whist being the feature. There were four tables. Mrs. Samuel Anderson received the prize for the women and William Fletcher the one for the men. Refreshments and a social time followed.

Sesame Club Postpones.

Owing to the fact that tomorrow is a holiday the next regular meeting of the Sesame Club will be held Thursday, March 1, at the residence of Mrs. C. W. Tennant, 750 Kensington avenue.

HOLIDAY'S ATTRACTIONS

Washington's Birthday Will Be Generally Observed Here as Usual.

BUSINESS SUSPENDED

Dedication of the New High School and Alumni Reunion An Event of the Day—Other Affairs Scheduled.

Washington's Birthday will be generally observed in Plainfield as usual, and there will practically be a suspension of business. All of the stores and factories will shut down for the day, while the drug stores will close in the afternoon from 1 to 6 o'clock. The circulating department of the Public Library will be closed, but the reading room will be open in the afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock.

The most important event of the day will be the dedication of the new High School building at Ninth street and Arlington avenue, and the alumni association reception in the evening. The handsome new school will be dedicated at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, an attractive programme having been arranged for that occasion, which has already been published in these columns. The reception in the evening will be the first of what is proposed as an annual event and the association will probably be fully organized at this first meeting.

Another event of interest will be the "Colonial fete," to be held at the Casino in the afternoon and evening under the auspices of the Cup Bearers' Circle, King's Daughters. A feature of both the afternoon and evening will be the presentation of an original play written by Miss Louise Saunders, entitled "The Grim Truth." There will also be moving pictures and illustrated songs and violin solos by Miss Hyatt. There will also be a sale of fancy articles and candy. The members of the circle will be dressed in Colonial costume and the spirit of the day will be carried out as far as possible. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the fund which supports the King's Daughters' city nurse.

Another affair that will attract many people will be the bazaar to be held in the afternoon and evening at Grace M. E. church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. There will be many features to interest all. The bazaar will be continued on Friday.

In the way of sports there will be little doing, aside from the shoot under the auspices of the Independent Gun Club at the grounds in North Plainfield. This will be in the afternoon and valuable prizes will be offered.

The local postal clerks will attend their annual convention to be held at Hoboken, and in many other ways Plainfielders will find ways to spend the day pleasantly.

The Y. M. C. A. offers a strong Star Course attraction for tomorrow night in "A Rogers-Grilley Recital,"—Van Veachton Rogers, harpist, and Charles T. Grilley, entertainer.

There will be matinee and evening dancing at the Empire Dancing Academy on East Front street.

Open house will be the rule at the Y. M. C. A. during the day and in the afternoon a good basketball game is scheduled. The opposing teams will be the ex-Scholastic and the N. P. H. S. At night the Star Course entertainment will be held.

Plainfield Aerie, No. 866, F. O. E., will give its annual Washington's Birthday eve ball in Saengerbund Hall tonight. The committee has gone to great expense in making arrangements and a large crowd is anticipated. Music will be furnished by a full orchestra and competent floor managers have been appointed.

Matinee and night performances will be given at the New Plainfield theatre, the attraction being "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World."

Another attraction tomorrow night will be the Co. K fair, where there will be many features.

FREEHOLDERS' WORK.

Minor Matters Considered at Bernardsville Meeting.

The Somerset County Board of Chosen Freeholders met on Monday at Bernardsville and the stone road at that place was viewed with the members of the Bernards township committee. After some discussion the matter of constructing drains across the road was postponed.

The line bridge between Somerset and Morris counties, near Millington, was reported to be in bad shape, and Messrs. Bunn, Philhower, Demler and Codington were appointed as a committee to meet with the Morris board, with power, to arrange for repairs.

—The Thursday afternoon clinic will not be held at the hospital this week, but emergency cases will be received.

WEDS IOWA HOTEL MAN

Miss Anna Eugenia Reid Bride of R. B. Kent.

PRETTY HOME AFFAIR

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Will Live In Sioux City, Ia., Where Groom Is In Business.

Miss Anna Eugenia Reid, daughter of Samuel Reid, and Richard Browning Kent, of Sioux City, Ia., were married at the home of the bride, 933 West Seventh street, yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives.

The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock by Rev. John Sheridan Zelie, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, pastor of the bride. Miss Reid was attended by Miss Bertha Draper Reid, as maid of honor, and Miss Lyda Ramsay, of Philadelphia, and Miss Anna Koonz, of Jersey City, as bridesmaids. The best man was Walter Dickey, of Sioux City; the ushers were John H. Hedzie, of Evanston, Ill., and Willard Reid, of Faribault, Minn.

The bridal party formed in the dining room, which was decorated in white, with bridal roses and lilies, preceded by ribbon bearers, little Miss Helen Terry and J. Albert Dean, 3d, the ushers, the bride, and her attendants marched through the hall, which was decorated in green, to the parlor, and thence to the library, which was hung in green and white, with Easter lilies, white carnations and tulips predominant in the color scheme. The bridal party was joined by the groom and his attendant before a bowered recess at the end of the library, where the ceremony was performed. The Episcopal service was used. Nuptial music was played by a four-piece orchestra. The party came in to the strains of the Lohengrin march, and "Oh, That We Two Were Maying," and "Oh, Promise Me" were played during the ceremony.

The bride was gowned in white liberty satin, with a rose point lace collar. She carried lilies of the valley. Her only ornament was a bar of pearls and diamonds, the gift of the groom. The bridesmaids were dressed in pale blue chiffon satin, with opalescent passamenterie. They wore wreaths of pink rosebuds and carried shower bouquets of carnations. The maid of honor wore white crepe de chine over blue, with a wreath of pink roses. She carried white roses. The ribbon bearers were dressed in white.

After the ceremony an informal reception was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent will spend three weeks on a honeymoon trip to Jamaica. They will live in Sioux City, where the groom is well known as a hotel man.

The bride received a very large number of handsome gifts. They included silver, cut glass, rugs, china, furniture and objects d' art.

SOUGHT DOCTORS VAINLY.

Man With Smashed Finger Had Long Search for Relief.

George Ayers, an employe of Schwed Brothers, East Front street, didn't pull his hand from the jamb quickly enough as he stepped out of the doorway at closing time Monday night, and the heavy door, swung by a powerful spring, closed on the little finger. The finger was mashed to the bone.

Ayers had a hard time getting the injury dressed. He went to the offices of three doctors without finding one home, and in desperation, he went to Druggist B. J. Schreiner, Park avenue and Second street, for relief. He was suffering intensely, but the druggist could do nothing for him; the injury was too serious. Ayers went out on his pilgrimage for relief again. He was lucky enough to catch Dr. Long at home, and the finger was dressed. The delay in treatment will retard its healing, but it will be saved.

After Ash Wagon Drivers.

Chief Weiss recently notified borough ash collectors that rickety wagons that dropped part of their contents in the street would not be tolerated. One owned and driven by Henry Palmer, was particularly obnoxious this morning and he was placed under arrest. He was released for appearance before Mayor Smalley tonight.

Funeral of Adolph Vollmers.

The funeral of Adolph Vollmers was held from his late home on East Seventh street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. A. S. Peck, rector of St. Stephen's church, officiated in the presence of a gathering of relatives and friends. Interment was at Hillside.

—S. Scheuer & Co.'s store will be closed all day tomorrow, Washington's Birthday. Open this evening. *

"LARRY" GETS HIS DUES

Judge Vail Sentences Wallace to Three Years in State's Prison.

IS AN OLD OFFENDER

Convicted of Breaking and Entering Rapp's Hotel in Scotch Plains—Others Sentenced Today.

One of the surprises in the Union County Court this morning when sentences were pronounced by Judge Vail was the one imposed upon "Larry" Wallace, convicted of the charge of breaking and entering Rapp's Hotel at Scotch Plains recently. He was sentenced to three years in State prison. Judge Vail remarked that the defendant had been before the court so many times on various charges that he considered that he had no good excuse to offer.

Since being convicted of the charge of entering Rapp's Hotel, Wallace was arrested at Scotch Plains for being drunk and disorderly and was sent to the county jail for thirty days. This sentence is not yet completed.

Frank H. Brown, colored, who pleaded guilty to stealing a watch from Charles Vermeule, a trolley car conductor, was put in charge of the probation officer.

Thomas Flaherty, of Elizabeth, found guilty of seduction, upon promis of marriage, was sentenced to five years in State prison. His counsel, James C. Connolly, of Elizabeth, announced that he would take this case up on a writ or error.

James O'Rourke, of Summit, guilty of breaking and entering a trunk belonging to Anthony Hubbard, and taking $300, was sent to the Reformatory, as was also Joseph R. Miller, a boy found guilty of indecent assault.

James M. Wilson, who was found guilty of forging a note for $35, upon which he realized $25 in cash, was given two months in the county jail, and Erick Olssom and Bernard Nelson, of Elizabeth, found guilty of assault and battery on Charles Curtis, also of Elizabeth, were fined $25 each. Michael Gash, alias George Miller, of Westfield, guilty of the charge of assault and battery on W. H. Barton, a liveryman of Westfield, was put in charge of the probation officer.

POLICE COMMISSION BILL

Perkins Introdnces Measure to Take Place of Act Declared Unconstitutional.

FOR 2ND CLASS CITIES

Applies to Elizabeth but Not to Plainfield—Mayor Buckle Still Firm for Bi-Partisan Board.

As forecasted some time ago, a new police commission bill has been introduced in the Legislature and will undoubtedly become a law. Assemblyman Randolph Perkins, of Westfield, leader for the "organization," is sponsor for the measure, which, it is said, was drawn by Frank Bergen, of Elizabeth. It covers only second class cities of over 50,000 people, and accordingly Plainfield will not fall under its provisions.

It is Assembly bill No. 252, and abolishes the present law under which police boards are now appointed in second class cities having a population over 50,000, and re-enacts the same with some changes.

When Mayor Buckle was seen today he said that he had not changed his mind regarding the value of a police commission, adding that if a law was passed enabling him to do so, he would take advantage of it. "I think it would be helpful to have a bi-partisan board. As the police department is conducted under the present system there is one very unsatisfactory feature. The councilmanic committee only serves for a brief term and as soon as it gains valuable experience it is succeeded by another committee. A commission would be more satisfactory."

Company K Fair.

Attracted by the presence of George Offerman, the well known vocalist, and the excellence of the dance music, a large crowd attended the Company K fair last night. Offerman's singing was the feature of the evening. He will be at the fair again tonight.

Question Club Entertainment.

Last evening the Question Club was entertained at the home of Miss Clara Crane. Games, music and dancing were the forms of amusement. Refreshments were served and prizes awarded.

HAS MITCHELL ARRESTED

Senior Deacon of the Calvary Baptist Church Swears Out Warrant.

CHARGES DISTURBANCE

Deacon Says Dominie Fractured the Peace of the Church Sunday Night—Statement by Lawyer Murphy.

There was a new development in the Calvary church row this morning. Rev. J. W. Mitchell, who, as acting pastor, had Rev. P. T. Morris arrested in the pulpit Sunday night, was himself arrested this morning on a warrant sworn out by Mansfield Robinson, charging him with disturbing the peace. Robinson is senior deacon of Calvary, and the call to Rev. D. M. Bailey, who disputes the pastorate with Rev. Mr. Morris, is said to have been signed by him. Robinson charges Mitchell with disorder by loud talking and noisy demonstration before the arrest Sunday night.

The warrant was sworn out before Justice Hand. Constable Manley served it, and the justice bound over the prisoner in the care of the constable to appear when called for a hearing, date of which is to be set later.

Clarence L. Murphy, counsel for Morris, declared this morning that his client would pay no attention to the action of Justice Mosher in closing the case against him Monday afternoon.

"There was no decision that is binding on Mr. Morris or anyone else," he said. "The justice's declaration that he would put Mr. Morris under his own bond to keep the peace has no more weight than his fulmination against me. My client walked out of the court without the signing of any paper, and none will be signed. If he sees fit he may go into the pulpit of Calvary church again, and any man who lays a hand on him will find himself facing an action for false imprisonment."

In connection with the case, Mr. Murphy made the following statement to a Daily Press reporter:

The most convincing argument in favor of the abolition of the office of Justice of the Peace was made by the action of J. E. Mosher at Police Headquarters Monday afternoon during the farcical 'hearing" of alleged charges against Rev. P. T. Morris.

After having issued a warrant for the arrest of a minister of the gospel upon an insufficient affidavit, Mosher, without giving the accused an opportunity to be heard in his own defense, and upon the testimony of but one witness, attempted to pronounce a sentence upon the defendant.

This "hearing" was indeed a "farce" and a travesty of justice. But two persons have been wronged. First, the defendant, who was so unjustly accused, and whose good name has been smirched; and secondly, myself, who, acting as counsel for the accused was subjected to insult from Mosher, who attempted to charge me with a "breach of faith" as an attorney, contending that I had given counsel to both sides and had "violated my oath of office." After the complaining witness had testified, the fact that there was no just case against the defendant and finally dawned upon Mosher, who gladly accepted as true, the absurd statement of one witness (not the complainant) that I had advised the arrest of the defendant, as his excue for ending the "hearing" without giving me any chance for explanation.

The trouble in the Calvary Baptist church arose out of a dispute between two factions, each contending for their several candidates as the rightful pastor. As I have been the attorney of the church ever since its incorporation the members come to me for legal advice in church matters. In this particular instance, before any legal proceedings were taken, and before there was any attempt to cause trouble by J. W. Mitchell, or any one else, I advised both factions to settle their dispute within the church and refrain from going to law, and I never advised the arrest of any one.

It is an outrage that this statement of a witness should have been accepted as true by Mosher and used by him as an excuse to end the proceedings and insult a member of the bar.

This matter is not ended. The Rev. P. T. Morris will prosecute his claim for damages against the offending parties, and a warrant has been issued for the arrest of J. W. Mitchell.

Mrs. Boice's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Eden Boice will be held from her late home on West Third street Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will work the third rank on candidates Friday night.

FINED $1,000 FOR RUNNING DISORDERLY HOUSE

John J. Goff Must Pay the Price of a Saloon License For His Second Offense.

NO CLEMENCY SHOWN

Only a Short Time Ago Goff Was Fined for Conducting a Speakeasy—His Counsel Pleads In Vain for Mercy.

John J. Goff, who was convicted of the charge of keeping a disorderly house at George Seeber's hotel in West Front street, was arraigned before Judge Vail in the Union County Court this morning for sentence. A fine of $1,000 was imposed. That is the fee for a retail liquor license in this city. Judge Vail in imposing the fine cited the fact that in October last Goff was fined $50 on practically the same charge, which was meant as a warning. He said that he had fully considered the plea made for mercy and leniency in behalf of Goff. He then imposed the fine, warning Goff not to repeat the offense. The defendant received his sentence calmly.

Prior to the arraignment of Goff his counsel, William R. Wilson, made a strong plea for his client, and presented a petition signed by a large number of friends, asking for leniency in pronuncing sentence. Mr. Wilson expressed sorrow for his client in that he had transgressed the law, and stated that Goff had withdrawn his application for a liquor license in this city, closed his place and had decided to engage in some other kind of business. On this ground he asked the court to deal leniently with Goff.

Judge Vail evidently was not impressed greatly with the pleas made in behalf of Goff, believing that he should have heeded the warning of the court when a fine of $50 was imposed for illegal selling of liquor. After sentence was pronounced Goff held a consultation with his counsel, with a view to paying the fine. In default of this Goff would have to go to jail. It is believed that he will pay the fine.

Ever since Goff's Hotel was raided by Councilmen W. S. Tyler and former Councilman W. S. Bullock, he has been one of the most-talked-about men in the city. He was a conspicuous character at the trial of Chief Kiely on charges preferred by Messrs. Tyler and Bullock, which occurred after he was fined $50 in the Union County Court. Not long afterward there were rumors that he was again violating the law at his hotel, and Chief Kiely secured enough evidence to convict him.

The weakness of his case was apparent to all who attended the trial. Goff appeared in the role of a steward of the West End Pinochle Social Club, receiving a salary of $5 a week, while the club was said to have paid him $10 a month rental for rooms at the hotel. Neither Judge Vail or the jury was impressed with the plea of the defense, and it was expected that Goff would receive a heavy penalty.

PRISON FOR GALBRAITH

Given Three Years, Linzer, Ross and Holland Being Sentenced For Two.

OUTRAGES COMMITTEE

Court Said that Galbraith Could Have Been Given Fifteen Years—Mattis' Trial Is Next.

Heavy sentences were pronounced in the Union County Court this morning by Judge Vail, and in nearly every case no mercy was shown by Judge Vail, despite the pleas made by counsel. John Galbraith, who with Peter Linzer, William Ross and Thomas Holland, the last named a colored man, were found guilty of a henious offense in this city, was sentenced to three years in State prison, while Linzer, Ross and Holland received a sentence of two years in the same place.

Galbraith, who is seventy years of age, was the first one arraigned. Judge Vail referred to the fact that the defendant had stood trial and was found guilty of the charge. He said that while leniency had been sought in his case, he could have been sentenced to fifteen years in State prison. The judge declared that the case was one of the most outrageous that had ever been before him.

Linzer, Ross and Holland were then arraigned and each were sentenced to two years in State prison. The trio, in preference to standing trial, changed their pleas to guilty, and this no doubt secured for them a lighter sentence than that given Galbraith.

Richard Mattis, who was arrested with the other four on a similar charge, was recently transferred to Somerville, where the case against him will be tried. It is said that his offense was committed in Somerset county. It is expected that Galbraith, Linzer, Ross and Holland will be taken to Trenton either tomorrow or Friday to begin the serving of their sentences.

GOVERNOR TO ATTEND AMERICAN BANQUET

UNLESS AFFAIRS OF STATE PREVENT, HE WILL RESPOND TO A TOAST.

Mayor Newton B. Smalley, who went to Trenton yesterday to secure the acceptance of Governor Stokes to the invitation to attend the "Junior American banquet," to be held at the Casino Thursday night, March 1, says it is almost certain that the chief magistrate of the State will be here. The Governor informed Mr. Smalley that he was reserving the date and assured him that he would make every effort to come. Unless matters of State importance interfere, the Governor will be at the banquet and speak on the subject of "Our State." Senator Colby will be the principal speaker.

The tickets for the banquet are selling rapidly and those wishing to secure them should speak for them at once. It is expected that the sale will be stopped on Monday, so as to enable the committee to ascertain definitely how many to provide for. Tickets can be secured of Thomas E. Currin, at the First National Bank, or H. C. Runyon, in the bank building. Details of the affair are being perfected and it promises to be one of unusual interest not only to the members of Franklin and Benevolent councils, under whose auspices it is given, but citizens generally.

ENDEAVOR UNION FOR LOCAL OPTION BILL.

It Also Disapproves of Any Additional Licenses Here.

Under the auspices of the missionary committee of the Plainfield Christian Endeavor Union, a mass meeting will be held in Trinity Reformed church on Thursday night, March 15, when Rev. H. J. Scudder, a missionary from India, will give a stereopticon lecture. This was decided at a meeting of the executive committee of the union held last night.

A petition was drafted to be sent to the Common Council on Friday night. This petition opposes the granting of all liquor licenses and especially the granting of any new applications for the sale of intoxicating liquors during the coming year. A committee, comprising the president and treasurer, was also appointed to send a petition to the Assemblymen and Senator from this county, favoring the adoption of the local option bill.

TO PRESENT COMEDY AT THE PARK CLUB.

One Act Piece Will Preced Dance on Saturday Night.

Preceding the dance at the Park Club on Saturday night, the Park Comedy Club will present the one act farce comedy, "My Lord in Livery," by Theyre Smith, who has written a number of plays. It is a clever, bright play and those who have followed the rehearsals during the past five weeks predict that it will be a great success. The cast is as follows:

"Lord Thirlmere," C. E. Murray; "Spiggott," a butler, Charles H. Lyman; "Hopkins," a footman, Harry McGee; "Robert," a page, Roy McCutchen; "Sybil Amberley," daughter of "Sir Charles Amberley," Miss Margaret McCutchen; "Laura" and "Rose," her friends, Mrs. C. E. Murray and Miss Sarah Mae Howell.

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PERSONAL.

Wallace Morton, of West Front street, is confined to the house by illness.

Miss Mary Woolston, of Fairview avenue, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

John P. Mosher is in Buffalo, N. Y., on business. He may locate there permanently.

George Emerson Mowen, of Mariners place, is confined to the house by illness.

Charles Staats, who has been spending three months in California, is on his way home.

Mrs. Elmer Volk, of Elmwood place, who has been seriously ill, continues to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace Coriell, of East Seventh street, are spending a month in California.

Mrs. Benjamin Fritts, of West Fifth street, has returned from a visit to relatives in Philadelphia.

Theodore B. Marsh, formerly of this city, but now of Hartford, Conn., has returned home after a visit here.

Mrs. William L. Smalley, Sr., of Craig place, who is spending some time with her son, David C. Smalley, of East Front street, is improved from a recent illness.

Tenadore VanCleef and daughter, Miss Edna VanCleef, of East Millstone, who have been visiting relatives here during the past two months, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis K. Hyde left on Monday for California, where they will remain for a couple of months. Upon their return they expect to occupy their new home on the mountain.

"Ladies' Night."

The Plainfield Shriners, together with their wives, will attend a "ladies' night" entertainment to be held by Salaam Temple, of Newark, on Friday night.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Mayor Bill Smith is pleased with his new location at Caldwell. He says business is brisk and booming. Bill looks prosperous.

The young women of the Presbyterian church are preparing a box to be sent to a mission school.

Fred Nelson, who formerly lived here, has taken over the management of a cafe in Newark.

Miss Edna Vail entertained friends at cards last night. Refreshments were served.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher will make their residence with Mrs. Josephine Vance.

The special meetings at the Presbyterian church will close for this week tonight.

Miss Emma Danz has recovered from her week-long attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Arthur Tappen is expected back from Massachusetts next week.

Washington's Birthday exercises were held in the schools today.

William Farrier is almost well. He will leave the house shortly.

Miss Irene Day has recovered from an acute attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. Bogue has returned from a visit to friends in New York.

Mrs. C. W. Blaine continues to improve from her illness.

There was one initiation at Court Dunellen's meeting.

Friendship Circle will not meet this week.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Exercises appropriate to Washington's Birthday were held at 1 o'clock this afternoon in the assembly room of the school. A programme of patriotic songs and recitations was enjoyed, after which the scholars were dismissed for a holiday until Monday.

The sociable and dance to be held tonight in the Suburban Club hall by the young men of St. Mary's parish, Stony Hill, promises to be an enjoyable affair. Tickets have sold well and the first dance given by the young men will be most successful.

The electric light service is getting worse and worse. Last night five lights were out in town. The principal light in town, corner of Park avenue and the trolley, has been out of commission since last Friday night.

Tomorrow will be generally observed in town as a holiday. The stores close part of the day, as well as the school, and nearly everyone will enjoy a holiday.

The auction sale of household goods of William E. Collins, of the borough, will be held at the house Friday, beginning at 10 a. m.

The attraction at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow, matinee and night, is that well known character, "Happy Hooligan."

The Brookside Gun Club seems to have died a natural death; not even a holiday shoot has been held this winter.

Mrs. H. C. Smith, of Westervelt avenue, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Louis Coddington, of Park avenue.

The Independent Gun Club shoot tomorrow will be attended by a number of the trap shooters from here.

Miss Josephine Ingram is spending the week's end at her home in Trenton.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The borough committee met last night in Temperance hall. Some persons from here are expecting to be at Trenton when the hearing is held on the bill next Tuesday.

Rufus Delafield has employed a Mr. Kennedy to care for his chicken business on the Sunswick poultry farm.

Printers' Union Conference.

L. W. Niles and James Kermode, of this city, represented the Plainfield organization at a conference of New Jersey printers' unions at Perth Amboy Sunday. The conference was on trade conditions in the various parts of the State, with especial reference to the struggle for the eight-hour day in Newark and Jersey City. Twenty-two unions were represented.

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THEATRICAL NOTES.

February is a short month but there are three great things in it—Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday and the Elks' minstrels.

B. C. Firstbrook, of Grant avenue, was a member of a theatre party that witnessed "The Earl and the Girl" at the New York Casino, last night.

Thomas Jefferson has announced that he will essay another of his late father's roles next season, Caleb Plummer in "The Cricket On the Hearth." He is at present appearing in "Rip VanWinkle."

P. H. Haverly's big minstrel company has been booked for early appearance at the New Plainfield. The troupe now numbers eighty people and is one of the largest organizations of its kind on the road.

There was a great handshaking bee at the New Plainfield, last night, when Manager Counihan met Kurt Eisfeldt, manager for Miss Irwin. The two are old friends, but it was the first time they had met since the Plainfielder, as manager for the "Happy Hooligan" show, gave a banquet at Kansas City in honor of Roselle Knott's company, "When Knighthood Was In Flower," with which Eisfeldt was connected. The affair took place at the Midland House and has been a pleasant memory in the minds of the two. Eisfeldt introduced Mr. Counihan to Miss Irwin and the latter congratulated him on the appearance and accommodations of the New Plainfield. She declared that she would return to this city next season, bringing her new play now being written for her by George V. Hobart, the author of "Mrs. Black Is Back."

Exile to Make Address.

Vladiner Gelesnoff, who will address the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. hall on Sunday afternoon, is a Russian of noble family and an exile for his faith. He is now delivering a series of lectures in the Marble Collegiate church, of New York city. Charles L. Lewis, baritone of the Lotus Glee Club and Martin A. Korff, violinist, will furnish special music.

Wedding This Afternoon.

Miss Anna Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reed, of West Seventh street, and R. B. Kent, of Topeka, Kansas, will be married at the home of the bride this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—Gustav. Gesswein, of East Fifth street, has leased the property at 808 West Front street, and will take possession about April 1.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

A clever imitation of George Cohan as "The Yankee Doodle Boy" is being presented by Harry A. Truax as a curtain raiser of the beautiful production of "A Daughter of the Revolution," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre tonight. Plainfield society is being presently agitated over the appearance of Mr. Trow, as he is making his first bow to the public under the brightest possible auspices.

At the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night the bill will be the new edition of the very successful farce comedy, "Happy Hooligan's Trip Arond the World." This successful comedy and musical melange is one of the brightest and most taking entertainments ever produced, and it will be seen this season in an entirely new dress of scenery, costumes and effects, as well as new accompaniments of music, specialties and dances. The management has expended $25,000 on the production and a company of all-star artists will be seen in the different roles. Among the headliners may be mentioned Mlle. Valesca, Charles F. Hanley, Joe J. Sullivan, Charles Newton, Joe Pettingill, Blanche Buelger and forty others.

One of the greatest moving pictures ever secured—nearly one thousand feet in length, and showing a band of train wreckers in their efforts to wreck the fast flyer on the D. L. & W. Railroad—will be given at the New Plainfield theatre Friday evening, February 23, by D. W. Robertson's Famous Moving Picture Company, of New York City. This is only one of the many moving pictures that will be presented on this occasion. Many others will be presented, such as "The Impracticable Journey," "The Hen That Laid the Golden Egg," "Keep It Straight," "Different Hair Dresses," and many others. In addition to the moving pictures there will be a grand entertainment by Professor Struck, the famous magician, assisted by Harry Willard, America's greatest piccolo-banjoist, as well as James J. Haack, musical director and accompanist; H. L. McIntosh and others. This will be the greatest entertainment that has ever been given in Plainfield.

Of the many great successes recorded this season, none comes more highly endorsed than the Vance & Sullivan Company's domestic comedy drama, "How Baxter Butted In," next Saturday's offering at the New Plainfield theatre, with Sidney Toler as Billy Baxter, the breezy drummer. The play is said to be replete with the atmosphere and character that are the main elements of strength and charm in all the best plays. It tells a good story, with plenty of humanity and heart interest, and is described as one of the most extensive and complete scenic productions of modern times.

What is in all respects one of the most elaborate attractions that will visit us this season comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night. It is a new romantic comedy opera of very high order, entitled "The Rose of the Alhambra." The book was written by Charles Emerson Cook, a brilliant writer, who is at the head of David Belasco's literary bureau, and the score by Lucius Hosmer, a Boston composer of note. Miss Lillian Blauvelt, the well known artiste, is the star of "The Rose of the Alhambra," and is surrounded with a superb cast of comedians and singers, including Eugene Cowles, Reginald Roberts, Lillian Hudson, Owen Westford and Frank Belcher. The book, the music and the production are said to be of most superior grade.

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

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Several persons will be received into membership on probation at the Monroe Avenue church at the next communion service.

The Intermediate and Junior Endeavor Society will meet at the Park Avenue Baptist church Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

A. D. Thompson, Jr., of Belvidere avenue, who has been engaged in business at Asbury Park, has given up his interests there and returned to Plainfield.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Monroe Avenue church will have charge of the service at the church Sunday night and Mrs. Bass, a missionary worker from New York, will make an address.

The annual business meeting of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will be held in the parlors of the church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. At that time reports will be presented and other important business considered.

Invited to Remain As Pastor.

Rev. Francis E. Whiteside, of East Norwich, L. I., is spending a few days in town with relatives and friends. Mr. Whiteside is pastor of the M. E. church at East Norwich and has just received an invitation to continue at this church another year. As yet Mr. Whiteside has not given his decision.

Rev. Dr. Halsey Will Preach.

Rev. Dr. Halsey, of New York, secretary for the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, will occupy the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday, morning and evening. Dr. Halsey is well and favorably known here, where he has preached a number of times.

Planning European Trip.

Mrs. Benjamin Arrowsmith Hegeman and daughter, Miss Virginia Hegeman, of Myrtle avenue, who have just returned from a pleasant stay at Atlantic City, are making preparations for a trip to Europe in April. They expect to be away several months.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 21, 1906.

There will be no issue of The Daily Press tomorrow, it being observed as a holiday marking the birthday of George Washington.

With both Governor Stokes and Senator Colby addressing its citizens, Plainfield will be doubly honored on the evening of March 1.

The community will be rid of "Larry" Wallace for a time at least. Judge Vail has arranged for him to spend three years in State prison.

Law-abiding people will not be disappointed in the punishment meted out to John J. Goff by Judge Vail today. The imposition of a fine of $1,000 for conducting a disorderly house is calculated to teach him that he can not persist in violating the laws and will deter others from committing similar offenses.

THE SAME JOLLY MAY.

A Little Heavier Than She Was But Still Annihilating the Blues.

The brand of jollity that accompanies May Irwin spread itself through the New Plainfield thearte last night and kept a big audience laughing for three hours. The rotund actress who made the "Bully" song famous may not be the lightweight she once was but she can sing a "coon" composition better than the so-called "shouters." She gave a number of songs last night, the best of which were "Don't Argufy" and "Stoker Bill." In "Mrs. Black Is Back" she has been provided by George V. Hobart with those cute sayings that always bring a giggle and her method of getting them off is sure death to the blues.

The supporting company was excellent as usual, Miss Irwin always selecting the members of her company after she makes sure she has the right one for the right place. But one stage setting is used throughout the performance, yet it is arranged so prettily the fact is lost sight of.

WILLIAM LAING BURIED.

Funeral Held at Sister's Home Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral services of William Laing were held yesterday afternoon from the home of his niece, Mrs. Ernest A. Millard, 319 East Second street. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiated. He read appropriate Scripture selections and offered a tender prayer and then spoke a few earnest words in which he urged all to strive and so live that they would be prepared when the last call comes.

There were several floral tributes, including a wreath from the nieces and nephews and a pillow bearing the word "Brother," from the sisters and brother of the deceased.

The interment was in the Baptist cemetery in Plainfield avenue, and these members of the Carpenters' Union acted as pall-bearers: Charles F. Johnson, Alfred R. Vail, George S. Whitlock and Alexander Seargeant.

"BALANCING" STEVENS.

Former Plainfielder Here to Astonish the Natives.

"Balancing" Stevens, an eccentric acrobat and balancer of unusual ability and recklessness, will give an exhibition at Vardon's dancing academy, West Front street, Thursday. Stevens gave a street performance in front of the Iroquois Hotel on Second street yesterday afternoon. He put down a strip of carpet in the roadway and did hair-raising things. It was a really good show and the big crowd showed its appreciation when the hat came around.

Stevens used to live here. He says he is booked for Keith's, Philadelphia, next week, and the Union Square house the week after. He looked good enough for the big circuit yesterday.

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THE FORUM.

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Editor, The Daily Press:

It is unfortunate for the City of Plainfield that there are so many of our citizens, freeholders, who will sign applications for saloon licenses without seeming to give any thought to the location sought or to the general public welfare; the only thought of some being that it will bring a few more coppers into their treasury.

It would be most difficult to find a location in all the city, unless it was next to a church or school and there it is impossible to locate, where a saloon would have a more unwholesome effect on the public morals than at 208 A Watchung avenue, where Charles Shanz has applied for a license. This would undoubtedly be an ideal place for a saloon from the saloonkeeper's point of view, but let us call to mind the fact that this point, which is the general transfer station of the trolley, is frequented by from 2,000 to 3,000 men, women and children every day in the year from early morning till late at night, both residents of our own city and visitors and passengers from every place on the trolley lines from Jersey City to Trenton. Another class of men who would be brought forcibly in contact with the saloon at this point would be the trolley employes, motormen, conductors, etc., men who are obliged by both their employers and the general public to be gentlemanly and sober and in whose hands are the lives of all those who patronize the trolley; it would be a shame, a disgrace, and it would seem, little short of a crime, for the city of Plainfield to allow a business of this character to be located in this vicinity, on however model lines it was proposed to run it.

Let those who are opposed to the extension of the saloon business in Plainfield at this or any other point file their protests with the Mayor and Council on or before February 23, when they will act on this matter.

Respectfully yours,
S. W. DUNNING,
40 Westervelt Ave.

Calvary Church Row.

Editor, The Daily Press:

Allow me through the columns of your paper to make a reply to the letter of Rev. P. T. Morris, purporting to be a true statement of the unhappy occurrence of Sunday evening at Calvary Baptist church. Mr. Morris' letter misrepresents the case. It is false, absolutely false, so far as the Calvary Baptist church extending him a call is concerned. Neither of his trusted friends, namely, Mr. Robinson or Spencer Conway, will dare to testify otherwise under oath. Mr. Morris knows better. Does he seek to deceive the public?

The facts of the case are as follows: On February 5 the Calvary Baptist church, after being duly called to convene, assembled to express preference for a pastor. Spencer Conway was in the chair, and Charles Hurley was clerk. The meeting was called to order, and as is customary the house was examined by deacons M. Robinson and Booker to ascertain if all were members. They reported everything was all right. The Rev. Mr. Morris' name was first presented. He received forty-eight votes. Then Rev. Griffin G. Bailey received sixty-four votes. Rev. Morris being rejected, the clerk was empowered to inform Mr. Bailey of his call to the church. Another church meeting was held on February 12 by the dissatisfied members.

Rev. Wallace just before his death, contemplating taking a vacation, chose me to take charge of the church till he returned. When he died, I was waited on by the deacons, who requested me to continue. This I did until December 4, 1905, at which time the congregation came together and a resolution was passed asking me to continue in office until a new pastor was chosen. It was the act of the church that placed me there, and was in vogue when Rev. Morris abruptly grabbed the reins out of my hands, and assumed duties which were justly mine.

On Friday evening Morris came into our prayer meeting unexpectedly, Spencer Conway arose and introduced Morris as the pastor. He said: "The church has called him;" which statement Conway knew was false, as did everyone present. He further said the trustees had hired him. Rev. Morris arose and said he accepted the call, made a short speech, and announced he would preach at 11 a. m. Sunday morning. He took his seat. Immediately several were on the floor, each clamoring to speak; others plying questions. I arose and exerted all my powers to quell what aeppared to be or might be, quite a tumult. After the usual morning salutation on Sunday I entered a protest against Morris assuming duties which, justly, belonged to me. I advised him to desist from preaching. He roughly replied, "I will not." I then said if you persist, you will be arrested. He said, "Let them arrest; there is plenty of money behind me, I know the law."

Let me say to the public, if this man had not been here for months around and among this people—as believed—using influence to get their vote for him, the present trouble would have been unknown in the Calvary church.

J. W. MITCHELL.

—William Jeffery, of Duer street, is having an automobile house built on the rear of his property. W. H. Kirch has the contract for the work.

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Small	59c	48c
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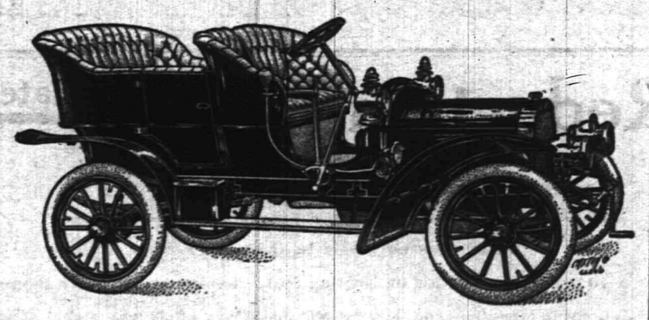

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PARK BOWLERS TIE FOR SECOND PLACE

PLAY OFF WITH ELIABETH CLUB ON MONDAY NIGHT TO DECIDE STANDING

The Park Club bowling team was in fine form last night and took three games from the Elizabeth Club bowlers, thereby tieing the county seat bowlers for second place. The tie will be rolled off on Monday night, probably on the Cranford alleys. The winner will receive the $10 prize. Westfield wins the Central Journal Bowling League trophy.

Although failing to win the trophy, the Parks have made a showing of which they may be proud, and they have captured several other prizes of almost equal importance. Daniel's score of 256 in the second game, last night, gives him high score prize of $10, and F. O. Ball, one of the strongest members of the local team, gets the highest individual average prize of $15, his average being 176.23. Barlow receives second average prize of $10 with an average of 175.3. Keys, of Elizabeth, came to Plainfield last night with high score of 254 and high average of 176.15, but lost both. He gets third average prize of $5 with a score of 174.8.

The Parks score of 962 in the second game, last night, is a record one for the league and is the highest ever rolled by the local team. The Parks also have the hightest team average, 853.3; Elizabeth, second, with 849.4, and Westfield, third, with 834.1. Long, of the Park team, has a fine average of 176.36, but has not rolled enough games to qualify.

The results of last night's series is as follows:

PARK CLUB.			
Barlow	166	166	182
Daniel	175	256	182
Willis	186	173	149
Long	189	168	199
Ball	196	199	167
	912	962	879
ELIZABETH.			
Wheelright	172	188	175
Tenney	187	152	156
Blanchard	134	219	139
Keys	181	158	149
Hunting	151	168	185
	825	885	804

Insurance Men Dine.

Superintendent Charles E. Ball, together with his assistants and agents attached to the local office of the Prudential Insurance Company, enjoyed a dinner at the Hotel Kensington, last night. The banquet was the result of a contest conducted by the agents. They formed themselves into teams of eight each and it was agreed that the team securing the least business for a certain length of time should give a banquet to the winning team. Covers were laid for eighteen and the insurance men thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Informal speeches were made.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS ALL DAY MEETING

MEMBERS OF FIRST BAPTIST ORGANIZATION ENJOYED VARIED PROGRAMME

Combining pleasure and business, the members of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church held an all-day meeting in the lecture room of the church yesterday. The programme was a varied one and proved to be one of interest as well as profit for the large number of women present.

During the morning the women were busy making aprons for the Day Nursery, and a quilt was made to be sent away in one of the mission barrels. While the time was being occupied with sewing, there was the presentation of papers concerning the Mormons by Mrs. Charles Robins and Mrs. Walter C. Dobbins, while three letters were received from teachers at a women's seminary at Saluda, N. C., where Miss Glass, formerly a teacher in the borough schools, is now principal. These letters told of the work among the "Highland Whites," and were very interesting.

At 12:30 a basket lunch was served under the direction of this committee: Mrs. Harold Serrell, chairman; Mrs. William Downing, Mrs. George H. Batchelor, Mrs. W. R. Codington, Mrs. Walter C. Dobbins and Mrs. George H. Fountain.

Following the lunch hour, a short devotional meeting preceded a business session. At this time Mrs. Reuben Knox, president of the society, who presided, appointed Mrs. Charles Robins, Mrs. O. B. Leonard and Mrs. Manning Runyon as a nominating committee to present a list of officers to be elected at the March meeting. It was also decided to hold a union missionary meeting of the three church societies—the Women's Home and Foreign and Young Women's Missionary societies. It is expected that Miss Post, a home missionary worker, will be present to make an address.

REV. DR. CHAMBLISS ON LONDON TOWN

PREACHER AND SCHOLAR PICTURES SCENES IN WORLD'S GREATEST CITY.

Before a large and appreciative audience, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss gave his illustrated lecture, "Here and There in London," at the First Baptist church, last night. There were about 100 fine views illustrating London, showing that wonderful city in all its interesting aspects.

In his informal talk Dr. Chambliss dwelt on St. Paul's Cathedral, Westminster Abbey, the Houses of Parliament and the Metropolitan Temple, where the late Rev. Charles Spurgeon preached for so many years and London Bridge. He also described some of the busy thoroughfares. Pictures were shown of the fine works of art in London and many historic facts were given about Westminster Abbey.

The lecture was given for the benefit of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the church.

HEARING ON FRANCHISE TAX.

Jersey City Man Criticised for Favoring Galvin Measure.

Trenton, Feb. 21.—There was another hearing in the House yesterday before the Judiciary Committee on the bills of Galvin and Martin regarding the franchise tax on corporations. The Galvin bill increases the amount from 2 per cent. on gross receipts to 5 per cent., while the Martin bill taxes according to the local assessment.

William B. Cudlipp, of Jersey City, favored the Galvin measure, but he was prettily severely criticised by Mr. Martin, who is a member of the committee. Mr. Cudlipp admitted that the Martin bill would bring in a greater revenue, but he did not think it was uniform. He thought the burden under the Martin measure was rather heavy.

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According to a statement of State Prison Inspector Jacob Shurts, of Somerville, George H. Wood, the murderer of George Williams, the Watchung grocer, and who is serving a thirty years' sentence for his crime, is living a very quiet life in the prison and never gives his keepers any trouble. He will perhaps get a few years off, if he keeps his good conduct up. The fits of epilepsy he is supposed to have had in the Somerset jail at Somerville have never manifested themselves since Wood was taken to Trenton.

Wood work nine hours a day in the shoe department of State Prison. He cuts out the tops of children's shoes from a pattern. He does not look as healthy as he did when on trial, but he is not unwell at that.

Wood's wife comes to see him occasionally and other friends do not forget him. He declares that he does not see why he should be imprisoned for a crime he never remembers having committed, when his wife and family are so much in need of him.

DEATH HAUNTS FAMILY.

Three Victims in a Week—Another Dying.

Elizabeth, Feb. 21.—Three deaths in a week, another member dying, and a nurse who attended the sick herself in a critical condition, is the record of the Passman family, at 572 Cherry street.

L. B. Passman, the head of the family, died a week ago from general debility. While the body was being borne to the cemetery Passman's widow, Margaret L. Passman, died from pneumonia. At the funeral of Mrs. Passman on Saturday, her niece, Mrs. Mary Kennedy, of Brooklyn, was stricken with apoplexy while standing by the side of the coffin and died the same day. Margaret Bauer, a daughter of Mrs. Passman, is now dying from pneumonia in the same house.

Thirty-Two Operations in 14 Years.

Charles Roralin, a peddler, of Newark, is in the German Hospital, that city, recovering from the effects of the thirty-second opertion which has been performed on his right leg in the last fourteen years. The leg has been cut off in small pieces, and only a short stump remains. He was injured in an elevator.

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Thursday, Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22—Matinee and Night—
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Night ..... 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

Friday, Feb. 23—
Robertson's Moving Pictures.
Prices—25c, 35c, 50c.

Saturday, Feb. 24—Matinee and Night—
"How Baxter Butted In."
Prices—Matinee 25c, 35c
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Monday, February 26—
Lillian Blauvelt,
In the romantic comedy opera success
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Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.

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$1,000 DOLLARS worth of second-hand furniture, silverware, glassware, cooking utensils, etc., must be sold at auction at any price at 19 Somerset street, Saturday, February 24, at 2 p. m. sharp. P. H. Latourette, auctioneer. 2 21 2

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DIED.

ATWATER—On Monday, Feb. 19, 1906, Theron Skeel Atwater, aged 64 years.

Funeral services at his home, 1107 East Front street, on Thursday, Feb. 22, at 1 p. m. 2 20 2

BOICE—On Monday, Feb. 19, 1906, Isabella R., wife of Eden L. Boice, aged 78 years, 4 months, 29 days.

Funeral services at the First Baptist church on Friday, Feb. 23, at 11 a. m. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

YOUNG—On Monday, Feb. 19, 1906, Cora Frances, youngest daughter of the late Courtenius Schenck and Matilda B. Young.

Funeral services at her home, 616 East Second street, on Thursday, Feb. 22, at 3 p. m. Flemington and Somerville papers please copy. 20 2

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WANTED—At once, first-class cook. Apply Friday afternoon, 107 West Seventh street.

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WANTED—A competent waitress. Apply 112 West Seventh St. 2 20 6

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework; small family. 134 East Ninth St. 2 16 5

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—The work on the Richmond street storm sewer is progressing very satisfactorily and if the present weather continues the contractor will be able to finish the job earlier than he originally expected.

—Stiles & Co.'s eye specialist will be at the office on Front street tomorrow, Washington's Birthday, from 11:30 to 4 o'clock. Free examination of your eyes and glasses fitted at moderate prices.

—The Rogers-Grilley recital to be given at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow is the last and best entertainment of the Star Course for this year. The secretary of the Central branch of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A. says of them: "Regarding Rogers-Grilley, they not only gave satisfaction, but most of our matrons were really enthusiastic over their entertainment. Rogers is certainly a genius on the harp, and Grilley is one of the best humorists I know about. We have had them before and must have them again."

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ladd, Jr., of Stelle avenue, have been sojourning at Lakewood.

Hugh Sweeney, of Liberty street, is slowly recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

Charles J. Fisk, who has been spending several days at his home here, has returned to New York.

Rev. Henry Mottet, rector of the Church of the Holy Communion, New York, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Wharton Edwards, of Franklin place.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Maury Corbin, who were recently married at Grace church, are now on their way to Cuba, where they will spend a portion of their honeymoon.

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Arrive—8.40 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m.
Close—7.30, 9.30 a. m.; 1.00, 2.30 and 6.00 p. m.

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Arrive—7.30, 8.40, 11.30 a. m.; 2.30 and 7.00 p. m.
Close—7.15, 7.30, 9.30 a. m.; 12.35, 4.30, 7.45 p. m.
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Mail closes at 6.15 p. m.

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To Mary Harlem and James L. Harlem, Her Husband.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, That at a public sale made by the Collector of the City of Plainfield, on the 21st day of September, 1900, the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield purchased for the sum of Twenty-one Dollars and One Cent ($21.01) and that on the Twelfth Day of April, 1901, by assignment of Certificate of Sale duly executed by the proper parties, I purchased for the sum of Fifty-eight Dollars and Forty-eight Cents ($58.48) (which sum includes taxes for the years 1898, 1899 and 1900) all the land and real estate situate in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, fronting on Raymond Avenue, being laid down and designated as Lots No. 21-23 Raymond Avenue, in Block No. 154, in the First Ward of said City, upon the official assessment map of the City of Plainfield, on file in the Office of the City Collector. Said sale being made pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey, passed March 26th, 1886, entitled, "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in the cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment," and the several supplements and amendments thereof.

AND YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED, That you appear or claim to have an estate or interest in said land and real estate, and unless the said land and real estate shall be redeemed as provided in said Act, before the expiration of six months from and after the service hereof, and when one year has elapsed from and after the time of said sale, a deed for the same will be given conveying to the purchaser the fee simple of said land and real estate according to the provisions of said Act.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1906.
Sale No. 56 of 1900.
Frank Huntington,
1 18 7 oaw th Purchaser.
Fees $14.40.

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1 18 7 oaw th Purchaser.
Fees $14.40.

NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS.

Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of Mary L. Force, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1906, on the application of the undersigned, as Executor of the estate of Mary L. Force, deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said Mary L. Force, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscriber within nine months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.

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EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscribers, executors of Michael Nugent, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of March next.

Dated, January 29, 1906.
MARY NUGENT,
EDWARD MAHER.
John H. VanWinkle & Son, Proctors.
2 2 oaw 5

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, substituted administrator with the will annexed of Michael F. Marcley, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of March next.

Dated, January 31, 1906.
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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 25.

By REV. S. H. DOYLE.

Topic.—Necsima and missions in Japan. —Isa. 1, 4-10.

In the last verse of the topical reference Isaiah, the prophet, asks the question: "Who is among you that feareth the Lord, that obeyeth the voice of His servant, that walketh in darkness and hath no light? Let him trust in the name of the Lord and stay upon his God." Until a few years ago it could be said of Japan that she walked in darkness and had no light. The nation was properly classed among the heathen nations of the world. Her doors were closed to Christianity and to modern civilization. Buddhism, Confucianism, Taoism, religions of darkness, were the religions of the people, and what Japan needed was to know God, "to trust in the name of the Lord and stay upon his God." And the last half century has been marked by a marvelous advance from darkness into light, from ignorance into knowledge.

The war with Russia has especially resulted in giving Japan a high place among the nations of the world. A well known missionary recently said, "I thought I knew something about Japan, but I must confess that this war has revealed in her a wealth of power and resource beyond my most sanguine expectations." The great want of Japan at such a supreme moment is more knowledge of God and more implicit trust in God. That Christianity has had much to do in making the island empire what it is cannot be denied, and if this be true much more does Japan need Christ today to keep her from the pitfalls that always endanger a nation in its hour of greatest success. The clock has struck the hour in Japan. The Christian church should realize its opportunities and responsibilities and should rise to them with such power that Japan may soon be led into the complete light of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

The greatest questions now arising concerning Japan are: "What developments may be expected as a result of the war in the progress of the gospel? How will the work of foreign missionaries be affected? What will be the trend of events in the native churches?" In this connection it is most gratifying to read in the latest missionary report of one of our great denominations: "In general the year has been full of encouragement. The war has not affected it unfavorably, but neither the contrary. Opportunities have multiplied." And with the multiplying of opportunities there must be a multiplying of resources. More missionaries must go to Japan. More prayers must be offered in her behalf. The missionaries there must have the more earnest and hearty support of the church at home, be given every encouragement and necessary equipment for the most vigorous prosecution of their work. They are the army in the field. We are the support of the army at home, and no army can win a victory without the prayers, sympathy and support of those who are at home. Let us therefore loyally support our missionaries in the field and supply them with everything they need for a most aggressive movement to win Japan for Christ at this most providential opportunity. Japan needs Christ and Christ needs Japan as a light to the orient. Let us make it our earnest prayer that Japan may be won, that to the other nations of the east she may be the Land of the Rising Sun of Righteousness and may light them to Him as their deliverer from ignorance and darkness.

BIBLE READINGS.

Isa. ii, 1-3; ix, 1-7; lii, 7; xxxv, 1-7; Matt. iv, 12-16; v, 14-16; Acts i, 1-12; ix, 1-8; Eph. v, 8, 14; Rev. xxi, 23, 24.

The Work With the Children.

Let me urge upon all our societies the importance of working with the Junior societies. The work with the little children is more important than words can convey. Their lives are to be shaped for the future. The continuance of the church depends largely upon the saving and training of the children. A scientist has recently said, "Children can't have much done for them after they are sixteen or seventeen years of age." What we do for them we must do soon, while they are young. Won't some of you who are capable lay aside some of your own selfish pleasures and sacrifice your time for the Juniors on Sunday afternoons this winter? The harvest is plenteous. The Junior superintendent says the Junior laborers are few. In the name of Christ, let me appeal to many a bright and winsome young Christian woman or young man to take up this very important work in your church if you have no such society now. —President King, of Ohio Union.

Eyes Wide Open.

Was there ever so perfect an organization as the Y. P. S. C. E.? It is no inanimate piece of machinery. It thinks, speaks and acts. It watches and works. It is human to the core, and there it is divine. The executive committee is its brains, the musical committee its voice, the prayer meeting committee its heart, the social committee its hand grasp, the flower committee its aesthetic faculty, the missionary committee its pocket and the lookout committee its eyes. There you have it—a man redeemed, intelligent, cordial, artistic, generous, wide awake! —Rev. W. H. G. Temple in Irish Endeavorer.

Prison Endeavor.

The three Endeavor societies in the Frankfort (Ky.) penitentiary recently conducted a successful Bible contest in which twenty-six men took part, and each was given a handsome Bible. In all 11,155 verses were memorized. A second contest closed Thanksgiving. The prison Endeavorers prepared a Christmas tree.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Feb. 25: "A Pure Life"—Deut. xiv, 2; Ps. xxxii, 2; Isa. xxxv, 8; Matt. v, 8, 28, 30, 48; Rom. vi, 15-23; II Cor. vi, 14-17.

By REV. WALTER J. YATES, D. D.

"The way of holiness." "Blessed are the pure in heart."

No principle is clearer in the Bible than that of the separation between the people who do right and those who do wickedly. From the first chapters of Genesis to the last of Revelation it is unmistakable that there is to ever be a distinction, and the people who intend to obey God's commands are in some sort to be divided from the other men of their times. What is to be the nature of this division has been variously conceived at different times and by different men.

Under the influence of the teaching of Jesus Christ it is coming to increasing recognition that it is not to be a life in isolated communities where only the godly are permitted to reside. The experiments in this direction have ever proved dismal failures.

We are to live in the world, but not to be of its spirit in unrighteousness. We are to develop our holiness as Christ grew in the midst of corruption. We are to be the salt which imparts its own savor to the surrounding mass.

Nor is our peculiarity to be so much one of distinctive dress and forms of speech. We are to be known among men as reliable in dealings, just in all transactions, gentle in intercourse, courteous in treatment of others. Whatever we desire from others and believe to be right and desirable that we are to do to other men. We are to be outwardly patterns of what all men should be.

But this is not holiness in its inner essence. It may not even be the mark of purity, but may arise from entirely different motives.

The real nature of holiness lies in the inner nature of soul purity. It is based on unwavering confidence in God and simple, loving obedience of heart to all His known will and sincere desire to know and do fully whatever He directs or wishes. It is unreserved committing all the ways to Him without anxiety or doubt as to His guiding in the best way. It is delighting of the soul in watching the development of His plans and the unfolding of the truth.

It is soul rest, for the confidence in God removes fear and anxiety. Many of the ambitions and jealousies common to others are never thought of, for there is no place for them in such a life.

This kind of life is ever deeply interested in the well being of others and striving to benefit all possible. Its separation is not in place, but only elevation of life and purpose.

This kind of life is not to be thought of as lonely and difficult. It is the richest in all good fellowship and companionship. It is the distinctly happy life, and all should at once seek to know it. No other attraction can compensate for its absence and no consideration excuse one for neglect to obtain it.

You are called to purity of heart. Have you it?

When to Put on the Checkrein.

One of the besetting snares of these times is to try to grow rich rapidly. "Slow and sure" is out of fashion. In that direction lies peril to the soul. They who make haste to be rich fall into temptations and snares and many hurtful lusts that drown men in perdition. Greed for gold drains away the sweetest and holiest affections of the heart. It dries up Christian benevolence; it robs God of his due. My long observation has been that when money flows in rapidly grace is apt to flow out, and as a Christian mounts up as to his income he rarely rises in piety with it. There are some happy exceptions, but they are the men who keep a checkrein on the grasping, greedy spirit of covetousness. My good brother, it is no easy thing to keep up a high tone of spiritual life amid all the atmospheric pressures that surround you. To do it you have got to take time to eat and to think and to read your Bible and to pray and to do some good work for your Master and your fellow men. If you are running your daily life at too fast a rate for all these vital things, then I entreat you in God's name to put on the checkrein!—Rev. Dr. Theodore L. Cuyler in Christian Work and Evangelist.

Gems In Brief Sermons.

He is happiest, be he king or peasant, who finds peace in his own home.—Goethe.

Richest harvests come from the seeds that lay under the snows of sorrow.—Henry F. Cope.

He who puts on the towel of service puts off a world of care.—Mark Guy Pearse.

Patience, humility and utter forgetfulness of self are the truly royal qualities.—Thomas Hughes.

No man has learned anything rightly until he knows that every day is doomsday.—Emerson.

The man who has begun to live more seriously within begins to live more simply without.—Phillips Brooks.

The pleasantest things in the world are pleasant thoughts, and the great art in life is to have as many of them as possible.—Bovel.

Empty hours, empty hands, empty companions, empty words, empty hearts, draw in evil spirits as a vacuum draws in air.—William Arnot.

The mere lapse of years is not life. Knowledge, truth, love, beauty, goodness, faith, alone can give vitality to the mechanism of existence.—Marcus Aurelius.

It is a good and safe rule to sojourn in every place as if you meant to spend your life there, never omitting an opportunity of doing a kindness or speaking a true word or making a friend.—John Ruskin.

"The Man on the Box"

By HAROLD MacGRATH

Author of "The Grey Cloak," "The Puppet Crown."

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"Miss Annesley, you would not believe me if I told you who I am and what I have been."

"Are you a deserter?"—looking him squarely in the eye. She saw the color as it crept under his tan.

"I have my honorable di charge,"—briefly.

"I shall ask you to let me see it. Have you ever committed a dishonorable act? I have a right to know."

"I have committed one dishonorable act, Miss Annesley. I shall always regret it."

She gave him a penetrating glance. "Very well; keep your secret."

And there was no more questioning on that ride; there was not even casual talk, such as a mistress might make to her servant. There was only the clock, clock of hoofs and the clink of bit metal. Warburton did not know whether he was glad or sorry.

She dismounted without her groom's assistance, which somewhat disappointed that worthy gentleman. If she was angry, to his eye there was no visible evidence of it. As he took the bridles in hand, she addressed him; though in doing so, she did not look at him, gave her attention to her gauntlets, which she pulled slowly from her aching fingers.

"This afternoon I shall put you in care of Pierre, the cook. I am giving a small dinner on Monday evening, and I shall have to call on you to serve the courses. Later I shall seek a butler, but for the present you will have to act in that capacity."

He wasn't sure; it might have been a flash of sunlight from behind a cloud. If it was a smile, he would have given much to know what had caused it.

He tramped off to the stables. A butler! Well, so be it. He could only reasonably object when she called upon him to act in the capacity of a chambermaid. He wondered why he had no desire to laugh.

CHAPTER XII.

A TICKLISH BUSINESS.

Pierre was fierce and fat and 40, but he could cook the most wonderful roasts and ragouts that Warburton ever tasted; and he could take a handful of vegetables and an insignificant bone and make a soup that would have tickled the jaded palate of a Lucullus. Warburton presented himself at the kitchen door.

"Ah!" said Pierre, striking a dramatic pose, a ladle in one hand and a pan in the other. "So you are zee new groom? Good! We make a butler out of you? Bah! Do you know zee difference between a broth and a soup? Eh?"

The new groom gravely admitted that he did.

"Hear to me!"—and Pierre struck his chest with a ladle. "I teach you how to sairve; I, Pierre Flageot, will teach a hostler to be a butler! Bah!"

"That is what I am sent here for."

"Here to me! If zay haf oysters zay are placed on zee table before zee guests enter. V'la! Then zee soup. You sairve one deesh at a time. You do not carry all zee deeshes at once. And you take zee deesh, so!"—illustrating. "Then you wait till zay push aside zee soup deesh. Then you carry zem away. V'la?"

Warburton signified that he understood.

"I carve zee meats," went on the amiable Pierre. "You haf nozzing to do wiz zee meats. You rest zee deesh on zee flat of zee hand, so! Always sairve to zee right uf zee guests. Vatch zat zay do not move while you sairve. You spill zee soup and I keel you! To spill zee soup ees a crime. Now, take hold uf thees soup deesh."

Warburton took it clumsily by the rim. Pierre snatched it away with a volley of French oaths. William said that there was to be no "cussing," but Pierre seemed to be an immune and not included in this order.

"Idiot! Imbecile! Non, non! Thees way. You would put zee thumb in zee soup. Zare! You haf catch zat. Come to zee dining-hall. I show you. I explain."

The new groom was compelled to put forth all his energies to keep his face straight. If he laughed, he was lost. If only his old mates could see him now. The fop of Troop A playing at butler! Certainly he would have to write Chuck about it—(which he most certainly never did). Still, the ordeal in the dining-room was a severe one. Nothing he attempted was done satisfactorily. Pierre, having in mind Celeste's frivolity and this man's good looks, made the task doubly hard. He hissed "Idiot!" and "Imbecile!" and "Jackass!" as many times as there are knives and forks and spoons at a course dinner. It was when they came to the wines that Pierre became mollified. He was forced to acknowledge that the new groom needed no instructions as to the varying temperatures of calets and burgundies. Warburton longed to get out into the open and yell. It was very funny. He managed, however, on third rehearsal, to acquit himself with some credit. They returned to the kitchen again where they found Celeste nibbling crackers and cheese. She smiled.

"Ha!" The vowel was given a prolonged roll. "So, Mademoiselle, you haf to come and look on eh?"

"Is there any objection, Monsieur?" retorted Celeste in her native tongue, making handsome eyes at Warburton, who was greatly amused.

"Ha! if he was hideous, would you be putting on those ribbons I gave you to wear on Sundays?" snarled Pierre.

"I shall throw them away, Monsieur Flageot, if you dare to talk to me like that. He is handsome and you are jealous, and I am glad. You behaved horribly to that coarse Nanan last Sunday. Because she scrubs the steps of the French embassy you consider her above me, me!"

"You are crazy!" roared Pierre. "You introduced me to her so that you might make eyes at that abominable valet of the secretary!"

Celeste flounced (whatever means of locomotion that is) abruptly from the kitchen. Pierre turned savagely to his protege.

Go! And eef you look at her, idiot, I haf revenge myself. Oh, I am calm! Bah! Go to zee stables, cattle!" And he rattled his pans at a great rate.

Warburton was glad enough to escape.

"I have brought discord into the land, it would seem."

But his trials were not over. The worst ordeal was yet to come. At five, orders were given to harness the coach-horses to the coupe and have them at the steps promptly at eight-thirty. Miss Annesley had signified her intention of making a call in the city. Warburton had not the slightest suspicion of the destination. He didn't care where it was. It would be dark and he would pass unrecognized. He gave the order no more thought. Promptly at eight-thirty he drove up to the steps. A moment later she issued forth, accompanied by a gentleman in evening dress. It was too dark for Warburton to distinguish his features.

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Spring, the time for moving, is on the way and the wise man will see to it that he leases a house now. E. M. French & Co. make a specialty of rentals and can save you a lot of bother. They also represent the best fire insurance companies.

Spring shapes in shoes are beginning to interest the good dressers. They will find the things to meet their tastes at M. C. VanArsdale's store, East Front street. The VanArsdale line is always the most complete in the city and the range of prices the most satisfactory.

S. Scheuer & Co., the West Front street grocers and butchers, carry only the best in the meat or grocery line, and shoppers have learned that they can save money on every purchase here. The firm also carries a full line of vegetables and fruits and a glance through its advertisement will keep you in touch with the best the market affords at low prices.

Miss Grace Seals has returned from a visit in Philadelphia.

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FIRST M. E.'S VESTED CHOIR'S FINE PROGRAMME.

Rendered Two Master Pieces of Music Before Large Audience.

The vested choir of the First M. E. church rendered "The Triumph of David," by Buck, and "Gallia," by Gounod, before a large audience in the church, last night. The musical numbers were given under the direction of J. E. Skiff, organist and choirmaster. Miss Jessie Utter presided at the piano.

The work of the chorus choir was commendable, while the solo parts taken by Miss Bertha vanNuis Willis, soprano; Mrs. Stephen H. Tugwell, contralto; Carlos C. Gallup, bass, and J. E. Skiff, tenor, was truly appreciated. The musical service was given under the auspices of the Brotherhood of the church and a silver offering was received for the benefit of the treasury.

Coal Theft Hearing.

Winfield Smalley, William Pernell and John Newbury, three of the four men arrested last week for the alleged theft of large quantities of coal from the Lehigh Valley cars in New Market, were arraigned before Justice Von Minden in the Dunellen borough hall this morning for a preliminary hearing. The case of Melvin Smalley, arrested on the same complaint, was put off for a week. The defendants are making a hard fight and the hearing was still on at 2 o'clock.

Mayor Again Running Quarry.

Mayor Smalley has again taken charge of his stone quarry on upper Somerset street. It has been operated for the past two years by Mobus & Schoeller, but their lease expired last week, and they decided not to renew it. The Mayor decided not to lease it to others and will now manage it personally.

McCARTER REFUSES NAME.

Silent on Charges Against Legislative Correspondent Club Member.

Trenton, Feb. 21.—At a meeting of the Legislative Correspondents' Club Monday a committee of five was appointed to wait on Attorney-General McCarter to ask him to give them the name of the person to whom he referred in his after dinner address at East Orange recently.

This he refused to do, but stated that a man representing a New York newspaper and which has an extended circulation in New Jersey, while riding with him on a railroad train between Trenton and Jersey City after the last election, but prior to the organization of the present Legislature, told him that he had approached representatives of a certain corporation and asked them "if anything was doing for the boys."

He admitted that he was turned down. Mr. McCarter added that he was convinced that the man was after "the dough."

When pressed for the name of the man Mr. McCarter volunteered the statement that he did not believe the correspondent had been authorized to make such a suggestion to anybody by the members of the Legislative Correspondents' Club, whom he held in the highest respect and in whose honesty and integrity he firmly believed.

Strike Breaker Twice Assaulted.

Morristown, Feb. 21.—William Meeker, recently employed by Post & McCord, in New York, as a strike breaker, and who was roughly handled by the strikers some weeks ago, while in Jersey City on Friday went to the place of his former employment to get his overalls. As he was entering the building he was struck on the head from behind, knocked down and beaten and kicked almost into insensibility. Meeker came back to Morristown and had to be taken to a hospital. A man said to be a member of the Ironworkers' Union sent word to Meeker that if he ever came back to New York he would get "done up worse than the first time."

Accident Victim Recovering.

Andrew Mulford, of West Fourth street, who had his wrist broken in the trolley accident at Westfield, Saturday night, is recovering nicely. He sustained numerous bad contusions also and was detained at home until today. Miss Ida Wright, of Westfield, who was also injured, is doing well.

Mattis Out on Bail.

Richard Mattis, charged with a henious offense, has been released from the Somerset county jail on $1,000 bail.

GERMAN TARIFF SCARE OVER.

Singer Company Will Complete Its Sewing Machine Order at Leisure.

Elizabeth, Feb. 21.—Delay in putting into effect a new German tariff on American goods will give the Singer Manufacturing Company time to complete at its leisure a large order of sewing machines for the German market. When it appeared a few weeks ago that Germany was about to start a commercial war on American products the Singer representative in Germany informed the home office of the advantage of shipping many sewing machines to that country before March 1.

Work on other orders was stopped busy turning out sewing machines for Germany. There was a race with the tariff to get as many machines as possible shipped. The company was informed last week by its German representative that danger of a retaliatory tariff on American goods had passed, and work was stopped on the German machines for the present, to allow other orders to be filled.

If the proposed new German tariff should go into effect now it is said that a valuable market for the Singer output would be practically destroyed.

Julia Ward Howe Ill.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, mother of Florence Howe Hall, of this city, is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Elliott, 241 Beacon street, Boston. Owing to her advanced age her friends feel concerned over her condition. When she returned last Thursday from attending a woman suffrage convention at Baltimore she was suffering with tonsilitis. Mrs. Howe has had to cancel her engagements for the present.

Lecture on Cathedrals.

An illustrated lecture on the cathedrals of England was delivered at the Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, last night, by the rector, Rev. Dupee. Rev. Mr. Dupee was educated in England. Three views of every English cathedral were shown, and Mr. Dupee's discourse heightened the graphic effect of the slides. The lecture was much enjoyed by the good sized audience.

Killed by Falling Derrick.

Elizabeth, Feb. 21.—The fall of a big derrick at the Singer Sewing Machine Works, Elizabethport, yesterday morning, killed John McVey. Philip Basiylis, an Italian, forty years old, was injured. Several ribs were fractured, a leg broken and he sustained many scalp wounds. He may recover. This is the third fatality that has occurred since the work of building this addition began about six weeks ago.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

BOY'S LEG AMPUTATED AFTER TREATMENT FAILED

PHYSICIANS FIND IT NECESSARY IN ORDER TO SAVE THOMAS FOSBRES LEG

Because of an affection of the joints that has troubled him for several months, Thomas Fosbre, the seventeen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fosbre, of West Sixth street, was compelled to undergo an operation at Muhlenberg Hospital, yesterday, for the removal of his right leg. It was performed by Dr. W. H. Murray, assisted by the regular staff. The amputation was made just above the knee and was entirely successful. Today the patient was resting easily with every prospect of early recovery.

The boy is an unusually bright lad and before his illness was employed by John P. Powers, the Somerset street druggist. The nature of his trouble was such that death would have undoubtedly resulted but for the removal of the limb.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Hecker's Superlative and Pillsbury's Best are the leaders in the flour market. Neuman Brothers sell both and are quoting a special price by the barrel for a few days only.

—Keep off the earth during this wet weather as much as possible. That is, keep as much shoe leather between the soles of your feet and Mother Earth as you can conveniently carry. It's wisest in the beginning and cheapest in the end to provide yourself with a pair of M. Abrams' shoes and rubbers at the price he is offering them for then to pay doctor bills.

PERSONAL.

Daniel N. Force, the contractor, of West Front street, who suffered a stroke of apoplexy three weeks ago, is improving slowly. He is now able to take short drives occasionally.

MAY GET JERSEY WATER.

Staten Island's Need Urged by Secretary Root.

Trenton, Feb. 21.—Gov. Stokes sent to both Houses of the Legislature Monday night a communication received from Secretary of State Elihu Root, asking that the present State law forbidding potable waters being conveyed out of the State be amended so as to permit the furnishing of water from the mountains of New Jersey to Staten Island. Secretary Root wrote that the supply on Staten Island was inadequate, and that the United States was interested because of the situation of Fort Wadsworth.

The two houses adopted a resolution providing that the Judiciary Committee of each body should act as a joint committee to investigate the matter. Secretary Root's letter was in line with the request received by Gov. Stokes some time ago from Mayor McClellan.

FAVOR REPORTING MILLER BILL

House Committeemen Agree on No Recommendations.

Trenton, Feb. 21.—The House Committee on Municipal Corporations held a secret meeting Monday night, and all of the members signed a paper agreeing that the Miller bill on local option should be reported without recommendations. This throws the whole subject on the House.

Mr. Scovel, the chairman, did not report the measure, although strenuously urged to do so by the clergymen who flocked around his desk. He said he wanted to see the bishops' bill on high license before making any report. It is almost certain, however, that the Miller measure will be reported without recommendation today.

Old Man Found Dead in Bed.

South Orange, Feb. 21.—Thomas Mullen, who in his youth was a gardener, and who by care and frugality managed to buy considerable property in South Orange, was found dead in bed yesterday morning at his home, Valley street and Hixon place. It was the old man's boast that he had never been sick a day in the eighty-nine years of his life. A day or two ago he complained that he had pains near his heart, but he seemed all right Monday night when he retired. He did not come down to breakfast yesterday morning, and his son, investigating, found him dead. He had lived in South Orange for more than half a century.

Against Imperial Trustee Co.

Trenton, Feb. 21.—The New Jersey Supreme Court, on motion of Attorney General McCarter, entered yesterday a judgment divesting the Imperial Trustee Company of all its franchises. The judgment wipes the company out of existence. The action was brought by the attorney general because of the company's alleged flagrant violations of the law.

Call Rev. E. E. Robeson.

Rev. E. E. Robeson, pastor of the M. E. church, Bound Brook, has accepted a call to the Monroe Avenue church, to succeed Rev. George Mooney, who has been called to South Orange.

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Egg Biscuits regular 18c lb. a lb. 12 1-2c	Fresh Nic Nacs or Cracker Meal a lb. 5c	Chow Chow 10c kind a bottle 7c	Pure Fruit Jellies assorted kind a tumbler 10c
Borden's Evaporated Cream a can 4c	Best Pearl Barley a lb. 4c	Baker's Cocoa Shells a package 4c	Nabisco Wafers 10c kind a package 8c

FRESH WESTERN EGGS, A DOZEN - - - - - - 14c

Extra Stamps—TEAS.

120 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea 70c
100 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea 60c
70 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea 50c
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OLD VIRGINIA STUFFED MANGOES (VERY FINE), A BOTTLE - - 35c

BARGAINS!

Pride of Farm Catsup, large bottle 10c
Campbell's Salad Dressing, bottle 8c
Sweet Relish, bottle 10c
Assorted Jams, bottle 10c
Karo Corn Syrup, a can 8c
Macedoine (French Vegetables), a can 15c
Pimientos (Spanish Sweet Peppers), a can 16c
Deviled Crabs, including shells, a can 22c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1 lb. can, 35c; ½ lb. can 20c
Alaska Salmon (13c kind), a can 10c

BARGAINS!

Cromarty Smoked Bloaters, 2 for 5c
Gordon's Extra Fat Bloaters, each 5c
Salt Mackerel, choice white fish, each 8c
Salt Herring, a dozen 20c
Soused Mackerel, 2 lb. tin 25c; 1 lb. tin 15c
Marshall's Kippered Herring, a can 15c
Fresh Shrimp (Barataria), a can 12c
Little Neck Clams (12c kind), a can 10c
Swift's Lard, a lb 8c
Best Elgin Creamery Butter, lb 28c

$2 worth of Stamps Free with 25 lb. bag Best XXXX Flour 75c	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 large rolls Toilet Paper 25c	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Royal Blue Corn a can 10c 20 Stamps Free	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Harvest Gem Peas a can 12c 20 Stamps Free
$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Parsnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Sweet Potatoes 30c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket White or Yellow Turnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket Red or Yellow Onions 30c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

1 box Gold Medal Cocoa 18c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate 18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract 15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract 15c
1 package Farina 10c
1 package Hasty Tapioca 10c
3 lb. package Rice 20c
2 lb. package Rolled Oats 10c
1 large pkg Wash. Powder 10c
1 package Parlor Matches 12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing 10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each 5c

$1 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3 lb. box Cal. Prunes 25c
3 lb. package B. B. Buckwheat 15c
3 lb. can Syrup 15c
1 package Macaroni 10c
1 bottle Scheuer's Catsup 13c
1 bottle Horse Radish 10c
1 bottle Vanilla 15c
1 can Baked Beans 10c
1 can Pumpkin 10c
1 can Beets 12c
1 can Green Gage Plums 15c
1 can Spinach 12c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

Grandma's Cookies, lb 12c
1 lb. Animal Crackers 12c
Fig Bars, lb 12c
Graham Crackers, lb 12c
American Mixed Candy, lb 7c
Chocolate Creams, lb 15c
Cocoanut Bon Bons, lb 12c
French Mixed Candy, lb 12c
Royals, lb 13c
Cocoa Brittle, lb 13c
2 packages Cracker Jack, each. 5c

IN OUR MEAT DEPARTMENT:

50 Stamps with 5 lb. Rump Roast.	50 Stamps with 5 lb. Rump Corned Beef	10 Stamps with ½ lb. Chipped Beef	10 Stamps with ½ lb. Boiled Ham.
Prime Legs Mutton lb. 12 1-2c	Fancy Jersey Turkeys lb. 25c	Fresh Cal. Hams for roasting, lb. 10c	Hamburg Steak lb. 10c

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Men's Rubbers, sizes 6 to 11 ..... 59c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers, sizes 3 to 7 ..... 40c
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near station. Including elegant piano, parlor furniture, bronzes, etc., carved dining-room furniture, imported china, chamber suits, bedding, handsome rugs, immense library in sectional bookcases, of the latest pattern. Sale absolute.

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WHEREAS my wife, Lovinna Newton, and I have separated and are now living apart, I hereby give notive that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

Dated, February 20, 1906.
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A GOOD CITIZEN GONE

Paul Taylor Brown Succumbs to Bright's Disease in the Bahamas.

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Identified With Muhlenberg Hospital, Country Club and Riding and Driving Club—Funeral Announcement Later.

Paul Taylor Brown, of Belvidere avenue, a well known citizen here for several years, died on Tuesday at Nassau, Bahamas, from Bright's disease. Last year Mr. Brown made a trip to Nassau, remaining a short time. His health became such that his physician advised him to return to Nassau, which he did about Christmas time. The change was not as beneficial as anticipated, and it was planned to bring him home a few week ago. In the meantime Mrs. Brown went to Nassau, and it was learned that he could not be removed. A year ago he underwent a serious operation, which gave him only temporary relief.

Mr. Brown was the only son of John W. and the late Lydia Taylor Brown, of New York, and prior to coming to this city resided in New York, where he was married to Miss Walbridge, a member of a very prominent New York family. He was president of the Paul Taylor Brown Company, 76 Hudson street, New York, exporters of canned pineapples. The company owned a large plantation and factories in Porto Rico, and its business was a very extensive one, goods being shipped to all parts of the world.

Mr. Brown was prominently identified with religious and charitable enterprises here and a large contributor to both. He was a member of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, where he was very active in the various departments of work. Recently he was elected secretary and treasurer of the Plainfield Riding and Driving Club and was made a member of the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital. He was also a member of the Plainfield Country Club.

Surviving Mr. Brown is a wife and two daughters. Mrs. Brown and the youngest daughter are at Nassau and the other daughter is in this city. While no particulars have been received, it is believed that the remains will be brought to Plainfield.

LIQUOR LICENSES BEFORE COMMON COUNCIL TONIGHT.

Generally Believed That Only Renewal Will Be Granted This Year.

The Common Council will hold its adjourned meeting tonight for the purpose of acting on the various applications for liquor licenses. As previously stated in The Daily Press, it is believed that no new applications will be granted. As John J. Goff has withdrawn his application for a license at his hotel in West Front street, there are but two new applications, those of John Shay and Charles Schantz. Shay wants a license for his place on West Third street, while Schantz wants a license for 208-A Watchung avenue, near the trolley stand. There are strong objections to both of these applications and, as previously indicated through an expression of opinion on the part of the councilmen, neither one is likely to be granted.

There are twelve regular applicants who have held licenses for several years past, and it is quite likely that they will all be granted, although there will probably be the usual remonstrance against the granting of any licenses.

May Remove Old Shacks.

The Board of Health will hold an adjourned hearing on Tuesday afternoon to consider the complaint made against the Durlach estate, owning property at East Front street and Watchung avenue. Health Officer Leon R. Thurlow alleges the place is unfit for occupancy and unsanitary. The executor for the estate has promised to either put the property in sanitary condition or remove the buildings, and the hearing was adjourned to allow him time to confer with his relatives who are interested with him in the property.

Union Prayer Meeting.

A union prayer service for home missions was held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church this afternoon, the women of all the churches attending. This is the first of what will probably be a series of similar services to be held in the various churches.

Mrs. Mali Elected Treasurer.

Mrs. Pierre Mali, of New York, whose summer home in on East Front street, was elected treasurer of the Washington Square Auxiliary of Stony Wold Sanatorium at the annual meeting this week in New York.

KING'S DAUGHTERS FETE

"The Grim Truth," a Clever Play By Miss Louise Saunders Scores a Success.

A DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

Moving Pictures and Sale of Articles Attract Large Crowd—Proceeds for City Nurse.

A "colonial fete," held at the Casino, yesterday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the Cup Bearers' Circle, King's Daughters, was a great success. Liberal patronage was accorded, there being a gratifying sale of useful and fancy articles, candies, flowers, lemonade and ice cream. The spirit of the day was carried out, the members of the circle wearing the colonial costume. The auditorium was decorated in patriotic colors, a picture of George Washington occupying a prominent place over the stage. The arrangement of beautiful flowers, including potted plants and roses, was very attractive.

The feature of the afternoon and evening was the presentation of a clever one-act play, "The Grim Truth," written by Miss Louise Saunders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Saunders. The play is filled with bright lines, the comedy being excellent. Miss Saunders, who took the part of "Pearl," a colored servant, gave a fine interpretation, the dialect being exceptionally good. The other parts were taken by Miss Hope Ivins, Miss Marion Hall and Miss Helen Stevens. Miss Ivins was the landlady of the house where Miss Hall and Miss Stevens, medical students, occupied a room. Money was missed from their purses and "Pearl" was suspected and later confessed when confronted with a skeleton, which she thought was "Abraham." The young women presenting the play were given hearty applause and at the close received gifts of flowers.

Another feature of the afternoon was moving pictures. These were very good and delighted all, especially the little folks who were out in large numbers. In the evening in addition to the play, Miss Hyatt gave several violin solos.

Mrs. Harry L. Hal, as president of the circle, was in charge of the affair, assisted by Mrs. Frederick W. Butler. The members of the circle presided at the various tables as follows:

Japanese—Miss Alice Titus, Miss Lucy Budlong, Miss May Faber, Miss Bessie Flanders, Miss Constance Wilcox. Fancy table—Miss Susan Wharton, Miss Marion Hall, Miss Helen Timpson. Flowers—Miss Louise Saunders and Miss Helen Stevens. Useful table—Miss Molly Perkins, Miss Dorothy Averill, Miss Marion Brown. Ice cream—Miss Eudora Sullivant, Miss Anna Garrigues, Miss Carolyn Martin, Miss Catherine Titus. Candy—Miss Florence Stewart, Miss Hope Ivins, Miss Charlotte Finch, Miss Ethel Most. Lemonade—Miss Catherine McCutcheon and Miss Verna McCutcheon. Harry L. Hall and Frederick W. Butler took charge of the door and helped looked after the receipts.

A Japanese artist attracted considerable attention. He was very clever with the brush and paint and had no trouble selling the pictures as fast as he made them.

Surprise Birthday Party.

Marcus Clawson Waldron celebrated the eleventh anniversary of his birthday on Wednesday, and in honor of the event his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Waldron, of Codington avenue, gave him a surprise party in the afternoon, inviting a large number of his young friends. All kinds of games helped to pass a pleasant time, after which refreshments were served. The young man received a number of gifts from his friends.

Patriotic Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry K. Lister, of Grove street, entertained a number of friends at a Washington's Birthday reception Wednesday night. The decorations were all in red, white and blue, and the favors at the supper table were tiny hatchets. The centerpiece was a miniature cherry tree bearing a large cluster of traditions.

Interscholastic Meet.

All details of the interscholastic athletic meet, to be held at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon, have been arranged. The contesting teams will represent Plainfield, Cranford and Westfield High Schools. The issue is very much in doubt. The meet will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

Montclair Cancelled.

The game scheduled between the Plainfield at Montclair High School basketball teams Wednesday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. was cancelled by Montclair almost at the last minute.

PLAINFIELD'S NEW HIGH SCHOOL. —Photo by Neagle.

FELL DEAD FROM APOPLECTIC STROKE

JOHN C. MEEKER DIED SUDDENLY ON WEDNESDAY

John C. Meeker, a prominent resident of this city for many years, was fatally stricken with apoplexy while at his home on East Front street, Wednesday afternoon. The attack came without anw previous warning and he dropped to the floor lifeless.

Mr. Meeker was the son of the late Corra O. Meeker and was born at Short Hills seventy years ago. His father's farm extended to the Netherwood station and the Netherwood hotel was built upon part of it. The entire tract was afterward sold by the elder Meeker and he and his son embarked in the hardware and tin business on East Front street in the building now occupied by Roth & Co. They sold out a comparatively few years ago.

Mr. Meeker married Miss Raymond, daughter of the late John Raymond, of East Front street, after whom Raymond avenue is named. She died in 1877, leaving three children who survive the father. They are C. M. Meeker, of this city; Harry Meeker, of Jersey City, and Mrs. Elliott Collins, of Brooklyn. Robert A. Meeker, State supervisor of roads, is a half brother and during his term as city street commissioner, John Meeker acted as foreman. He afterward retained the position under succeeding officials.

The funeral will be held from his late residence tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

200 at F. O. E. BALL.

Plainfield Aerie's First Annual Affair Proves a Big Success.

Plainfield Aerie, No. 866, F. O. E., held its first annual ball in Saengerbund Hall Wednesday night, entertaining 100 couples from this city and other places. The hall was handsomely decorated and the members worked hard to make the affair a success. Past Worthy President and Mrs. Rudolph Kampf led the grand march, assisted by William Waglow and Miss Theresa Fay. Music was furnished by O'Reilly's full orchestra.

The committee of arrangements consisted of Rudloph Kampf, chairman; William Waglow, floor manager; Thomas Kane, secretary, and Hugh Reilly, treasurer.

ELKS GET THEIR LICENSE.

Judge Vail granted the petition of Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., for a club liquor license on Wednesday morning. The papers were signed in chambers by the court. The fee is said to be $250.

Mrs. Boice Buried.

The funeral services of Mrs. Eden Boice were held this morning at 11 o'clock from the First Baptist church. There was a large attendance of friends. Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor of the church, officiated, reading appropriate Scripture selections and making a few remarks. The interment was in Evergreen cemetery, Plainfield avenue, and the pall-bearers were David R. Weaver, Jams Clarkson, William C. Smith, Elias H. Bird, L. C. Shepard and N. C. Pennington.

Ash Carter Fined.

Henry Palmer, the colored ash carter arrested by Chief Marshal Weiss for allowing the contents of his wagon to litter the streets, was fined $2 by Mayor Smalley Wednesday night.

—Genuine Nestor cigarettes, 25c. Kirch's, 120 North Avenue.

HIGH SCHOOL IS DEDICATED

Exercises in the Handsome New Structure For Which $125,000 Has Been Expended.

A LARGE ATTENDANCE

C. F. Abbott Makes Presentation Speech—Dr. Probasco Accepts It—Speaker, A. L. Blair.

With ceremonies of a simple but attractive nature, the New Plainfield High School, recently completed at a cost of $125,000, was formally dedicated yesterday afternoon and accepted by the Board of Education in behalf of the city. The exercises were held in the chapel of the building beginning at 3 o'clock, and were attended by a gathering that occupied every available seat. Admittance had been limited by ticket, but so great was the interest manifested that hundreds of people visited the structure during the day and spent several hours inspecting the rooms.

The dedicatory programme had been arranged by Superintendent Henry M. Maxson and was in charge of Dr. J. B. Probasco, president of the Board of Education. On the platform were Leander N. Lovell, vice president of the board; Charles F. Abbott, chairman of the building committee; Secretary Floyd T. Woodhull and Eugene M. Cave; Dr. Maxson, Principal I. W. Travell and members of the High School faculty; President James R. Joy, of the North Plainfield Board of Education; Mayor James F. Buckle and members of the Common Council; Mrs. James Shelland, of Minneapolis, Minn., for twenty years supervisor of the city school; Louis Bevier, State inspector of High Schools; H. C. Krebs, principal of the North Plainfield schools and superintendent for Somerset county; A. B. Meredith, of Nutley, superintendent of the Essex county schools, and J. C. Kirkner, ex-president of the Board of Education. In the audience were scores of men and women who had graduated from the present High School and they seemingly enjoyed the proceedings more than the students awaiting the call to begin lessons in the beautiful building.

Previous to the opening number, the High School orchestra, in charge of S. B. Howe, Jr., faculty director, rendered several selections that earned deserved applause. The invocation was offered by Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, former pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, and was followed by the rendition of the dedicatory hymn by the High School orchestra and glee club. The hymn was written by Miss Mary Lock, a graduate of the class of 1900 and now a member of the High School teaching corps.

The formal presentation of the building had been allotted Mr. Ab-

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P. S. C. LOWERS ITS ELECTRIC LIGHT RATE

CONNECTION BETWEEN THIS CITY AND METUCHEON PLANT THE REASON.

The P. S. C. announced a reduction in the electric lighting rate in Plainfield this morning. The reduction applies to minimum service charge per month, as well as the running consumption rate.

The minimum charge per month will be a dollar. The current rate will be fifteen cents for the first fifty K. W. hours consumed each month, thirteen cents for the second fifty K. W. hours, and twelve cents for the current consumed in excess of 100 K. W. hours per month.

The reduction will take effect as if ordered for January 1.

The completion of the transmission lines connecting the local plant with the generating station at Metuchen is given as the cause of the drop.

In connection with the reduction announcement the company declares it is reinforcing and rebuilding certain circuits, which work, when completed, will, in connection with the new service from Metuchen, result in material improvement in the service here.

COLUMBUS KNIGHTS HOLD JOLLY SMOKER.

City Judge Runyon, Borough Counsel and Two Mayors Among the Guests.

Music, jollity and plenty of good things to eat and smoke marked a smoker held by Watchung Council, Knights of Columbus, Wednesday night. There was a big attendance, and everything was on a large scale.

Mayor Buckle, City Judge Runyon, Mayor Smalley and Borough Counsel Charles A. Reed were among the guests. The judge sang and the other distinguished visitors spoke. Delegations were present from Bailey Council, Elizabeth, and Newark Council, Newark.

The programme was a blend of local, out-of-town and professional talent. The local entertainers were Joseph O'Keefe and H. P. Greenwood, who sang. There were songs by members of Bailey and Newark councils, and W. W. Waters, the lyceum humorist, uncorked a new jar of preserved jests.

Burial of Miss Young.

A large number of relatives and friends attended the funeral services of Miss Cora Frances Young held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home, 616 East Second street. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, conducted the services. Many floral tributes from relatives and friends surrounded and covered the casket. The interment was in Hillside cemetery and the pall-bearers were William Moore, John Hoffman, William Kriney and Louis Mulford Hummer.

Funeral of T. S. Atwater.

The funeral services of Theron S. Atwater were held from the late home, 1107 East Front street, yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor of the First M. E. church, officiated. There was a large number of floral tributes from relatives and friends. During the service E. E. Runyon sang two selections. The interment was in Hillside cemetery.

Independent Shoot.

The yearly contests were carried on at the range of the Independent Gun Club, Maple avenue, yesterday. The mild weather brought out a big contingent of enthusiasts and visitors. There was not much change in the standing. Louis Van Dyke is casting up the scores today.

THE ALUMNI RECEPTION

Hundreds of Old High School Graduates Entertained at the New Building.

SPEECHES A FEATURE

Mrs. Shelland, Senator Ackerman and Dr. Maxson Among the Contributors—Association to Be Permanent.

As a fitting climax to the day's programme marking the dedication of the Plainfield High School, the Plainfield Alumni Association conducted a reception in the building last night. Hundreds of students of other days were in attendance and men and women who parted as boys and girls at graduation time, renewed acquaintance and spent several hours in a delightful way. Music, addresses, dancing and refreshments were among the features and it was well after midnight before anyone thought of leaving.

A. McClean Parker, '74, who has been one of the leading members of the association, had charge of the programme and introduced the speakers. As an introductory he spoke of the opening of the new building and expressed himself in behalf of his fellow members as being greatly pleased with it. He extended congratulations to all those instrumental in its erection, specifying the Board of Education, Dr. Maxson, Principal Travell, the faculty and students.

The first speaker announced was Arthur L. Titsworth, of this city, a graduate of the class of 1870, the first to leave the old High School. Mr. Parker said that the one thing he had remembered most about Mr. Titsworth was that he was always on the roll of honor. The latter's subject was, "Early Days in the Old School" and many of his remarks brought back memories to those in front of him.

"It seems impossible," said Mr. Titsworth, "that thirty-six years have elapsed since the class graduated after having set a standard of scholarship which the school has ever since been endeavoring to attain."

He paid a tribute to the memory of Dr. C. H. Stillman, who he said was responsible for the high standard of efficiency in Plainfield schools and then showed a programme of the 1870 commencement exercises, also his class pin which he wore at the time. Of the eight graduates, he said, seven were living, five of whom were in the gathering.

With Mr. Titsworth's retirement from the platform, Mr. Parker announced the next speaker would be "Miss Julia Bulkley." No one responded and then Mrs. James Shelland, of Minneapolis, arose and said she had known Miss Bulkley once but had forgotten the name. Mr. Parker acknowledged his error and as Mrs. Shelland stepped forward she was greeted with round after round of applause, while the High School orchestra played with a swing, "There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight." Mrs. Shelland was visibly affected and after thanking her former pupils said she had nothing further to say beyond her address of the afternoon.

"There is no time to be wasted," she said, "when there are a senator, lawyers and statesmen present to speak—and (with a significant smile) I trained them." As she turned to resume her seat she exclaimed with fervor, "May God bless you."

An original short story, "A very little sketch of a very little girl," was read by Mrs. Comstock, of Brooklyn, who was Miss Hattie Smith, a graduate of the class of 1878. She has been engaged in literary work and her contribution revealed her ability as a writer. She was followed by Dr. Maxson, who spoke on the subject, "The Present and Future of the New High School." He said in part:

"The Plainfield High School stands in the same relative position today as when the members of these various classes graduated, that is, in the very front of the educational ranks. This city is looked upon by educators all over the country as possessing an ideal school system and the fact was recognized by the judges at the St. Louis Exposition—Plainfield getting one of the three gold medals awarded New Jersey for excellence in educational learning. The facilities provided the pupils are a great advantage to them in their pursuit of knowledge and with the New High School their benefits will be greater than ever. The dedication of this building has been the realization of one of my fondest dreams and the outlook for good work is very bright."

William D. Murray, '75, was next introduced as president of the Alumni Association and chairman of the finance committee. At the outset he said he had a hazy recollection

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JAIL FAMILIAR TO HIM

"Larry" Wallace Has Served Twenty-Two Terms in Fifteen Years.

HEARTBROKEN MOTHER

Altogether He Has Spent 901 Days in the Union County Jail—Also Knows Somerset County's Jail.

Lawrence Wallace, whom Judge Vail, in the Union County Court, sentenced to three years in State prison on Wednesday, has the most notorious record for his age of any prisoner ever incarcerated in the Union County Jail. Although but thirty-two years old, he has in the past fifteen years served twenty terms in the county jail for various offenses. The total number of days he put in there was 901. Besides this he was three times arrested on suspicion of being an incendiary. A number of mysterious night fires several years ago, in Fanwood and Scotch Plains, greatly alarmed the inhabitants of these places. When the fires occurred, no matter at what hour of the night, "Larry" Wallace was always the first one to discover them and give the alarm.

He belonged at that time to the Hook and Ladder Fire Company of Scotch Plains, and after awhile suspicion became directed against him, but the State, although feeling confident that he was the guilty party, could not obtain evidence sufficient to secure his conviction. The police theory was that he had a mania for seeing a blaze and have the firemen at work subduing it. Most of the offenses for which he spent terms in jail were drunkenness, fighting and larceny. His last crime for which he was indicted was breaking into Rapp's hotel at Fanwood. He was caught in the hotel bar-room drinking whiskey at 3 o'clock in the morning.

Besides all the time he served in Union, Wallace put in two terms in the Somerset County Jail. Judge Vail, in imposing sentence, told Wallace it was plainly evident to the court that it was useless, from his past record of crime, to show him any more leniency or give him any more chances to reform his life, so the State prison now gets him. Wallace has an aged and respectable mother. The poor woman is heartbroken and has spent nearly all her money trying to get him out of his numerous scrapes, she having heavily mortgaged all her property to do so.—Newark News.

RESIDENT PHYSICIAN FOR THE HOSPITAL

BOARD OF GOVERNORS TO TAKE ACTION TONIGHT AT SPECIAL MEETING.

An important meeting of the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital will be held tonight to consider an act on the appointment of a resident physician at the hospital. This matter has been under advisement for some time past and in the opinion of the board there is need for a resident physician, one who will be in direct charge of general cases brought to the hospital.

A graduate physician of the University of Pennsylvania, is being considered for the position, and the application will be acted upon tonight. He has visited the hospital and acquainted himself with the work, and it is understood that the board is favorable to him. Dr. William H. Murray and Dr. Norman H. Probasco comprise the committee appointed to investigate and report on the matter, and they will recommend the appointment of the man selected. Dr. Norman Probasco refused to make the name of the candidate public today.

Another matter to be acted upon tonight will be that in regard to the death of Paul Taylor Brown, which occurred at Nassau on Tuesday. Mr. Brown was recently elected a member of the Board of Governors.

Crowd at Star Course.

A good audience enjoyed the Rogers-Grilley recital at the Y. M. C. A. last night. Good as they are from the popular standpoint, the Star Course entertainments rarely reach the standard of artistic excellence that marked the playing of Van Veachton Rogers and the display of mimetic talent by Charles T. Grilley. The numbers of both entertainers were all excellent.

—Neuman Brothers will have an especially fine lot of fresh vegetables tomorrow. In the display will be green beans, cauliflower, spinach, cucumbers, tomatoes, celery, lettuce, radishes and rhubarb.

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SATURDAY SPECIALS FROM ALL DEPARTMENTS.

They are all worth coming after. Two deliveries each week: west to Bound Brook, east to Westfield.

69c Men's Meavy Sweaters, blue and red.... for .39
$1.25 Men's Heavy Madras and Percale Shirts for .75
50c Men's Fancy Night Shirts, stripe fronts, for .35
39c Ties, Teck and Four-in-Hand, large assortment, for .25
50c Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers for .39
25c Fine Corn Brooms for .17
10c Fine Whisk Brooms for .6
25c Glass Fruit Dishes for .17
45c Granite Dish Pans, 14 quart for .39
59c Galvanized Washtubs, No. 2 for .49
35c Round Wash Boilers, No. 1 for .29
5c Roll Toilet Paper 6 for .25
89c Alarm Clocks for .69
$2.00 Champion Carpet Sweeper for 1.59

15c Ladies' All Linen Handkerchiefs for .10
15c Printed Lawn, 40 inch for .10
25c Printed Imported Cotton Voiles for .15
39c Silk and Cotton Eolienne for .29
39c Mercerized Poplinette for .29
6½c Apron Check Ginghams for .5

9c Bleached 4-4 Muslin for .6½
11c Hill Muslin for .7½
12½c Unbleached Bath Towels for .10
49c Sheets, size 72x90 for .39
12½c Pillow Cases, 45x36 for .7½

25c and 35c Ladies' and Children's Wool and Fleece Lined Fancy Gloves .12½
$1.25 Ladies' Kid Gloves, "Diana," gray, tan, mode, brown, white and black... 1.00

5c paper 400 Pins for .3
10c Dress Shields, sizes 2, 3 and 4 for .8
15c Fancy Hat Pins for .10
10c Shell Hair Pins 6 for .8
5c Fine Pearl Buttons dozen on card .3

SPECIAL LOT OF RIBBONS.

On bargain table in main aisle, in over 50 shades, 5 inches wide, chiffon, taffeta and gros grain for millinery and hair ribbons, value 39c, for .25

$1.50 Ladies' Muslin Skirts, deep flounce, cluster tucks and emb., for .98
$1.50 Ladies' White Lawn Shirt Waists, buttoned down back, lace trimmed .95
69c Straight Front Corsets, hose supporter attached, for .39
$1.00 Ladies' Muslin Gowns, high and low neck, all trimmed .79

39c Pillow Tops, 25 new designs, for .25
49c Ready-to-use Pillow Covers for .35
69c Laundry Bags, ready to use for .50
39c Silk Floss Pillows, 20x20 for .29

20c Embroidery and Edgings, Beading and Insertions, ½ to 4½ inches, for .10
75c Embroidery Flouncing, from 5 inch to 18, for .39
89c Allover Emoroidery for Shirtwaists, 20 inch, for .65
25c Figured Madras for waists and dresses, many designs .20
19c Dotted Swiss, large, medium and small dots, for .12½
15c 30 inch White Lawn, fine and sheer, for waists and dresses, for .10

20c Boys' Black Heavy and Fine Ribbed Hose, sizes 5 to 9½, for .15
25c Ladies' Black Fine Cotton Hose, all sizes, 3 pairs for .50
80c Ladies' Fine Black Cotton Embroidered Hose, for .50

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Corporation Notice.

Corporation Notice of application of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to the Court of Common Pleas of Union County for the appointment of Commissioners to assess benefits for street improvements.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to authorize improvement of Streets and Highways in Cities of this State and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same," approved June 13th, 1898, and amendments and supplements thereto, that application will be made by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union, at the Court House, in the City of Elizabeth, on the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the said court can hear the said application, for the appointment of three commissioners, who shall be freeholders and residents of the City of Plainfield, as commissioners to estimate and assess benefits respectively conferred by the permanent improvement of streets under the ordinance of said city whose title is hereinafter specified, and to perform the duties and execute the powers conferred by said Acts of the Legislature. The title of the ordinance above referred to is as follows: "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield, with permanent and durable macadam pavement, and to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collection of assessments for benefits," approved September 6, 1904, and the streets and parts of streets macadamized under said ordinance are as follows:

Monroe Avenue, from the southeasterly curb line of South Second Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Spooner Avenue, from the southeasterly curb line of West Third Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Eighth Street;

Lee Place, from the southeasterly curb line of South Second Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Carlton Avenue, from the northerly curb line of Putnam Avenue to the southeasterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Kensington Avenue, from the northerly curb line of Watchung Avenue to the southeasterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Randolph Road, from the easterly curb line of Plainfield Avenue to Cedar Brook;

Norwood Avenue;

New Street, from the southeasterly curb line of West Front Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

Berkeley Avenue, from the easterly curb line of Ravine Road to the southerly curb line of Park Terrace;

Denmark Road, from the easterly curb line of Belvidere Avenue to the proposed macadamizing on Berkeley Avenue.

By order of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

Dated, February 6, 1906.

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk of the City of Plainfield.
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GROCERS AND BUTCHERS, ARE OFFERING THESE SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY.

Fairbanks' Gold Dust 4 lb. package 15c	Duryea's Best Gloss Starch regular 22c, 3 lb. box 19c	Morgan's Hand Sapolio 10c kind a cake 7c	Shredded Wheat Biscuits a package 10c
Egg Biscuits regular 18c lb. a lb. 12 1-2c	Fresh Nic Nacs or Cracker Meal a lb. 5c	Chow Chow 10c kind a bottle 7c	Pure Fruit Jellies assorted kind a tumbler 10c
Borden's Evaporated Cream a can 4c	Best Pearl Barley a lb. 4c	Baker's Cocoa Shells a package 4c	Nabisco Wafers 10c kind a package 8c

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30 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 29c
20 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 27c
20 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 23c

OLD VIRGINIA STUFFED MANGOES (VERY FINE), A BOTTLE - - 35c

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Pride of Farm Catsup, large bottle .10c
Campbell's Salad Dressing, bottle .8c
Sweet Relish, bottle .10c
Assorted Jams, bottle .10c
Karo Corn Syrup, a can .8c
Macedoine (French Vegetables), a can .15c
Pimientos (Spanish Sweet Peppers), a can .16c
Deviled Crabs, including shells, a can .22c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1 lb. can, 35c; ½ lb. can .20c
Alaska Salmon (13c kind), a can .10c

BARGAINS!

Cromarty Smoked Bloaters, 2 for .5c
Gordon's Extra Fat Bloaters, each .5c
Salt Mackerel, choice white fish, each .8c
Salt Herring, a dozen .20c
Soused Mackerel, 2 lb. tin 25c; 1 lb. tin .15c
Marshall's Kippered Herring, a can .15c
Fresh Shrimp (Barataria), a can .12c
Little Neck Clams (12c kind), a can .10c
Swift's Lard, a lb .8c
Best Elgin Creamery Butter, lb .28c

$2 worth of Stamps Free with 25 lb. bag Best XXXX Flour 75c	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 large rolls Toilet Paper 25c	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Royal Blue Corn a can 10c 20 Stamps Free	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Harvest Gem Peas a can 12c 20 Stamps Free
$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Parsnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Sweet Potatoes 30c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket White or Yellow Turnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket Red or Yellow Onions 30c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

1 box Gold Medal Cocoa 18c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate. 18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract 15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract 15c
1 package Farina 10c
1 package Hasty Tapioca 10c
3 lb. package Rice 20c
2 lb. package Rolled Oats 10c
1 large pkg Wash. Powder... 10c
1 package Parlor Matches .. 12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing. 10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each.. 5c

$1 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3 lb. box Cal. Prunes 25c
3 lb. package B. B. Buckwheat 15c
3 lb. can Syrup 15c
1 package Macaroni 10c
1 bottle Scheuer's Catsup 13c
1 bottle Horse Radish 10c
1 bottle Vanilla 15c
1 can Baked Beans 10c
1 can Pumpkin 10c
1 can Beets 12c
1 can Green Gage Plums 15c
1 can Spinach 12c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

Grandma's Cookies, lb 12c
1 lb. Animal Crackers 12c
Fig Bars, lb 12c
Graham Crackers, lb 12c
American Mixed Candy, lb... 7c
Chocolate Creams, lb 15c
Cocoanut Bon Bons, lb 12c
French Mixed Candy, lb 12c
Royals, lb 13c
Cocoa Brittle, lb 13c
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. Odgen Meeker entertained a large number of friends at their home last night in honor of the first anniversary of their wedding. A number of Plainfielders were among the guests. Music and refreshments were the features of the gathering. Among the gifts was a handsome piano, from Mr. Meeker to his wife.

Yesterday was a general holiday in the borough. All the commuters were at home, and the schools and business places were closed. The Plainfield theatre drew a good many boroughites and villagers both afternoon and evening.

There was a well-attended missionary meeting for men at the Presbyterian church last night. Rev. Mr. Casselberry is seeking to develop the missionary spirit in his congregation in connection with the evangelical services.

Arrangements for the installation of the individual communion set at the Presbyterian church have been completed. It will be used, it is expected, the Sunday after next.

The women of the Baptist church are arranging the details of a sociable to be held at the home of one of the members. The affair will take place the first of next month.

There will be no meeting of the study class of the Presbyterian church next week. Special evangelical meetings will be held in the church all the week.

James McMahon was in Newark yesterday. He paid a visit to Fred Nelson in his newly purchased cafe in the Central depot.

Superintendent Lester Meseroll will attend a county school meeting at New Brunswick, Saturday, March 3.

The extinguisher machines of the fire company have been freshly charged.

G. S. Larkin has returned from a week's visit to relatives in Rhode Island.

Dan Moody has recovered from his illness.

George Schenck has filled his ice house.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The storm Wednesday night might have interfered somewhat with the attendance at the social and dance given by the young men of St. Mary's parish in the Suburban Club Hall, but it did not mar the pleasure of the large number who were out, the hall being nicely filled. Dancing was the feature of the evening, but for those who did not indulge in the waltz and two-step other amusements were provided. The success of the young men's first social will no doubt lead to their holding another in the near future.

It looks as though the Township Committee would have to get after the Public Service Corporation again as the electric light service gets poorer and poorer. The township pays a certain price per year for every light. There is scarcely a single night that from one to five lights can be found out of commission.

The three-year sentence of "Larry" Wallace, by Judge Vail at Elizabeth on Wednesday, was a surprise to the residents here. Larry's lucky star, which has always seemed to protect him, seems to have failed him at last.

Nearly everybody in town observed yesterday as a holiday. The stores were closed part of the day and the residents in general paid their respect to the memory of the Father of Our Country.

Several of the members of the old Brookside Gun Club were out yesterday holding a practise shoot on the club's grounds near the brook.

The all-day shoot of the Independent Gun Club, of Plainfield, held yesterday, was well attended by the local trap shooters.

Mrs. Peter V. Stroble, of Easton, Pa., who is visiting friends in Plainfield, spent yesterday with Mrs. Edward L. Hand.

Mrs. John Flannery and Mrs. Robert Walpole, who have been visiting friends at Kearny, N. J., have returned home.

The weekly prayer meeting at the Baptist church tonight will be led by the pastor, Rev. T. Moore-Smith.

Miss Sadie Reger is visiting friends and relatives at Morristown, N. J., over Sunday.

George H. Batchelor, of West Seventh street, has about recovered from a severe attack of the grip.

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There is a pretty treat in store for the music lovers of this city when Cook and Hosmer's new romantic comic opera, "The Rose of the Alhambra," is presented at the New Plainfield theatre Monday night. Lillian Blauvelt, the talented star; Eugene Cowles, the famous basso; Owen Westford, with his clean, unctuous comedy methods—in fact, the entire company, including the chorus, has been given the unmistakable stamp of approval. It is said that the management has given the public an opera far in advance of what theatregoers have been educated to expect. It is regarded as a pleasing return to the standard of light operas of a decade ago. Mr. Hosmer has written a decidedly pretentious score. It shows a pleasing touch of originality, and several of his numbers, particularly the ensembles, are a near approach to grand opera.

Wilton Lackaye will appear in what is termed his final local appearance in "The Pit," at the New Plainfield theatre at an early date. Since its original production in Chicago two years ago the play has been seen in every State in the Union, and wherever it has been presented it has been favorably received. Considering the fact that this is to be Mr. Lackaye's last appearance in "The Pit," Manager Brady intends making it a memorable one.

Miss Ruth Maxson, of West Seventh street, is quite ill at her home.

Jacob B. Ammerman, of Roycefield, spent yesterday with friends in Plainfield.

Mrs. Henry L. Hall, of Highland avenue, has about recovered from a recent illness.

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In the death of Paul Taylor Brown, Plainfield has lost one of its best citizens. His purse was always open to the many charitable institutions and enterprises for which this city is noted, and his time and advice were always at the disposal of those to whom he could be of benefit.

The new High School formally dedicated yesterday is a building of which any city many times the size of Plainfield might well be proud. In architectural beauty and general arrangement it is probably unsurpassed anywhere in the State, and certainly there is nothing to compare with it in this section.

When Mayor Buckle declared that he would make no appointments in the police department without the advice of Chief Kiely he made a very good resolution, and one we suppose he will not confine to that branch of the municipal government. But has he consulted Chief Doane as to who should be appointed second assistant chief of the fire department?

THE FORUM.

Editor The Daily Press:

A sense of justice impels me to supply an inadvertent omission noticeable in the dedication exercises at the High School building yesterday.

In the course of the afternoon reference was made to various persons to whom the community is greatly indebted for assistance in helping materialize the edifice in question. Those tributes were all deserved and the audience heartily endorsed every word of eulogy uttered upon that occasion. With these panegyrics, however, should have been spoken laudatory words relating to the services of Dr. H. M. Maxson, the superintendent of the Plainfield schools. He was among the first to perceive the necessity for a new building; and from the start to the finish he contributed invaluable and gladly accepted suggestions the adoption of which added greatly to the usefulness of the building for high school purposes. In fact, Dr. Maxson was all the while the guiding star, if there were such, from the practical inception of the enterprise until dedication day.

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Winfield Smalley and John Newberger, two of the five men accused of stealing coal in large quantities from Lehigh Valley trains at New Market, were held for the Grand Jury by Justice Von Minden in Dunellen Wednesday, under $200 bonds. William Pernell, charged under the same complaint, was discharged for lack of evidence. Melvin Smalley will be heard next week, and Moody Pernell, the fifth man, has been declared a fugitive from justice. The New Market constable has been looking in vain for Moody Pernell ever since the warrants were sworn out a week ago.

Jeremiah Halley, a railroad detective, gave the evidence that resulted in the committal of Smalley and Newberger. He identified them as two of five men he had seen shovelling coal from a train on January 28, after the coaler had been stopped by false signals. Signal men testified to seeing a wagon loaded with coal coming from the track.

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With patriotic decorations everywhere, a Washington's Birthday bazaar opened at Grace M. E. church, Park place, last evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. It was largely attended. The sale will continue this afternoon and tonight. If half the success of the opening is attained the bazaar will close as a record-maker in that field of enterprise for the society.

The list of those serving at the booths and tables, and on committees, is as follows:

Sample booth—Mrs. H. K. Carroll, chairman; Mrs. R. D. Merrill, Mrs. Dyckman Winckler, Miss C. J. Barnes, Miss Lottie Carroll, Miss Alice Carroll. Cherry tree—Mrs. Isaac Runyon, chairman; Mrs. G. C. Nelson, Mrs. J. M. Nicholson, Miss Stella Vermeule, Miss Grace Clark, Miss Lucetta Clark, Miss Nettie Bauersachs, Miss Hattie McLaughlin, Miss Mary G. Steiner; Benjamin Schuck, J. R. Harden, Raymond Miller. Hot chocolate—Miss Winifred Carroll, Miss Mabel Stevens, Miss Clyde Slater and Miss Sadie Winckler. Fancy table—Mrs. Andrew Lutkins, Mrs. J. H. Cannon, Mrs. E. P. Stevens, L. A. Hummer, Mrs. Isaac Sheppard, Mrs. A. B. C. Bodine. Stevens, Mrs. L. A. Hummer, Mrs. Isaac Sheppard, Mrs. A. B. C. Bodine. Cake—Mrs. E. A. Vermeule, Mrs. J. W. A. Bauersachs, Mrs. W. J. Conroy. Ice cream—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lippincott. Waitresses—Misses Lillian Nicholson Alice Vroom, Stella Klein and Grace Beeching. Candy—Mrs. C. W. Parsons, Mrs. R. F. Cannon, Mrs. W. N. Alling, Mrs. R. D. Merrill, the Misses Della Voehl, Ada Van Horn, Helen Parsons, Reba Klein, Edith Major, Leonora Miller and Edna Sebring. Entertainment committee—Miss Alice Carroll, Miss Winifred Carroll, Miss Sadie Winckler and Miss Mary G. Steiner. Decorating committee—Mrs. Charles Harden, Raymond Miller, E. E. Winckler, James S. Lunger, Charles Harden, Benjamin Schuck, John Carney, George Parsons and Dr. C. L. Moore.

Four drills by children of the church were part of the evening's entertainment. The drills were executed cleverly by the following:

Cherry drill—Edith Lippincott, Evelyn Nelson, Eva Taynor, Clara Bodenheimer, Blanche Stout, Elmae Coons, Roy Taynor, John Nicholson Kenneth Giddes, Samuel Bodine, Kenneth Bennett and Ronald Conroy. Doll drill—Bessie Taynor, Blanche Stout, Grace Connover, Mildred Harden, Gladys Brokaw, Elizabeth Voorhees, Helen Nelson, Edna Mantz. Sunflowers drill—Madeline Uhrhahn, Minnie Nelson, Catherine Peney, Bessie Conroy, Alice Vroom, Bertha Mantz, Marion Major, Grace Beeching, Edna Beeching, Stella Klein. Topsy-turvy drill—Stella Klein, Edna Beeching, Grace Beeching, Marion Major, Bertha Mantz, Myra Lippincott, Madeline Uhrhahn, Minnie Nelson, Catherine Peney, Bessie Conroy, Alice Vroom, Elva Lippincott.

The entertainment will be varied tonight.

PERSONAL.

Miss Emma Brokaw and Miss Walduck, of Park avenue, have gone to Lakewood for a time.

Mrs. M. E. Henderson, of Park avenue, is spending sometime at the Hotel Marie Antoinette, New York.

Mrs. G. L. VanEmburgh, of East Second street, is unable to leave her room on account of an attack of gastritis.

James Parker, Jr., of Pittsburg, Pa., who came to Plainfield to attend the dedication of the new High School, yesterday, is spending the week with his brother, Andrew McClean Parker, of West Seventh street. Mr. Parker is a graduate of the Class of '74.

Justice Hand's Court.

Cases recorded in Justice Hand's docket are returnable as follows: Beck versus Vanderhoof, February 24; Swift & Co. versus Vallentine, February 24, C. L. Murphy for plaintiff, F. J. Blatz for defendant; Guttridge versus Kmosko, in tort, February 26, L. A. Clement for plaintiff; Laing versus Terrell, February 26, L. A. Clement for plaintiff; Owens versus Shelton, February 26; Courier-News Publishing Co. versus Levine, February 26, G. W. V. Moy for plaintiff; Barrett versus Linke, February 26, Codington & Swackhamer for plaintiff, William Newcorn for defendant; Leichtentritt versus Bird, February 24, William Newcorn for plaintiff; Sachs versus Bulkley, in tort, February 28, F. J. Blatz for plaintiff, W. L. Hetfield, Sr., for defendant; Falk Tobacco Co. versus Woodfield, February 26, H. C. Runyon for plaintiff, W. L. Hetfield, Jr., for defendant; Stephenson versus Collins, in attachment, George W. Bird for plaintiff; Morris versus the Central R. R. of N. J., in tort, J. P. Owens for plaintiff, March 1.

—The annual smoker under the auspices of the Yale Club of Plainfield will be held at the Casino tonight.

THE Great Alteration Sale!

is rapidly drawing to a close, but we still have many lots of dependable housefurnishing goods to close out rather than move them. This is really a chance of a lifetime. At the prices we are disposing of this big stock, it will pay you to provide for your wants for a long time to come.

DINNER SETS.

Full 100-piece, plain print sets, neat decorations, reg. 9.50, sale 6.98
Full 100-piece sets, floral decorations, with gold edge, reg. 12.50, sale 9.98

TEA KETTLES.
Solid Copper, Nickel Plated.

No. 6 size, reg. price 89c, sale 69c
No. 7 size, reg. price 98c, sale 79c
No. 8 size, reg. price 1.10, sale 89c
No. 9 size, reg. price 1.25, sale 90c

GALVANIZED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

ASH CANS, WITH COVERS.
Regular price 1.48, sale 98c

SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

NICKEL ALARM CLOCKS.
Regular price 89c, sale 69c

MRS. POTTS' IRONS.
Regular price 98c, sale 69c

YELLOW PIE PLATES.
Square Shape.
Regular price 10c, sale 5c

ROSETTE IRONS.
Regular 50c, sale 38c
With a set of these Irons you can make 40 wafers, suitable for all kinds of dessert, at a cost of 10c.

CLOTHES BASKETS.
Made of good quality willow.

	Reg.	Sale
Small size	49c	39c
Medium size	59c	49c
Large size	78c	59c
Extra Large size	98c	69c

BISSELL'S CARPET SWEEPERS.
The 2.00 kind for 1.69
The 1.25 kind for 93c

FANCY SCRAP BASKETS.
Importer's Samples.
Regular 25c Baskets for 19c
Regular 50c Baskets for 29c
Regular 75c Baskets for 39c
Regular 98c Baskets for 49c

GRAY ENAMELED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
Twin Match Safes	10c	6c
Handy Tea Strainers	10c	6c
Wash Basins	35c	15c
Dish Pans	59c	29c
Stew Kettles	35c	19c
Sauce Pans	35c	19c

WAFFLE IRONS.
New Heart-shaped kind.
Regular price 1.00, sale 69c

A LAMP BARGAIN.
Nickel plated central draft Lamps. Complete with embossed dome shade, chimney and tripod.
Regular price 1.98, sale 1.50

SALAD SETS.
Consisting of a large dish and six small ones to match, regular 98c, sale 49c

SPICE SETS.
Six small cans, with a handled tray, regular 25c, sale 17c

COLUMBIA FAMILY SCALES.
Regular price 1.35, sale 95c

TOILET JARS, WITH COVERS.
Enameled white, with gold lines.
Regular price 48c, sale 35c

FOOT BATH TUBS.
Enameled inside and out.
Regular price 39c, sale 25c

THE QUAKER DUST PAN.
With heavy edge, which prevents bending up.
Regular price 19c, sale 12c

CURTAIN STRETCHERS.
The "No Sag" kind, with anti-rust pins.
Regular price 1.25, sale 78c

BLACK COAL HODS.
Regular price 25c, sale 17c

DOUBLE ROASTING PANS.
The self basting kind.
Regular price 48c, sale 25c

TINWARE SPECIALS.
Extra Heavy Polished, long and short handled Dippers and Six-quart Flaring Pails.
Regular price 25c, sale 10c

BANNER OIL HEATERS.
Regular price 4.98, sale 3.98
Regular price 2.98, sale 2.50

TIME NOW to renovate and make over your old mattress equal to new. We do this work in a superior manner and at very little cost. Consult our bedding man.

WOODHULL & MARTIN.

Reduced Rates for Electric Light

Having recently completed our transmission lines connecting our plant at Plainfield with our Generating Station at Metuchen, we have decided to reduce the price of current for lighting.

We take pleasure, therefore, in announcing that current for lighting will be furnished at a rate of fifteen cents for the first 50 K. W. hours consumed each month, thirteen cents for the second 50 K. W. hours and 12 cents for current consumed in excess of 100 K. W. hours per month.

Monthly minimum charges will be reduced to $1.00 for all connections.

This reduction will take effect as of January 1st 1906.

We are reinforcing and rebuilding certain of our circuits in Plainfield, which, when completed, will, in connection with the new apparatus at Metuchen, result in material improvement of the service in this district.

Public Service Corporation of N.J.
129 East Front Street.

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Restaurant
New Management

Superior facilities for Private Lunch, Dinner, and Theatre Parties. Unexcelled cuisine. Mrs. "Freida" Collens in charge Patronage solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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on satisfactory accounts

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SURPLUS AND PROFITS EARNED $185,000.00

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LOUIS K. HYDE, PRESIDENT.
JAS. T. CLOSSON, VICE-PRESIDENT.
WM. F. ARNOLD, CASHIER.

NOTICE.

All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1st, and all persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk before February 22nd

After March 1st no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY,
Chief of Police.

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A Well Dressed Horse.

What a stylish suit of clothes is to a man, a handsome harness is to a horse. We carry a large stock of harness, whips, blankets, carriages and everything needed for the stable.

N. P. Carriage Manufactory,
W. J. CONROY, Prop.
175-177 Somerset St. Tel. 360-L

Captain and Mrs. James Parker, of Perth Amboy, are spending a month with their son, Andrew McClean Parker, of West Seventh street.

$ $ $ $
MONEY GROWS
if placed in the Savings Department of the
FIRST NATIONAL BANK.
Interest at the rate of FOUR PER CENT credited semi-annually
$ $ $ $

Mrs. B. A. Hegeman and her daughter, Miss Hegeman, of Willow avenue, are planning a trip to Europe, expecting to sail in April.

Always Take Advice.

You may not need it yourself,
But it is handy to give someone else.

COME TO PECK'S.

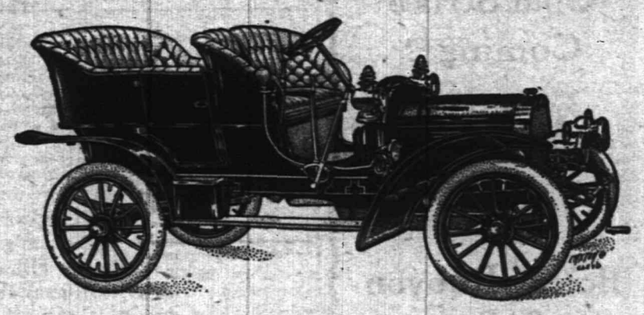
Furniture and Bedding Sale

We are receiving large shipments of Furniture every day and will place it on sale at most reasonable prices as you will see by comparison.

Beds and Bedding.

We can show as large and complete lines of enamel Beds and Mattresses as you would care to see, and all good reliable makes, too. Our prices for this sale will convince you that we can sell you Furniture and Bedding as reasonable as we do our Carpets, Rugs and Shades.

SHIRLEY & JOHNSTON,
BABCOCK BUILDING.



HAYNES
$2,250, $3,500

CADILLAC
$750, $950, $2,500

AUTOCAR
$1,000, $2,600.

BUICK
$1,000, $1,250, $2,500

NORTHERN
$650, $1,650, $1,800, $3,000

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Repairing in all its branches.
Charging Station.
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BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS
GREAT REDUCED PRICES

Don't have wet feet when you can buy Rubber Goods at prices quoted below.

Men's Storm King Boots, regular 4.00, now	$3.00
Men's Short Boots	2.25
Men's Arctics, sizes 6 to 11	1.00
Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	65c
Child's Arctics, sizes 6 to 10½	50c
Men's Rubbers, sizes 6 to 11	59c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers, sizes 3 to 7	40c
Ladies' Low Rubbers, sizes 3 to 7	35c

WATCH OUR BARGAIN COUNTERS.

M. ABRAMS, 229-233 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The Plainfield avenue road is in need of repairing. But little or no work has been done upon it for a year past.

The Rev. Charles P. Fox, of Cold Springs, N. Y., will preach morning and evening at the Baptist church Sunday.

Several persons from this place attended the Plainfield High School dedication yesterday.

F. N. Manning, of Newark, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Manning, yesterday.

Firman Arrowsmith visited his parents here yesterday.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

THE ALUMNI RECEPTION

(Continued From Page 1.)

of an alumni meeting twelve years ago and the election of officers, but that was about all there was to it. Now that it would be possible to have a permanent gathering place in the new building he said more interest should be shown. At a suggestion from Edward J. Patterson, Franklin H. Smith, '80, was elected secretary and treasurer and the graduates seem dto think a great deal had been accomplished.

Continuing his address, Mr. Murray said the burden of the association work has fallen upon the shoulders of a few volunteers and that if the organization had been properly eected at the beginning, a new High School would have been a reality some years ago. He then suggested that the alumni display its interest in the school in some substantial way and said that it had already been proposed to raise a fund of perhaps $5,000, to be placed in the hands of the school trustees—this to be expended in connection with the school as the association agreed. He stated that one man had already given $250 and that smaller amounts had been pledged. Afterward blanks for membership in the association and for contributions to this fund were distributed among the graduates.

Acting on a suggestion from E. J. Patterson, a committee of three composed of himself, Franklin S. Smith, '80, and Champlain L. Riley, '94, was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws for the association to be presented at a meeting in June.

Principal Ira W. Travelli, of the High School, spoke on "The Present School," dwelling particularly on the need of athletics and an athletic field. As he concluded Senator Ernest R. Ackerman was announced and the applause accorded him resounded through the building. His subject was "The Effect of Schools on the Community" and he treated it in a broad way. Another vigorous period of hand clapping followed his remark that he favored an increase in the salaries of women teachers. Statistics, he declared, were dry at the most, but he quoted a few to show the extent of the school system in the State. There are 1953 public school buildings in New Jersey with a total value of $20,000,000. The teachers number 8,700, of whom 7,700 are women. Those in Plainfield, the Senator said, had served as long and faithfully as any in the State and he expressed the hope that those who had erected the new building would see their way clear to put the salaries of the faculty and those of the other buildings on a footing with East Orange, Englewood, Hoboken, Jersey City and Montclair.

Mrs. John Ulrich, who was Miss Bessie Kenyon, recited an original ode to the Alumni Association and the last speaker was Stuart H. Freeman, who, in behalf of the class of 1906, promised to uphold the good name of the Plainfield High School. In conclusion the entire gathering sang "America," after which refreshments were served and the floor was cleared for dancing.

The committee which had charge of the entertainment consisted of Walter M. McGee, chairman, Mrs. E. J. Patterson, Miss Edith L. Gilbert, Miss Ruth P. Maxson, William C. Hubbard and Champlain L. Riley. The finance committee was composed of William D. Murray, chairman, David M. Runyon, treasurer, Edward J. Patterson, William M. Stillman and Miss S. Lena Bass.

Those on the reception committee were Franklin S. Smith, chairman; Rev. Charles E. Dunn, Walter M McGee, Mrs. Eugene H. Hatch, Mrs. C. W. Faster, Lucius L. Gilbert, Edward J. Patterson, Mrs. E. D. Williams, William C. Hubbard, Mrs. Edward J. Patterson, Miss Edith L. Gilbert, Mrs. Henry S. Fullerton, Miss Edna Burr, Francis K. Anderson, William M. Stillman, Miss Louise B. Egan, Champlain L. Riley.

The class representatives were as follows: Arthur L. Titsworth, '70; William M. Stillman, '72; George B. Smith, '73; A. McC. Parker, '74; William D. Murray, '75; Frank Runyon, '76; Townsend Rushmore, '77; Howard Runyon, '78; Mrs. C. F. French, '79; Franklin S. Smith, '80; Mrs. Eugene H. Hatch, '81; George Kirkner, '82; Miss Roberta Lee Bass, '83; Miss S. Lena Bass, '84; Miss Florence G. Hawkins, '85; Dr. Frank T. Clawson, '86; L. L. Gilbert, '87; Charles F. Dayton, '88; Miss Louise B. Runyon, '89; Edward J. Patterson, '90; Miss Edith L. Gilbert, '91; Mrs. Edgar D. Williams, '92; Arthur H. Serrell, '93; Champlain L. Riley, '94; Charles B. Morse, '95; Miss Elizabeth M. Cahoone, '96; Miss Louise B. Egan, '97; Henry W. Brower, '98; Miss Mary E. Collier, '99; Miss Ruth P. Maxson, '00; Miss Ethel L. Titsworth, '01; Miss Lulu H. Fuller, '02; Vincent B. Miner, '03; Francis K. Anderson, '04; Theodore Gavett, '05.

WESTFIELD BALL CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION.

Assemblyman Randolph Perkins Again Chosen a Trustee of the Organization.

The annual meeting of the Westfield Baseball Association was held at the office of the Standard, Westfield, yesterday. There was a discussion of last season's results and some talk as to the coming year. No decision was reached as to plans for this summer, the matter being left in charge of the trustees. Assemblyman Randolph Perkins and Frank A. Settlemayer were re-elected to their position. The other trustees are Charles H. Denman, H. H. Downs, C. E. Pearsall, H. C. Piker, William Littlefield and A. Dow. George Mallen, captain of last year's team, attended the meeting.

Mr. Denman, who has been the manager for the team heretofore, in speaking of the baseball situation, said no doubt this year's team would be the same as that of last season and an effort would be made to engage the same players. He also said that the report that Manager Daab would bring his team to Westfield was more or less "hot air," and that there was very little possibility of it. He freely expressed the opinion that such a policy would not pay and he was against the importation of a whole team into a town to furnish baseball.

ITALIAN'S LEGS CRUSHED ON R. R.

Injured Members Amputated at the Hospital Today.

Louie Deviregо, an Italian employed as a section hand on the New Jersey Central, fell off a moving coal car at Berckman street this morning. The left leg and foot were frightfully crushed. The man was removed to the hospital, where the physicians were obliged to amputate the leg below the knee.

Deviregо is thirty-five years old, married and resides in Cottage place.

DUKES MAY AGREE.

Report That Divorce Suit Will Be Withdrawn.

Negotiations are now almost completed which may prevent a trial of the divorce suit between James B. Duke and his wife Lillian. Both are said to be anxious for a reconciliation and settlement, but neither wishes to make the first advance.

Vice-Chancellor Pitney, in Newark, ordered the trial to be held between April 26 and May 2. Long before that, it is expected, the original suit brought by the president of the American Tobacco Company and his wife's cross-bill will be withdrawn.

N. P. H. S. Five Defeated.

The X-Scholastic basketball team defeated the North Plainfield High School quintet by a narrow margin and a hard tussle, at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium yesterday afternoon. The score was 16 to 12. North Plainfield was weak in team work. The line-up: North Plainfield High School—Peacock, A. Van Arsdale, forwards; Webster, centre; M. Van Arsdale, Burtis, guards. X-Scholastic—Hanson, Collingsworth, forwards; Jacot, centre; Meuck, Loizeaux, guards.

Had No License Number.

David Ransley, the seventeen-year-old son of J. W. Ransley, a soda water bottler of East Orange, drove a big automobile delivery truck without a license number into the city this morning. Detective McCarthy arrested him. He told Judge Runyon that his father's application for a license was filed and he had been told the truck could be operated without a number until the license was granted. Sentence was suspended.

Mrs. Fred L. Stillman and daughter, Grace, of West Fourth street, spent yesterday visiting friends and relatives in Somerville.

Pomlo Bitters

create an appetite and aid indigestion. It is one of the best known tonics for strengthening the system after sickness, grip, etc. Nursing mothers will find it an ideal Galactagogue.

Try a bottle today—it will restore vigor and strength.

Prices per Bottle

25c and 90c

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The City Pharmacy,

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SPECIAL SALE OF FLOUR

Hecker's Superlative and Pillsbury Best

Special price by the barrel for a few days only.

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FEBRUARY SOCIAL SOMEWHAT UNIQUE

BIRTHDAYS OF WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN AND VALENTINE'S DAY FEATURED.

Under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-day Baptist church a "February social" was held in the parlors of the church on Wednesday night. The programme carried out the spirit of Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays and Valentine's day, and was introduced with a flag drill by Celia Cottrell, Helen Shaw, Hannah Shaw, Dorothy Hubbard, Laura Stillman, Ruth Morris, Mary Hunting and Florence Moffett. This was concluded with the singing of "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean."

A unique feature was a patriotic scrap book, showing a collection of pictures appropriate to the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington and Valentine's day. Mrs. J. E. Kimball had charge of this large book, showing the pictures and explaining them. The pictures were as follows:

"George Washington" and "Martha Washington," Charles Neagle and Miss Bessie Dunham; "Mrs. W. S. Hancock," Miss Marie Rogers; "Abraham Lincoln, his wife and Tad," Rolla Williams, Mrs. David E. Titsworth and Elmer Hunting; "Benjamin Franklin," Arthur Spicer; "A Valentine," Miss Eva Rogers; "Spanish Girl," Miss Helen Rogers; "Ruth," Miss Mildred Green; "Mrs. J. K. Polk," Mrs. Sarah Wardner; "Puritan Maiden," Miss Ida Spicer; "Charlotte Bronte," Miss Mary St. John; "Uncle Sam," James E. Kimball.

In addition to the above entertainment, the Y. M. C. A. orchestra of eight pieces rendered several selections. The supper, served from 6 to 8:30 o'clock, also carried out the spirit of the occasion, the menu cards being in the shape of hatchets made out of cardboard, and one of the favorite dishes was "cherry pie."

Another feature was an exhibition of pictures of the women of the church taken between the ages of one and six years. This was styled "The Gallery of Has-Beens," and beneath each one was the maiden name of the person and visitors were supposed to guess their present names. Rev. George B. Shaw had charge of the gallery.

The committee in charge of the affair are as follows: Social, Miss Ruth Maxson, Miss Lucie Dunham, Mrs. Nathan E. Lewis, Nathan Wardner; lookout committee, Mrs. Charles H. Dunham, Dr. Martha Stillman and Mrs. William Mosher. The proceeds were for the benefit of the Endeavor Society treasury and a good sum was realized.

Celebrated Birthday Anniversary.

Russell Douglass, of West Front street, celebrated his birthday anniversary yesterday and in the afternoon a party was given in honor of the event. A company of fifteen young people was present and spent the time playing games. Refreshments were served afterward. The young celebrant received a number of gifts, while each guest was presented with favors.

Miss Uhler's Wedding Day.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Maude Uhler, of Grove street, and Frank Faulks, of South Plainfield, to be celebrated Tuesday, March 6, at the home of the bride. The couple will reside at South Plainfield.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

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1st Floor, 320 W. Front St.

FEBRUARY 17 to 24 INCLUSIVE.

Admission 10c. Dancing each night.

Suhr's Orchestra.

Tonight the Plainfield favorite, George Offerman, will sing "Starlight," "Daddy's Little Girl," and "She Waits by the Deep Blue Sea."

Seaman Williams,

Mason—Contractor—Builder

32 Sandford Ave. 'Phone 343-J

Executor's Sale OF Valuable Real Estate

to close the estate of the late William McD. Coriell, will be held at public auction on

Thursday, March 1, 1906

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon beginning on the premises, No. 201 Clinton Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

The first property to be sold is the Homestead property at the corner of Clinton Avenue and South Second Street, having a frontage of about 700 feet on South Second Street by about 425 feet on Clinton Avenue and about 650 feet on West Third Street. Large house and barn in good condition.

The second property is on the west corner of West Front Street and Clinton Avenue, (No. 1304 West Front Street) having a frontage of 140 feet on West Front Street and 200 feet on Clinton Avenue, with house and barn, and will be sold on the premises.

The next to be sold is the three vacant lots in the rear of the last mentioned property, 40 feet front on Clinton Avenue and about 143 feet deep. Each lot will be sold separately.

The last property to be sold is the house and lot known as 1254 Milton Place, containing about 1⅛ acres of land and will be sold at the corner of Clinton Avenue and West Front Street, after the sale of the other properties.

Terms—10 per cent. cash when property is struck off; balance on delivery of deed in cash or half cash and half purchase money 5 per cent. mortgage at the option of the purchaser.

For further particulars inquire at No. 211 West Fifth Street of

B. FRANK CORIELL, Executor.

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Matinee Dance OF THE Empire Dancing Academy

324 West Front St. ON Washington's Birthday, FEB. 22. 1906.

Music by Prof. Heinemeyer, OF ELIZABETH. THE DANCE KING.

Gents 25c Ladies 15c.

Afternoon at 2 Evening 7:30.

AUCTION!

$1,000 DOLLARS worth of second-hand furniture, silverware, glassware, cooking utensils, etc., must be sold at auction at any price at 19 Somerset street, Saturday, February 24, at 2 p. m. sharp. P. H. Latourette, auctioneer. 2 21 2

THE PLAINFIELD EXCHANGE for WOMAN'S WORK.

Dinner Cards for Washington's Birthday.

502 Watchung Ave.

Let ME do your Printing and Engraving. I use new and stylish type, good ink and pa. er and I please particular people. Suppose I do your next job

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RENT FREE—OWN A HOME.

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OFFICE OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

DIED.

BROWN—At Nassau, Bahamas, Tuesday, February 20, Paul Taylor Brown, only son of John W. and the late Lydia Taylor Brown. Notice of funeral later.

MEEKER—Suddenly, in this city, Wednesday, February 21, 1906, John C. Meeker, aged 69 years. Funeral from his late residence, 134 East Front street, Saturday morning, February 24, at 11 o'clock.

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WANTED—A plain cook. Apply 508 Central avenue. 2 16 6

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TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

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TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

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HOUSE to let, 1707 West Front. Inquire A. B. Stites, 140 West Front. 2 20 3

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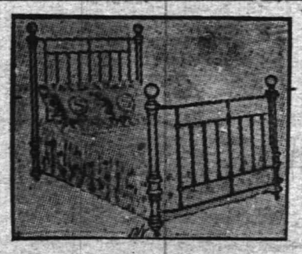

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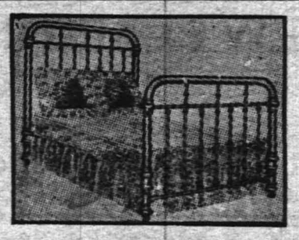

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Misses Fine Ribbed 25c Stockings, a pair, for ..... .18
75c Corsets, with 2 pairs Hose Supporters attached, for ..... .59

HIGH SCHOOL IS DEDICATED

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bott, and in so doing he gave a brief sketch of the work that the Board of Education had incurred in accomplishing the task. The first appropriation, he said, was for $100,000 and was made six years ago. After its authorization by the Common Council delays of a legal nature prevented the actual work of commencement for two years and then when everything was in readiness it was found that more money would be needed. The sum was increased to $125,000, but even this, the speaker said, was not sufficient for what had been planned and when the architects' designs were submitted they had to be altered in order to bring the cost within the funds. This was done by cutting off four class rooms and eliminating much of the ornamenting, so that the completed building does not represent the original intentions. Despite these drawbacks, Mr. Abbott declared, there is not a handsomer or better equipped structure of the kind in the State. The building committee had watched its progress, he said, but he wished it understood that the entire board had shared in the work and that credit was due every member. In conclusion, he announced the dedication, naming the structure, "The Plainfield High School," and made the presentation. It was accepted by Dr. Prosbasco in behalf of the board.

Charles L. Lewis, teacher of music in the city schools, rendered a vocal selection, "The Two Grenadiers," and responded to an encore, after which Albert Lyndon Blair, A., M., of New York, was introduced by Dr. Probasco as the speaker of the day. Mr. Blair is experienced in platform work and his address was delivered with an easy presence in a well modulated tone. It dealt with "The Educational System," and by presenting it in simple language everyone of his auditors followed him closely.

At the outset he remarked that the people of Plainfield were to be congratulated upon possessing such a splendid building as a home for its advanced students and remarked that its facilities and equipment were not lacking in a single respect. He contrasted it with the little log school houses of a generation ago and referred in particular to the one in Central New York State where he had learned his first lessons. He pictured the interior in such detail that the audience could almost see the box stove, inadequate desks and tumbled-down blackboards.

"It was primitive and inconvenient to the last degree," asserted the speaker, "but this one and others like it have turned out hundreds and thousands of men who have made their mark in the world. It is not the fine building that provides boys and girls with knowledge, neither is it the humble structure of the rural districts. Success depends alone upon the pupil; it matters not what has been provided for him or what his surroundings, if his mind is not upon the task placed before him nothing is gained.

"In my day, educators attached but little importance upon the individual as a seat of learning. Teachers saw to it that pupils were given plenty of Greek and Latin and ancient history, but lost sight of the fact that what they needed was good American history. I might ask now, how many of you can consistently sit down and write the causes of the American Revolution? The chances are it would puzzle a great many, but as improvement has been made in the school systems I am sure American history is taught in the Plainfield schools; if not, why not? The fine building is a secondary matter—the education lies with the teacher and the system and at the present time both are all that could be asked."

Mr. Blair here described the career of Abraham Lincoln as an instance of what pluck and perseverance would do and advised that pupils be given more of physiology, metaphysics and geology earlier in life. He finished with the statement that though the people of America agree upon some points they are unanimous in the belief that young men and women should be given every advantage during their school days and education is being daily conducted on more broader lines.

Though she had not been allotted a place on the programme as presented in printed form, the next speaker called upon was Mrs. Shelland, better known to Plainfielders as Miss Bulkley, Dr. Maxson's predecessor as superintendent of schools. When she was introduced by Dr. Probasco the outburst of applause was little short of an ovation lasting nearly a minute. Mrs. Bulkley left Plainfield in 1890 and at that time the subject of a new High School had been under discussion for several years but nothing definite had been reached. After a few preliminary remarks she said:

"This is the proudest moment of my life. When I went away from Plainfield this building was a bud; I have returned to find it in full bloom. It is a handsome structure and one that every citizen can justly feel proud of.

"Recalling the early talk of the new school leads me to become reminiscent of other days in Plainfield and I can hardly believe it was so many years ago when I first came here to teach. It was Dr. Stillman who brought me to Plainfield and only those of us who were here then know how much credit is due him for the city's schoio system. It was his one constant thought and his record as president of the Board of Education will ever linger in the memory of the people."

Mrs. Shelland related several instances of Dr. Stillman's watchfulness over the schools and also paid tribute to the memory of George H. Babcock and to Miss Carrie B. Runyon, the latter a teacher in the High School for thirty-five years. Continuing, she spoke highly of the work of J. C. Kirkner, who was president of the Board of Education for twenty years and the present incumbent, Dr. Probasco.

The succeeding number on the programme was the presentation of gifts to the school. Among them was a handsome flag from the three local Jr. O. U. A. M. councils, Franklin, Somerset and Benevolent. Rev. E. E. Roberson, of Bound Brook, made the presentation address in a few appropriate remarks. The other gifts and the speakers were as follows: From senior class, statue of Lorenzo de Medici, Joseph W. Gavett, Jr.; junior class, large photograph of Santa Maria Caravel, William Douglass; sophomore class, photograph of Goldsmith reading, "She Stoops to Conquer," Miss Elizabeth M. Pound; freshman class, photograph of "Andromache Captive," Guion Fountain; Girls' Athletic Association, a panel of six photographs of mural paintings in the Congressional Library, Miss Louise M. Klein.

A presentation of added importance was made by J. C. Kirkner in behalf of the heirs of George H. Opdyke. It is a scholarship at Rutgers College and is to be competed for by pupils of the High School. Mr. Kirkner also spoke briefly, telling of the early history of the Board of Education and bestowing praise upon the members responsible for the erection of the new edifice. The gifts were accepted by Leander N. Lovell, who thank the donors in behalf of Plainfield's citizens.

The dedicatory ode, written by VanWyck Brooks, '04, was rendered by the High School orchestra and glee club and the exercises concluded with the dedicatory prayer and benediction by Rev. Dr. A. C. McCrea, pastor of the First M. E. church.

OUR GAS MAY COME FROM CAMDEN PLANT.

New Brunswick Hears of a New P. S. C. Centralization Scheme.

Reports from New Brunswick state that the P. S. C. has decided to supply gas to this section from a big central plant to be located in Camden. Eleven-inch mains, it is said, will be laid from Camden to Trenton, and from thence, across the Delaware Canal and Raritan River, to Highland Park, New Brunswick and Metuchen, branching from there to this city.

W. R. Causebrook, chief of the gas department of the P. S. C. here, said this morning that no hint of any such change had come to him. He was not inclined to believe the report.

"The company has been spending a lot of money rejuvenating the Fourth street plant," he said, "and it doesn't strike me as probable that they would do that if the station is to be abandoned. Superintendent Campbell, who has charge of the distribution in this district, may know more about it."

A reporter was told that Mr. Campbell was out of town, at the gas house.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss will conduct the Young People's Society meeting at the First Baptist church tonight.

Rev. J. T. Lansdale, an earnest Christian worker from New York, has been secured to preach at Marconnier chapel on Sunday night. He has been here and looked over the work and will take charge of it for the present at least. He comes highly recommended as a good preacher and pastor.

PERSONAL.

J. A. Wilson, of Grove street, has returned from an extended visit at Chatham.

Miss Flora M. Miller, of West Third street, returned home yesterday after a three months' visit in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schorb, Jr., were members of a box party at the Bijou theatre, New York, last night. They were at Fields' theatre in the afternoon.

C. H. BATEMAN SEES A NEW TRIUMVIRATE.

And He Sets It to Work to Defeat His Ambitions.

Charles H. Bateman has put himself in the field as a candidate against Joseph Gaston for the postmastership at Somerville, and in addition to having his weekly paper favorable to its editor's ambition he has a handy press agent at work in Washington.

Hot off the wire is a dispatch from the Capitol which reveals a new political triumvirate in Somerset county, in which Senator Reed is made to figure. This imaginary combine is put into action immediately by the author in Washington, D. C., who scents a deal between Senator Reed and Senator Frelinghuysen, both of whom nappen to be of the same opinion as the majority of Somerville people. They favor the appointment of Mr. Gaston, who is the acting-postmaster, having been selected by former Postmaster Cooper's bondsmen.

Gaston will be the appointee.

Enamel Fires Woman's Clothing.

Apatent enamel which Mrs. John Huyler, of West Front street, was using on her kitchen stove Wednesday, exploded with a sheet of flame that set her dress on fire. She was enveloped in an instant, but retaining her presence of mind smothered the flames by wrapping a rug about her. She was severely burned before they were fully extinguished, and Dr. Murray had to be called to give treatment.

Washington and Today.

Bound Brook, Feb. 23.—Among the speakers at Bound Brook yesterday at a celebration of Washington's Birthday by the Washington Camp Ground Association was Francis B. Lee, of Trenton. Mr. Lee's address was a discussion of modern economic problems and suggestions found in the writings of George Washington. Mr. Lee took for his subject "Washington and Today."

In Washington's Memory.

Washington's Birthday exercises were held at the High School this morning. An address was made by Rev. Dudley Warner, rector of Holy Cross church. He dwelt on the value of self-possession in speaking before crowds. Recitations were delivered by Arthur Whitney, Miss Bertha Hill and Miss Queena Tillotson. Patriotic songs were sung.

Bargain Sale at Fair.

There was a holiday crowd at Company K fair last night. The armory was filled with dancers from an early hour until a very late one. The fair will close Saturday night. The closing will be of interest to bargain-hunting women, because everything left on the fancy goods table is to be sold at sale prices. There are a lot of things left.

Golf Play Yesterday.

The remarkable winter weather made it possible for the course of the Plainfield Country Club to be used yesterday. Several members of the club visited the course during the morning and afternoon and enjoyed the poplar game. Except for a few soft spots the course is in exceptional condition for this time of the year.

Consoli Awarded $25.

Half the sum he asked was awarded to John Consoli, who sued Henry De Mott for $50, in Justice Smalley's court, North Plainfield, Wednesday. The suit was for commission alleged to be due on the sale of a house. The verdict will be appealed at once by Lawyer H. C. Runyon, for the defendant.

Gas at 80 Cents.

The New York State Gas Commission today directed that gas companies in Manhattan borough after May 1 shall make a uniform charge of 80 cents per thousand feet. The rate in Plainfield is $1.25 per 1,000 feet.

S. S. on D. D.

William Perrine, arrested on a charge of drunkenness and disorder, was released under suspended sentence in the city court this morning.

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MEN'S $2.00 DRESS PANTS ..... Reduced to $1.25
MEN'S $2.50 DRESS PANTS ..... Reduced to $1.75
MEN'S $3.00 DRESS PANTS ..... Reduced to $2.25
MEN'S $4.00 DRESS PANTS ..... Reduced to $3.00

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Prices—Matinee 25c, 35c; Night 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

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Sun Rises 6:45 a. m.
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THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy tonight, warmer in north portion; Sunday, rain.
Maximum, 50; minimum, 25; 24 hours ending at noon today. Ther. at noon, 50.

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MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT IS AGAIN TURNED DOWN

Nomination of Cose Stigmatized as an Attempt to Pay a Political Debt.

MELLICK OPPOSES IT

For the Second Time Fire Department Appointment is Blocked and Mayor Will Be Asked To Withdraw It.

Mayor Buckle's appointment of John Cose as second assistant chief of the fire department to succeed Andrew Jennings, now first assistant chief, was taken from the table at the adjourned meeting of the Common Council, last night, on a motion made by Mr. Mellick, chairman of the fire committee. In the discussion which followed there was such an overwhelming opinion against it and in favor of abolishing the office of second assistant chief, that the appointment was referred to the fire committee, for the purpose of having it withdrawn by the Mayor and thus allowing time to have an ordinance presented to abolish the office.

Mr. Mellick, who said that he was obliged to be absent from the last meeting, remarked that he was glad of the opportunity to speak on the matter at this time. He then stated that at a meeting of the fire committee the appointment was discussed at great length and he was strong in his conviction that the affairs of the fire department present and future depend upon the faithful services and honest lives of the men who comprise the paid department, that they can be rewarded with positions higher up when vacancies occur. If appointments are to be made from outside regardless of how well a regular man performs his work such action will result in discouragement and demoralization of the department.

"Here is a senior captain who has served sixteen years faithfully in the department," continued Mr. Mellick, "and is worthy of promotion. The call men, of which Mr. Cose is one, I give all honor to them, but it is the paid department upon which we must lean. It is not a question as to whether Mr. Cose or Captain Townley is eligible. The appointment of Mr. Cose is the payment of a political debt, which is a very serious matter, one which we cannot get away from. It is so serious a matter that I would rather see the office of second assistant chief abolished than cause any discouragement or dissention in the department."

Mr. Gloak, who was impressed with Mr. Mellick's remarks, said that he had talked with many taxpayers about the appointment and a majority favored the abolishment of the office, and he added that he would be willing to make such a motion or present an ordinance which would accomplish this.

Mr. Mellick said that would be agreeable to him to have the appointment laid over so that he might see Mayor Buckle and have him withdraw it and allow time to have such an ordinance as Mr. Gloak suggested introduced and passed.

Mr. Daniel then moved to amend the motion that the appointment be referred to the fire committee for further consideration and this was adopted.

GRACE M. E. FAIR.

Receipts Will Reach a Very High Figure..

The patriotic fair of the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church, North Plainfield, closed last night, a most successful affair. The attendance was very large, and the receipts were on the same plane as the night before. The programme was quite as enjoyable.

The sum netted by the society, when all the ticket reports are in, will reach a total beyond the figure hoped for by the most sanguine of the managers.

In the entertainment, the topy-turvy drill was taken out, and the sunflower drill substituted.

Lively Basketball Game.

The basketball game at the Y. M. C. A. tonight will be lively according to past performances. The Maxwell House five is one of Brooklyn's crack combinations, and it has a narrow-margin defeat to wipe out.

G. W. Young.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Young, of West Front street, on Washington's Birthday. Mrs. Young was formerly Miss Florence Bennett, of Norwood avenue.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

YALE CLUB HOLDS ITS ANNUAL MEETING

VOTES TO INCREASE THE PRIZES OFFERED PLAINFIELD BOYS.

At the annual meeting of the Plainfield Yale Club at the Casino last night the members voted to increase the prize it offers to the Plainfield boy passing the best entrance examination to the academic department and the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale from $15 to $25 each. In this way it is hoped to increase interest in the plans of the organization.

The meeting was called to order by President S. St. John McCutchen, and the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, T. M. Day; vice-president, E. A. Stevenson; secretary and treasurer, L. A. Williams; executive committee, Harry L. Lovell, Carroll T. Runyon and William B. Tyler. The members were enthusiastic over the success of recent collegiate social affairs and it was planned to hold a dinner in the near future. The executive committee was empoweed to make all arrangements, with the Casino as the specified place of assemblage.

The club has also become interested in baseball and it is hoped to arrange a series of games during the coming season between the Yale and Princeton clubs of Plainfield. The subject was thoroughly discussed and Arthur Lovell was appointed a committee of one to take the matter in charge.

PLAINFIELD SHRINERS AT SALAAM'S AFFAIR.

"Ladies' Night" at Krueger's Auditorium, Newark, Well Attended.

Salaam Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine, had a "ladies' night" entertainment at Krueger's Auditorium, Newark, last night and a large number of Plainfield Shriners, accompanied by their wives and women friends, attended. An excellent programme of a varied character was presented by well known talent, a feature being the instrumental music by the Shriner's orchestra. Afterwards the company was invited to the banquet hall for refreshments.

The Plainfielders made the trip from here in a special trolley and the journey was attended by many pleasant features. Among the local Shriners attending were L. B. Woolston, James F. Buckle, J. Harry Green, Gilbert Fletcher, Edward Sebring, Hiram G. Woodruff, Caspar Bolsterle, A. D. Edgar, W. R. Coddington, C. H. Rugg and Henry Woodland.

Robertson Company Pleases.

Though announced as "a moving picture entertainment," the exhibition of Robertson's marvelous projectoscope and accompanying vaudeville acts at the New Plainfield theatre last night went way beyond the expectations of patrons. The pictures were splendid, not only in regard to the scenes represented, but in mechanical perfection as well. Of the company of entertainers the headliner was Prof. Struck, who amazed the audience with feats of magic not seen in Plainfield since the days of Herrmann the Great. There is a possibility that Manager Robertson may secure a return date.

Jerome K. Jerome Coming Her.

Owing to the ill health of Jacob Riis, who was engaged to lecture at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on March 8, under the auspices of the Young People's Association, it has become necessary to make other arrangements for this entertainment. In place of Mr. Riis, the association has secured Jerome K. Jerome and Charles Battell Loomis, the latter of Fanwood, to give a joint entertainment in the Sunday-school room of the church on Tuesday night, March 13, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Riis has been obliged to cancel all his engagements for February and March.

"Practical Teacher Training."

Under the auspices of the Union County Sunday-School Association a meeting will be held in the Seventh-Day Baptist church on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Miss Margaret Slattery, of the State Normal School, Fitchburg, Mass., will deliver an address and conduct a conference on "Practical Teacher Training." All teachers of all departments of the Sunday-school in the county, as well as older members and others who are interested in teaching will be welcome. Miss Slattery was highly appreciated at "The Summer School of Methods" at Asbury Park, last year.

Rev. George Mooney, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, will occupy the pulpit at the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow in exchange with the pastor, Rev. A. E. Finn.

AFTER POSTMASTERSHIP

Senator Reed Says Bateman is Evidently Trying to Scare Senatcr Frelinghuysen.

EDITOR'S GREAT FIND

He and His Friends Discover a New Political Combination—Tale of a Patronage Agreement.

Weird and wild tales of a new political triumvirate in Somerset county with Senator Charles A. Reed as one of its members have been going the rounds through the heroic efforts of the friends of Charles H. Bateman, who aspires to be Somerville's postmaster. Bateman is hot after the job for which Joseph Gaston is backed by the majority of people in that town and it is supposed that he is attempting to frighten County Chairman Joseph Frelinghuysen into supporting him. Congressman Wood has the say as to who shall get the plum and he has announced that he will recommend the candidate selected by the regular party organization's chairman.

A dispatch from Washington contains a neatly arranged story picturing Senator Reed as a member of the alleged combine in Somerset county, the other two members of it being former Congressman Clark and Senator Frelinghuysen. As the tale is unfolded, Mr. Reed is made to pledge his support in the last campaign to Frelinghuysen in return for recognition in all matters of patronage.

When shown the clipping former Senator Reed was very much amused. He said, "Poor Bateman is evidently trying to scare Senator Frelinghuysen into making him postmaster. So far as I ever knew Bateman has no personal following in Somerville, but he is quite an expert in discovering mares-nests. He works his position as editor of the Republican organ of the town for all it is worth when it comes to helping him get any pop. I made him my private secretary when I was President of the Senate and while he fully appreciated the salary, he never evinced any gratitude after it reached his pocket. His story of a combination between Senator Frelinghuysen, ex-Congressman Clark and me to control appointments in the county is news to me. If such a combination was made I never knew it. It is true that three years ago I did not support Senator Frelinghuysen, while last fall I did support him and he won out by over 1,000 majority. Three years ago Bateman and his "friends" strongly supported Frelinghuysen. Last fall their support was to say the best of it, lukewarm.

"I am taking no part whatever in the Somerville postoffice fight but my information leads me to believe that the appointment of Gaston, who is a capable and popular business man, would give general satisfaction, while if Bateman should win it would be generally regarded as an appointment made for purely political purposes and without regard to the fitness of the candidate."

Fair Still Draws.

There was not much diminution in the crowd at the company K fair last night. The attendance was almost as large as on Washington's Birthday. The singers were Jack Drislane, who wrote "Keep a Little Cosy Corner in Your Heart for Me," and "What the Brass Band Played," and George Lane, another New York vocalist. Lane is very young to be out late nights, but he has a robust voice and the self-possession of a real man. The girls called him a duck. Tonight the fair will be a bargain sale. All the fancy articles left will be sold at a price that would break a tradesman's heart.

Celebrated Silver Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hand, formerly of this city, but now or Orange, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage last night. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Schomp, of West Front street. Mr. and Mrs. Hand were residents of this city for many years and both have a large number of friends here.

Mrs. N. B. Bass Will Speak.

A meeting of unusual interest will be held at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church tomorrow night in charge of the Women's Auxiliary of the Women's Home Missionary Society. Mrs. N. B. Bass, national organizer for the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church, will deliver an address. There will be special music.

National Organizer to Speak.

Mrs. N. W. Bass, National Organizer for the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, will address a meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society at the First M. E. church on Tuesday. She will tell of the general work of the society.

COMIC OPERA BENEFIT

"The Pirates of Penzance" in Aid of King's Daughters Nursery.

UNUSUALLY FINE CAST

Production at the Casino on Tuesday Night—William Holmes As Director—Large Chorus.

After weeks of painstaking work in rehearsals for "The Pirates of Penzance," the comic opera will be given at the New Plainfield theatre on Tuesday night for the benefit of the City Union, King's Daughters, Day Nursery, the new charity recently opened at 444 West Third street. The chorus of 100 voices, including the several leading parts, has been working very hard under the direction of William Holmes, and it is the opinion that the performance will be the best he has ever given in this city. The final rehearsal will be held Monday night at the Casino.

One decided advantage in the forthcoming production is the fact that the entire chorus is composed of trained voices, and now that it is the intention of Mr. Holmes to make the organization a permanent one, it is expected, the interest has increased materially. It is the purpose to give at least three operas each year and by keeping the organization intact better work is said to be assured.

At each rehearsal now the entire score is rehearsed with all of the soloists and the results are most satisfactory. The chorus is comprised of twenty tenors, twenty-five bassos, thirty sopranoc and twenty-five altos. The leading role, "The Pirate King," will be taken by William N. Runyon. The other parts will be taken by the following:

"Samuel," Fred'k J. Pope; "Frederick," William J. Tallamy; "Major General," E. Maxwell Honeyman; "Sergeant of Police," Joseph C. Martin; "Mabel," Miss Carrie Dawes; "Edith," Miss Leila Druse; "Kate," Miss E. Nellie Tabb; "Isabelle," Miss Ada H. Dunham; "Ruth," Mrs. Ferdinand M. Ward. Great care has been taken in the selection of those for the various parts and the results show that Mr. Holmes has made no mistake.

The chorus is pronounced to be one of the best and especially well-balanced. Mr. Holmes has engaged a full orchestra of high-class artists and will personally direct the opera. There will be sixteen pieces in the orchestra.

The affair is given for the benefit of the Day Nursery. It has already been shown that the nursery was needed here. Ever since it was opened a few weeks ago, the patronage has been large, as many as forty-five children being cared for in one week. The profits from the production of "The Pirates of Penzance" will help to carry on this worthy charity in a way that it deserves.

Guarding Fraternity Names.

William Newcorn is drafting a law to be presented to the present Legislature, making it illegal for any man or body of men to use the insignia, passwords, or other distinguishing signs of any fraternal or secret organizations, properly incorporated, with the express permission or authority of the regularly constituted governing body of such organization. The enactment of such a law was favored by the Grand Council of the Red Men at Trenton yesterday, and Mr. Newcorn was made head of a committee of three to prepare the bill. Its passage is almost certain. Colored lodges of so-called Masons and Odd Fellows will be affected by the measure.

Held for Juvenile Court.

Frank Petersen, 15 years old, and James Coleman, fourteen, both colored, were held for the Juvenile Court by Judge Runyon this morning, on a charge of stealing coal. Patrolman Higgins caught them on a coal train in Netherwood, with burlap bags under their coats. The boys tearfully asked the Judge to believe the bags were for carrying clay to be used in mending the Coleman stove, but the magistrate was openly skeptical.

Entertained the Brotherhood.

The Brotherhood of the First M. E. church was entertained last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. French, of Craig place. The programme, purely of a social character, was very informal and included music. During the evening refreshments were served.

Mitchell Hearing Adjourned.

The hearing of Rev. J. W. Mitchell, arrested on a counter charge of disorderly conduct made by Deacon Robinson in the Calvary Baptist church wrangle, was put off until Wednesday night by Justice Hand, this morning. The defense was not ready to proceed.

CITY FATHERS' ROUTINE

Minor Business Transacted at Adjourned February Meeting Last Night.

CONSIDERED PETITIONS

Applications of Hackmen, Truckmen and Peddlers' Licenses Granted —Equal Taxation Letter.

Aside from the more important matters that engaged the attention of the Common Council last night, there was a budget of minor business that required considerable time. P. C. Thompson, of 306 East Front street, asked for permission to erect a three-story addition to his building to be constructed of cement blocks. The permission was granted on motion of Mr. Mellick, chairman of the fire committee, with the provision that the building inspector pass on the blocks.

Charles J. Fisk, representing the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital, asked to have a fire hydrant placed on Randolph road, opposite the hospital, and Charles W. McCutchen, president of the Plainfield Riding and Driving Club, asked to have one located on Randolph road, near Woodland avenue, where the club's new buildings will be located. As the location of these hydrants will probably mean the extra expense of having water mains laid, the petitions were laid over for investigation.

At this time several remonstrances and protests were received against the granting of liquor licenses. Some asked that no licenses be granted, others that no new applications be granted, and still others that all applicants outside the "zone" district be refused. Such protests were received from the Plainfield and Rahway Religious Society of Friends, the Young People's Religious Society of Friends, residents of the Fourth ward, protesting against granting Goff or any other person a license in that part of the city; C. B. LaRue, Men's Association of Trinity Reformed church, Executive Committee of Christian Endeavor Union, and the Men's Club of the Congregational church. The petitions were all received and filed.

Thomas Morcom, superintendent of the Plainfield Avenue cemetery, made a complaint against the practice of allowing large scraps of paper torn from the billboard on Plainfield avenue to blow about the streets and in the cemetery. This matter was referred to the street committee, and Mr. Daniel said that he hoped an ordinance would be drafted covering this nuisance. He had understood that Street Commissioner Gavett had had considerable trouble from the same cause in other parts of the city.

A communication was received from H. A. Cramer, city clerk of Camden, in which Plainfield was asked to co-operate with other cities in the State in securing equal taxation and an increased franchise tax. The matter was referred to the committee on public affairs.

Clerk C. E. Keib, of Fanwood township, called the Common Council's attention to the poor condition of Terrill road and South avenue, which by agreement is taken care of by Plainfield. The matter was referred to the street committee.

W. R. Causebrook, for the Public Service Corporation, informed the Common Council that ten electric lights have been located as directed by that body.

Mr. Daniel reported back petitions of Christian Gloeckler and Abrams & Weinberger, asking for an adjustment and apportionment of taxes on certain property, and he advised, after consulting with the corporation counsel, that the petitioners be informed that their petitions were not properly drafted and referring them to the section of the tax ordinance which gives the proper instructions. As to the petition of Peter Neuman, who asked for an adjustment of a certain sewer assessment, Mr. Daniel said that the report of the commissioners has been made and confirmed and the corporation counsel had instructed him that it would not be reopened. The clerk was instructed to inform Mr. Neuman of that fact. Mr. Daniel also reported on the petition of Mrs. Carl Pfender, who objected to paying a poll tax, when her husband died on November of last year. Mr. Daniel stated that while the tax was a lien on the estate, Mrs. Pfender is not liable, and the clerk was instructed to inform her of that fact.

The usual batch of applications for licenses was presented by cartmen, truckmen, peddlers, hackmen and lunchwagons and ordered granted when the fees are paid.

Mr. Daniel stated that L. Moraller & Son, who have charge of the city clock, informed him that the chains in the clock were worn out and needed ne wones. He then moved that $17 be appropriated for that purpose, and the motion was adopted.

CITY FATHERS GRANT NO NEW LIQUOR LICENSES

FRACTIOUS HORSE CRACKED HIS RIB

PAINFUL RESULT OF NAYLOR'S BIT OF PLUCK AND PERSEVERANCE.

In attempting to quiet a fractious horse, William Naylor, of West Front street, was kicked in the side and painfully injured yesterday morning on Grant avenue.

The horse, attached to a runabout owned by George Wheeler and driven by a boy in his employ, became frightened at a passing train, under the railroad bridge, and reared. Naylor ran out from the sidewalk and sprang up to seize the horse's bridle. The horse kicked out with his front feet, and one of the hoofs struck Naylor in the side. He pluckily returned to the task, and succeeded in grasping the bridle and holding the horse in check.

When he walked toward the sidewalk after the train had passed and the horse was under the boy's control, he felt a sharp pain in his side. He stopped in Dr. Cregar's office, on Grant avenue, and asked him to investigate. The doctor found one rib cracked and some useful and necessary muscles in a highly discouraged state. Naylor will have acute reminders of the incident for some weeks.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY ELECTS.

Miss Fountain President of First Baptist Organization.

Election of officers was the principal business at the annual meeting of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church yesterday afternoon. There was also a paper presented by Miss Pauline Denton on "The Congo State." It was expected that the annual reports would be presented, but for several reasons they could not be completed in time.

These officers were elected: President, Miss Ada Fountain; first vice president, Miss May Shreve; second vice president, Miss Pauline Denton; treasurer, Mrs. John Peeke Reynolds; secretary, Miss Helen Robins. Miss Fountain will appoint her committees in time for the next regular meeting.

During the year the society has raised considerable money both for foreign and home missions and there will be an equal division between the two objects.

Ban on Bad Debtors.

The local coal dealers have called a meeting for tonigh: to compile a list of "slow pay" customers. Those declared "no good" will be refused deliveries hereafter unless cash accompanies the order, and methods of enforcing old debts will be considered. This action is taken by the dealers in order to prevent heavy losses that have been occurring.

Death of Young Son.

Lambert E. Edmonds, the nine-months-old son of Lambert and Esther Edmonds, of West Front street, died yesterday. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon and interment will be at Evergreen cemetery.

A Chinese Tea.

The Boys' Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will give a Chinese tea at the residence of Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, 744 Watchung avenue, Wednesday afternoon, March 14, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Truants' Parents Fined.

To check the growth of the truancy evil there, Justice Cooper, of Warrenville, fined John Miller, Mrs. Angeline Newton and George Heidt, of that place, $5 apiece this week for not sending their children to school.

William Barre a Benedict.

William Barre, of Somerset street, and Miss Mildred Bechtel, of Bound Brook, were married at the latter place Thursday. The ceremony was performed at the Presbyterian parsonage by Rev. J. J. Cudley.

New Real Estate Branch.

William Jeffery, 136 Park avenue, has opened a branch office at 1019 Flatiron Building, New York city. The opening of this branch office was necessary to his increased New York clientage.

Whittier Five Won.

In a swift, close and hot game the Whittier five defeated the Y. M. C. A. junior quintet this morning, 11 to 9. The score was 9 to 9 at the end of the first half. Williams shot the deciding goal.

At Stirling Dance.

About thirty people from here attended a dance held in Stirling last night by the employes of the Columbia Manufacturing Company, for the benefit of an indigent workman.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

The Twelve Renewed, Bottling Concern Only Meeting With Opposition.

AT LIVELY SESSION

Some Members Attempt to Get a Hotel License for Convicted Disorderly House Proprietor.

Twelve renewals of liquor licenses, the number now in force, were granted at the adjourned meeting of the Common Council last night. Charles Schanz and James Shay, two new applicants, withdrew their petitions, and the only division of votes was on the application of the Eastern Bottling Company and Frank Linke, for wholesale licenses, and on the application of John J. Goff for a license to keep a hotel, without the privilege of selling liquor.

The application of the Eastern Bottling Company was the first presented by Chairman F. L. Montgomery, of the license committee, who moved that it be granted. Only a few days ago Mr. Montgomery announced his opposition to renewing this license. Mr. Tyler said that he desired to call Mr. Montgomery's attention to the fact that the company supplied liquor to "our mutual friend Goff," in fact, he said that one-third of the sales at Goff's hotel was liquor furnished by that company, and the sales were made on a commission basis, showing that Goff was employed as an agent for the company, which he understood was practically the Ballentine Brewery Company. He further said that as a matter of decency and warning he thought the application should be refused. On those grounds, he declared, he would vote against it, and he asked every other member to do likewise.

The vote was then taken, Councilmen Buxton, Ginna, Gloak, Montgomery, Charles C. Randolph, Frank Randolph and President Tolles voting for the application, and Councilmen Daniel, Hibbard, Mellick and Tyler against it. All of the members, excepting Councilman Frank Randolph, voted for Frank Linke's application for a wholesale license.

While it was generally understood that John J. Goff had withdrawn his application for a license, and it was so stated in the Union County Court the day he was fined $1,000 for keeping a disorderly house, the application appeared last night with the others. It was Mr. Montgomery's wish that it be refused, but before it was accomplished the members got into all sorts of entanglements.

Mr. Hibbard said that he did not see what right the members had to consider the application in view of the provisions of the "zone" ordinance. President Tolles informed him that so far as the application for a hotel license was concerned he could not see that the ordinance had any bearing, which was finally conceded, but when it came to voting on his application to sell liquor the members were not quite sure of their position.

Mr. Hibbard offered two amendments, which practically provided that the city clerk inform Mr. Goff that the Common Council has no jurisdiction in his case owing to the provisions of the ordinance. He thought action on the application was in the nature of discrediting the ordinance, and he desired to see the dignity of it maintained.

Mr. Tyler said that inasmuch as the ordinance was before the members it would have to be considered. Mr. Montgomery declared that he was of the same opinion, feeling that the Common Council was duty bound to consider the application. Mr. Daniel said he thought the easiest and quickest way to dispose of the application was to refuse it, and this was finally done. On Goff's application for a hotel license all voted against it except Councilmen Buxton, Gloak, Frank Randolph and President Tolles, but on his application to sell liquor all voted in negative.

The other applications were granted, all of the members voting in the affirmative. Those granted are as follows:

Eastern Bottling Company, Frank Linke, wholesale; J. A. Staats, Jerome W. Leary, Jacob Blimm, Michael F. Watson, Henry Haurand, Henry F. Windham, John and Frank Clark, hotels; Christian Gloeckler, John Rafferty, A. D. Findlay, saloons.

—Dr. F. W. Corwell, who recently returned to Plainfield to practice, is stopping at Truell Court on Central avenue.

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25 pieces of wide Flouncing for skirts, also suitable for Corset Covers .39
Latest weave, newest designs in Mercerized Madras, just the thing for Shirtwaist suits .25
Irish Linen finish Suitings, yard .12½
Full Line of Bandings, 15c up to .85

RIBBONS and NECKWEAR.

We have an entire new stock of these at all prices.

Heavy All Silk Taffeta Ribbons, 5½ inches wide, in black, white, light blue, navy, pink, red and brown .25
Also same shades in 4½ inches, at .19
Fine Lawn Chemisette and Cuff Sets, fine tucks and lace insertion, a set .59
All Linen Washable Stocks in several styles at .25

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There was never in Plainfield a better assortment at such low prices.

Umbrella Drawers, lace and emb. trimmed .50
Nainsook Low Neck Gowns, French style .79
Corset Covers, four styles to select from .50
Muslin Skirts, deep embroidery trimmed 1.98
Chemise, lace and embroidery trimmed .98
A complete line of Corsets of popular makes 1.00

HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS.

Department is now restocked. These are a good bit under regular prices.

50 Cups and Saucers, fancy decorations .15
9-piece Toilet Sets, underglazed print 1.69
4-sewed Broom, good corn a special .17
Glass Fruit Dishes, assorted designs .25

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This department has almost everything you can ask for at the lowest prices.

Fancy Belt Buckles, latest styles, prices 25c to 1.25
White embroidered Wash Belts, latest styles .25
Hand Brushes, good quality 25c, 29c, .35
Nice Pearl Buttons, 1 doz. on card .5
A new line Fancy Back and Side Combs, up from .25

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Staple and popular priced lines. Our new stock excels in Ladies'

"Diana" Gloves in all shades for 1.00
"Ladies' "Neptune" Gloves in all shades for 1.50
Ladies' Fine Black Cotton Hose, 10c, 3 pair for .50
Children's Black Cotton Hose, fine and coarse ribbed, at 20c pair, 3 pair for .50

WASH GOODS and DOMESTICS.

All the latest and newest spring styles.

25 styles of 36-inch printed Percales, light and dark .12½
50 styles of Printed 27-inch Lawn and Dotted Swiss .12½
25 styles of Mercerized Checks, three sizes, in all colors, for .25
10 styles Curtain Swiss, 36 inches wide .12½
15 styles 40-inch Printed Batiste .10
All sizes and colors of Standard Apron Check Ginghams. .5
20 styles fine Printed French Voiles .15

SILKS and DRESS GOODS.

Here are a few of the new spring goods, very cheap.

54 inch Sicilian in blue, brown and green .69
Silk Warp Velour in all the popular shades .29
40-inch Fancy Checks for .59
19-inch Changeable Taffeta, just arrived .50

LINENS, BLANKETS and COMFORTS.

Our new stock is being sold cheaper than the old stock.

72-inch Heavy Bleached Damask, value 60c .50
72-inch All Linen Bleached Damask, value 89c, at .75
22-inch $1.00 Napkins for .69
Extra fine quality White Linen, 2½ yards wide, for suits and waists 1.00
11-4 light weight fine wool Blankets, worth $4. 2.98
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Plainfielders are not the only ones who feel aggrieved at the P. S. C. over their last month's lighting bills. A number of boroughites say their bills went away up for no appreciable reason. Fred Haynes' experience with the company was perhaps the most interesting of all. His bill was doubled, and no one in the family can remember any representative of the company coming to the house to read the meter. "If that's the way they do business," said A. A. Gray, "there is nothing to wonder at in the general advance."

Joseph McGinnis, twenty-two years old, of Brooklyn, was arrested on the streets by Marshal Mohan Thursday night, for vagrancy. He was slouching along in a highly suspicious manner when the officer saw him, and Mohan, remembering that he had seen McGinnis loafing about town in the afternoon, thought it time to put him away out of mischief. Judge Campbell gave him five minutes in which to leave town yesterday morning, and suspended sentence.

A number of local people attended the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hand in East Orange last night. The party included Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Garretson, Miss Lina Dayton, Mahlon Dayton and Miss Cora Dayton.

The young women of the Presbyterian church held a sewing circle at Miss Emma Craig's home yesterday afternoon. Articles for a mission school are being made. Refreshments and a social hour followed the needlework.

Uncle John Tingley is slowly regaining the full use of the ankle he broke recently. He manages to cover most of his territory with the aid of a stout stick.

Garretson & Gray are planning to put down another switch on their crusher railway. It is designed to increase the margin of safety.

Traces of an uninvited visitor were found at Walter Vliet's house Thursday night, but none of the things in the place were missing.

The loss sustained by Councilman Kuhns through a small fire at his home last week has been adjusted by the insurance company.

Rev. Frank Fletcher and Rev. S. K. Doolittle will exchange pulpits tomorrow.

Defender Fire Company met last night. Routine business was transacted.

Mrs. Muller has been entertaining friends from Brooklyn for several days.

The directors of the building and loan association will meet tonight.

L. L. Block will spend tomorrow in New York visiting his parents.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The auction sale of household goods of William E. Collins, of the borough, was held at the house yesterday. The sale was well attended and the bidding good natured, but spirited.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be at the usual hours: Morning preaching by the pastor, 10:45; B. Y. P. U. meeting, 7:15; evening sermon, 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Rapp, who have been visiting Mr. Rapp's father, W. S. Rapp, for several weeks, have returned to their home at Albany, N. Y.

The fair being held by the soldier boys of Company K this week in their armory has been attended by quite a number from here.

The Township Committee met in the town rooms last night. Considerable business of the regular routine work was transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alberts, of Westfield avenue, entertained friends from New York over Washington's Birthday.

Miss Anna Bruchmann, of Newark, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bruchmann, of Mountain avenue.

Rev. Mr. Hoffman will occupy his pulpit tomorrow at the Methodist church, after an absence of two weeks.

Mrs. H. Hand, of East Sixth street, spent yesterday with her sister, Miss Hattie Coles, of East Front street.

Mrs. Nicholas Alberts, of Park avenue, has been entertaining relatives and friends from out of town.

School reopens again Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

OPPOSITION TO STATE FORESTRY BOARD'S PLAN.

Shore Delegation Protests that $75,000 for Weymouth Estate Reservation Is Excessive.

Trenton, Feb. 24.—The State Forestry Commission listened Wednesday afternoon to the protest against the purchase of a tract in Hamilton township, Atlantic City, for a forest reservation which was made by a delegation of citizens from that town. The delegation claimed that under the new forestry law the land, if taken, would be exempt from taxation and that it would take two-thirds of the land from the township.

State Geologist Kummel showed by documentary evidence that this was a mistake, as only about one-third of the township was in the tract. To the claim that if the State takes the tract the taxes on other lands in the town would be increased, Dr. Kummel showed from the records of the comptroller that less than nine per cent. of the total taxes in the township are assessed against this tract, therefore the increase in the taxes on other property if this was exempt would be slight. Dr. Kummel said that it must be considered also that under the law the State will be required to maintain the roads through the tract, thus relieving the township of an expense.

The claim that the purchase would interfere with the growth of May's Landing, Dr. Kummel said, was not a valid objection, because none of the lands are within a mile of the courthouse.

The objectors claimed that the price of $5 an acre, or $75,000 for the tract, was excessive. The commission said it had received an affidavit from the owners of the land that they had never offered the property for sale for less than $5 an acre, including the water power, which is included in the offer to the State. The owners of the lands claim that the average price at which property has been sold from the tract has been $5.25 an acre. The commission said it would show that the price was exorbitant. Dr. Kummel said that no such evidence had been presented by the objectors.

No definite action was taken. As a result of the objections the present law may be amended so as to eliminate the provision exempting State forestry lands from taxation.

Miss Bessie Muir, of Dawson, Iowa, and Miss Jeanie Muir, of Woodstock, Ont., returned home yesterday after spending three weeks with their cousin, Miss Agnes Muir, of Essex street.

GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS.

Sensational, extraordinary and artistic circus acts are being presented for the first time in this country at the New York Hippodrome in conjunction with "A Society Circus," the most wonderful production ever witnessed on any stage. These acts include the Bonhair-Gregory troupe, the champion acrobats of the world; Ralph Johnstone, in his thrilling bicycle specialties; Woodward's trained seals; Mlle. Leris, equestrienne; Wolff's leaping hounds, and many others, each an arenic wonder. The dazzling ballet of the flowers and the beautiful Court of the Gold Fountains, continue to be the main features of the greatest programme ever offered to amusement seekers. Matinees are given daily.

Harrison Grey Fiske, manager of the Manhattan, is producing Rupert Hughes' latest play, "The Triangle," according to arrangements with Walter N. Lawrence, manager of that play. It is Mr. Fiske's policy to vary the attractions at the Manhattan, and these arrangements, long ago made, are in pursuit of that purpose. "The Triangle" is a comedy of today, dealing with a subject of social interest local to New York, and Mr. Lawrence has engaged an exceptionally able company to make this play first known in the metropolis. In the organization will be Charlotte Walker, Ferdinand Gottschalk, Byron Douglas, William Bramwell, Colin Campbell, Walter Thomas, May Isabel Fisk, Lillian Albertson, Consuelo Bailey and others engaged with particular reference to the special abilities called for in the cast. But one matinee a week is given at the Manhattan, on Saturday; and those who cannot before witness "Before and After," this will afford a last opportunity.

Broadway certainly likes young George M. Cohan—there is no denying it. New York likes his drawl, his phonographic singing, his way of saying "Ladies and gentlemen, I thank you—I thank you from the bottom of my heart—I thank you." There is something rather refreshing in seeing a star take his curtain calls without a glance at the audience. The snap and dash which were features of "Little Johnny Jones" are features of "George Washington, Jr." Instead of marching on the stage with measured tread and exaggerated "Florodora" bows at every step, Mr. Cohan's choruses run on, sing his songs with an enthusiasm and a spirit which are contagious, and skip off as if impressed with the facts that life is short and that action as a neccesary ingredient of musical comedy amusement. The musical numbers—there are nine of them—are lively, tuneful, and typically Cohanesque. There is no one song which can be classed as quite the equal of "I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy," but "The Grand Old Rag" comes near to it, despite the fact that there is an objectionably proprietary air about the comedian as he sings it which suggests that old Betsy Ross had Mr. Cohan in mind when she patched together the first national banner. His other song, "If Washington Came to Life," sung in the midst of a Rhode Island snowstorm, made a distinct hit last evening; it was encored at least eight times, and, being equipped with really good verses, was greeted with the maximum applause.

The biggest comedy hit of the year in New York is Fay Templeton in Geo. M. Cohan's music play, "45 Minutes from Broadway," at the New Amsterdam theatre, where she is now in her fourth week. Miss Templeton is undoubtedly the cleverest comedienne on the American stage. Her versatility was never more strongly tested than in this play, wherein she has serious and emotional as well as broad comedy situations. Her work is particularly pleasing to women. She is a women's comedienne, always refined in all that she does and never resorting to the slightest suggestion of coarseness to make her comic points. Victor Moore, who plays the opposite role, "Kid" Burns, has made a hit second only to that of the star. Mr. Moore, too, belongs to the quiet, unctuous and refined school of comedy, and in him Miss Templeton finds a most able second, in full sympathy with her stage methods. It is a pleasure to witness the situations between these really great artists, who make their points through refreshingly natural methods. As for the piece itself, it far surpasses expectation and any one who sees it cannot leave the theatre disappointed. It is a very effective conglomeration of different schools of theatrical entertainment into a powerful story of human interest, staged with novelty, variety and snap. "45 Minutes from Broadway" is quite the real thing in New York.

Exile to Speak.

Vladimer Gelesnoff, of Russia, will speak and Charles L. Lewis and Martin A. Korff will render vocal and violin solos at the Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mr. Lewis is baritone of the Lotus Glee Club that entertained in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course on the evening of January 1 and Mr. Korff is leader of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra. Mr. Gelesnoff is an exile from Russia because of his faith.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, as as well as the other local M. E. churches, will attend a district meeting to be held at Woodbridge on Monday.

LITERARY.

Trap shooting has made America a land of straight shooters, and no country in the world can compare with the United States in shooting. Gun clubs in America are directly responsible for that reputation which Uncle Sam so proudly bears. By constant practice at inanimate targets the American unconsciously prepares himself for his country's call to arms. Gun clubs are really the outcome of the abundance of live game in America. The average business man loves to tread the woods in search of live game, but usually his time to go on these hunting trips is limited to perhaps once a year, and during the interval he has lost his "shooting eye." He needed practice to keep his eye keyed up properly, and in order to get practice at home during spare moments, he organized the gun club, where between hours he could get all the practice he needed.—Ralph Trimble in Recreation for February.

What writes the books and plays anyway? Is it the author or is it some unseen irresistible power? In the March issue of Appleton's Booklovers Magazine, Jesse Lynch Williams has an article on J. M. Barrie, in which he says: "In 'The Little Minister' the author made up his mind to give us a bright, hopeful book. All went well for a while, but presently his characters began to run away with him. He tells in one of his other introductions of their willful behavior. "'Come back,' I cry. 'You're off the road.' 'We prefer this way,' they reply. I try bullying. 'You are only people in a book!' I shout, and it's my book and I can do what I like with you, so come back.' But they seldom come, and it ends in my plodding after them. Unless I yield, they and I do not become good friends, which is fatal to a book.' Nevertheless, in 'The Little Minister' he braved them, having set out on a pleasant sentimental journey—with a set smile. And this brought him the famous literary spanking from his older brother Scot in the South Seas: "'The Little Minister' ought to have ended badly; we all know it did; and are infinitely grateful to you for the grace and good feeling with which you lied about it. If you had told the truth, I for one could not have forgiven you.'"

If Thomas W. Lawson is the one man in America directly responsible for the recent insurance upheavals, what this fearless commentator has to say on the present insurance situation ought to make good reading. In a relentlessly outspoken article, "The Black Flag on the Big Three," in the March number of Everybody's. Mr. Lawson points out, in his strikingly convincing fashion, that the insurance companies are as corrupt as ever, and indicates the steps that must precede their real "purification." The March issue is particularly rich in readable articles. The current instalment of Charles Edward Russell's "Soldiers of the Common Good" is full of timely facts and anecdotes relative to the railroad situations in France, Italy, and Great Britain. The French railroads, which the government controls without owning, and which are obliged to conduct themselves circumspectly under penalty of forfeiting their franchises, are the subject of a particularly enlightening chapter. Some reasons for the progress of Italy and the poverty of Ireland are explained in vivid detail. Marshall Field, perhaps the greatest commercial genius of his day, is the subject of a brilliant illustrated article, based on intimate knowledge, by John Dennis, Jr. An illuminating contrast between the religion of today and that of a generation ago may be found in two articles by Vance Thompson and Eugene Wood. Science has authorized ghosts, says Mr. Thompson in "The Invisible World"—it has approved telepathy and clairvoyance; it has run a thousand psychic mysteries to earth.

When the Rev. Frank Ritchie, of St. Ignatius' church in New York, was rector of the Church of the Ascension in Chicago, he was most unpopular with his bishop because of his extremely high church ritualism and was known as "the black sheep of the diocese." At a general gathering of the clergy, Father Ritchie was paired off with the only colored rector in the bishop's jurisdiction. The clerical wits joked about it.

"The two black sheep of the diocese walked together," remarked one of them. The colored brother, a broad churchman, happened to overhear the remark.

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Southwestward the course of empire is taking its way. That region's expansion is greater since 1900 than it was prior thereto. Not only are Texas and its two territorial neighbors on the north keeping up their old gait, but Arkansas and New Mexico are showing an increase not previously touched. From the Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and New Orleans gateways, by way of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, the St. Louis and San Francisco, the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, the Iron Mountain, the St. Louis Southwestern (Cotton Belt), the Missouri Pacific, the Kansas City Southern, the Southern Pacific (Sunset Route), the Houston and Texas Central, and the Texas and Pacific, all of which roads are extending their operations either by lengthening their main lines or by annexing branches running in all directions, there is a vast inrush of people these days into the section between Missouri's and Kansas' southerly border and the Gulf of Mexico, and between the Mississippi and the Rocky Mountains and the Rio Grande.—The March Metropolitan Magazine.

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DEMOCRATS ARE TO HAVE BIG TIME.

Elizabeth Committee Prepares for Its Tenth Outing at College Point.

The Democratic City Committee of Elizabeth has arranged for its annual outing, which is always attend by Plainfielders. A special committee, consisting of Andrew P. Hughes, Frederick Zior and J. H. R. Corbet, reported they had closed contracts with grove and boat people for the tenth annual outing, which will be held on Wednesday, August 22, at Donnelly's Grove, College Point, Long Island. The steamer Cepheus, the best in the service of the Iron Steamboat Company, has been chartered. Last year the committee had about 500 on the annual excursion, and on the occasion of rounding out a decade of activity in this direction next summer an attempt will be made to eclipse by far anything yet attempted in the way of political jollification. The committee was discharged with a vote of thanks.

Gibson Drawing Free.

A series of ten articles on pen and ink drawing, illustrated with pictures by Charles Dana Gibson, is the next announced feature of the Sunday North American. The articles, prepared by experts, will be published in the body of the paper. The Gibson drawings which illustrate them will be issued in the form of special supplements. Each picture will be printed on fine, heavy paper, in halftone black on a delicate buff background. Each drawing is 10 by 15 inches in size and is ready for mounting and framing. There will be ten articles, each carrying a Gibson supplement to illustrate it. The first subject is "The Weaker Sex Under the Microscope." This picture shows Gibson at his best, and contains four heads of typical "Gibson girls." The demand for the Gibson pictures is certain to be unusually strong, and the reader who wants all the picture supplements and articles should subscribe for ten weeks and secure them. The publishers report an advance demand unequaled by that created by the announcement of any special feature.

Under the auspices of Greenbrook Council, Royal Arcanum, Augustus F. Howell, of Boston, an impersonator of great ability, will give an entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. Monday night.

The Orient degree team from the three local Jr. O. U. A. M. councils worked the degree in Junior Hall, Wednesday night, to twenty candidates. After the work supper was served by a committee appointed from the councils.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The new Vance and Sullivan Company's production of Owen Davis' latest and possibly best of his long list of recent successes, "How Baxter Butted In," is the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and tonight. The piece, which is termed a domestic comedy, is described as a four act revolving

Scene in "How Baxter Butted In," at New Plainfield Theatre This Afternoon and Evening.

picture of human nature, such as is encountered in everyday life. Its scenes are laid in rustic old Vermont, and it presents as its principal character "Billy Baxter," an up-to-date commercial traveler, a wideawake and manly type of "young America," who is always at the right place at the right time.

The new romantic comic opera, "The Rose of the Alhambra," which will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night, has proven to be a tremendous success on the road. It is a great big organization, four months old, and wherever the opera has been presented great favor has been shown. Miss Lillian Blauvelt, the dainty and distinguished prima donna, has been happily cast as Jacinta, a Spanish maiden, and finds ample vocal opportunities in the music written for her by Lucius Hosmer. The general opinion seems to be that not in years has a better singing company been heard than the one organized for Miss Blauvelt's support. Eugene Cowles, the famous basso, appears in one of those made-to-order bandit roles, which makes it possible for him to sing two or three rousing numbers. His remarkable voice seems even more effective than ever. Owen Westford, who as the eccentric old king, provides much of the comedy of the piece, in addition to being funny, also has a splendid singing voice. Considered in its entirety, the company is excellent and the production is elaborate and in decidedly good taste. The organization carries its own special orchestra, composed of selected solo instrumentalists, which will be augmented by the regular orchestra of the New Plainfield theatre.

At the New Plainfield theatre next Thursday night the offering will be the great laughing success, "Mr. Dooley," which this season is enjoying a remarkably successful tour. Among the leaders in the company, which numbers thirty-five people, may be mentioned Paul Quinn, J. A. Mitchell, Marie Richmond, Tillie Cohen, Emil Heusel, Casper Zarnes, Eddie Flavell, Lester M. Pike, Josephine Carter and St. John and LeFever.

There is no play before the public today more deserving of success than "A Crown of Thorns," the attraction announced for the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night. It occupies the same position in melodrama as "The Silver King," "Two Orphans," "Held by the Enemy," and "Secret Service" did a few seasons ago. Its chief charm is in the purity of its story and the natural manner in which it is told. As a dramatic work it is unique, in which the strongest effects are produced by the quietest methods. Interpreted by the powerful company headed by Ralph D'Aruinent and aided by the magnificent scenic effects, the attraction is one of the most satisfactory on tour. One of the big scenic features is a snow storm, a blizzard, and it is a wonderfully realistic scene; steam, and a moving picture machine securing the natural effects.

Manager William A. Brady offers Wilton Lackaye in "The Pit" at the New Plainfield theatre early in March. It will be the last chance that local theatregoers will have of witnessing this play, as it is to be Mr. Lackaye's last season in the role of Curtis Jadwin. It is Mr. Brady's intention to make this farewell engagement of "The Pit" one long to be remembered. With one or two minor exceptions the cast will be practically the same as when the play was originally produced.

Mrs. Christopher Thorp, of Central avenue, is quite ill at her home.

Henry B. Newhall, of this city, is registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Mrs. F. S. Adams, of Albert street, who has been very ill, is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Humes, formerly of this city, but now of White Plains, are parents of a son born to them a few days ago.

Miss Edith Everhardt, of East Front street, is spending two weeks with relatives at Greenwich, Conn.

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"Poor Bateman."

Evidently young Mr. Mizner tried to emulate Count Boni.

Daniel, Hibbard, Mellick and Tyler —more strength to them!

What did Lawyer Wilson mean by telling the court that Goff had withdrawn his liquor license application?

Elaborate preparations are being made for the production of the comic opera, "The Pirates of Penzance." It will be put on at the theatre on Tuesday night for the benefit of the day nursery of the King's Daughters, and promises to be one of the best amateur performances ever witnessed in this city.

In the light of recent events, how could Councilmen F. Randolph, Buxton, Gloak and Tolles consistently vote to grant a hotel permit to John J. Goff? That man has been fined twice in the last few months, once for selling liquor without a license and once for running a disorderly house, and yet those four councilmen went on record as considering him a fit individual to conduct a hotel.

"So far as I am concerned I do not favor renewing the Eastern Bottling Company's license. Unless some very good argument is presented why I should change my mind, I shall vote to refuse the Eastern Bottling Company's permit."—Councilman Francis W. Montgomery, Friday, Feb. 9.

Two weeks later Councilman Francis W. Montgomery, as chairman of the license committee, recommends that the concern's license be renewed.

"I've changed my mind; he's changed his mind."

CONJUNCTION'S WOES OF SEMITIC ORIGIN.

Professor Jones Tells Court His Troubles Are with Jews.

Just about forty-eight hours after his release from prison in Newark, where he had been arrested on a woman's complaint, Professor Conjunction Jones, colored, the self-elected humorist of the city court was arrested on Front street this morning by Patrolman Kelly. The officer found Conjunction lying on the sidewalk and, taking the professor's past record into consideration, Kelly decided he was drunk.

Conjunction told Judge Runyon the officer was mistaken. He said his knee hurt him and he merely lay down to soothe it. The professor delivered an oration that out-Jonesed Jones and smashed the dignity of the court.

"Yuh know, judge, yo' honah," pleaded Conjunction in conclusion, "that in all thuh nineteen yeahs ah been heah I ain't evah come befo' yuh fo' doin' apythin' tuh white men. All mah troubles is been with Jews."

Conjunction told the judge he had an appointment with a man in Newark this afternoon, and the magistrate suspended sentence with the understanding that he keep it and stay in Newark long enough to give the police here a chance to forget him.

Church to Burn Mortgage.

The congregation of the First Church of Christ, which recently secured a settlement of the legal tangle involving its edifice, will burn the cancelled bond and mortgage at the regular service tomorrow night. An appropriate sermon on the subject, "A Break with the Past," will be preached by Rev. Phil A. Parsons.

After Lawn Wreckers.

In response to complaints made by residents, the borough police have placed a band on "tag" playing by boys on front lawns. The practice has become a great nuisance because of the tearing up of the ground and Chief Weiss has instructed his men to arrest youngsters caught doing it.

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CHANGES PROPOSED IN CAB ORDINANCE

MONTGOMERY'S IDEAS FOR BETTERMENT OF THE SERVICE.

In response to a request from the cab drivers of the city, Councilman F. L. Montgomery, chairman of the license committee, presented amendments to the present ordinance at the adjourned meeting of the Common Council, last night. These amendments were read for information only and are intended to correct some of the irregularities and alleged hardships of which the cabmen complain.

The ordinance, as amended, provides that license numbers not less than an inch and a half in size shall be displayed on the side of each lamp on the carriage where it can be plainly seen during the day and at night when the lamps are lighted, that the cabmen be permitted to wear in the lapel of their coats a button one and a half inches in diameter, with a black background and bearing the cabman's number in white figures, that a folder be placed in the pocket of the carriage inside where it can be plainly seen by passengers. The penalty for violating these provisions is $10.

The amendments further provide that for one passenger a fare of twenty-five cents shall be asked within the prescribed limits and that fifty cents shall be asked for two or three passengers taken from the same place to one address and that between the hours of 11 o'clock at night and 5 o'clock in the morning these fares be doubled, except where a carriage is engaged by the hour. Then the rate shall be $1 for the first hour and 75 cents for each succeeding hour. The amendments also regulate the distance at the railroad stations and other places where cabmen may solicit passengers and distinctly provides that they shall not be boisterous or unduly noisy in their bid for business.

While these amendments were read last night for information only, it is the intention of the license committee to secure the adoption of them, believing that the concessions made are fair.

Pond Nine Waking Up.

The Pond Machine Tool Company nine is reorganizing for the coming season. Practically the same line-up as met the Singer team in a lively series last year will be used. Another series with the Singer combination is being arranged. Tommy Keefe, the old St. Mary's pitcher, will play right field.

Simms Guilty, Fined $25.

Peter Simms, whose rooms on West Front street were raided two weeks ago as a negro gambling house, was fined $25 this morning by Judge Runyon. The nine other men captured in the raid were released under suspended sentence. The trial was held last Saturday, the magistrate withholding decision for consideration of conflicting evidence.

Germans' Annual Ball.

The annual ball of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein will be held in Saengerbund Hall, Monday night. The arrangements have been made by a committee composed of Frank Neidig, chairman; John Wirth, John Retzer, Charles Meyer, Sr., and Fritz Schmidt.

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P. S. KIELY,
Chief of Police.

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2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
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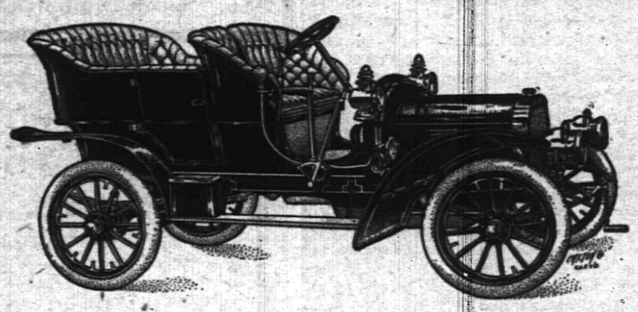

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First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Park Avenue—Rev. A. E. Finn, pastor—10:30, preaching by Rev. Geo. Mooney; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:45, evangelistic service, subject, "A Great Contract."

Faith chapel—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—10:45, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching.

Mt. Olive Baptist—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Calvary Baptist—11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; 3:00, Sunday-school.

Ebenezer—11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Reformed.

Trinity — Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor—10:30, subject, "Three Ways to the Lord;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:15, evening prayer meeting; 7:45, subject, "Jerichos—Ancient and Modern."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching by pastor in German; 8:00, preaching by pastor in English.

Marconnier chapel—3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian—Rev. Charles E. Herring pastor—10:30 and 7:45, preaching by Rev. Dr. Halsey, secretary Presbyterian Board; 2:30, Sunday-school.

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—Service, 10:30 and 7:45.

Hope Chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—Services 10:30 and 8, evening.

Warren Chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—Service, 10:30 and 8.

Bethel Chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 and 8 p. m.

Episcopal.

Grace church—Rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson; rector-emeritus, Rev. E. M. Rodman—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 10:30, morning prayer, litany and sermon, 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, sermon.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Charles H. Doupe, rector—9:45, Sunday-school, 11, morning service.

St. Stephen's—Rev. Arthur S. Peck, rector—9:45, Sunday-school; 4:00, evensong.

Holy Cross—Rector, Rev. George A. Warner—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., Sunday-school meets in parish house (except first Sunday in the month); 10:00 a. m., rector's Bible class for young men and women in the parish house; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon (except first Sunday in month); 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Rev. E. E. Miller, curate—11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8:00 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Methodist Episcopal.

First—Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor—10:30, subject, "The Mind of Christ;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:00, Epworth League, topic, "A Pure Life;" 7:45, evening service.

Grace M. E.—Rev. Charles Wesley Parsons, D. D., pastor — 10:30, preaching, subject, "Men With a Mission—Charles H. Spurgeon, the Gospel Preacher;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth League; 7:45, preaching, subject, "Pivotal Points in Life."

Monroe Avenue—Rev. George Mooney, pastor—11, sermon; 3:00 p. m., Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. H. C. Ashley, pastor—11:00 a. m., preaching; 3 p. m., preaching.

Roman Catholic.

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3; Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 3:30.

Congregational.

Congregational church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Swedish Evangelistic Pilgrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—4:00, Young people's meeting.

Friends.

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street, meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

Unitarian.

All Souls—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching; 11:50, Sunday-school.

Lutheran.

German Lutheran—Swedish service, 8 p. m.

St. Peter's German Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street—9:30, Sunday-school, German and English classes; 10:30 a. m., preaching.

Christian Science.

Services 11 a. m., in room 407, Babcock building.

Disciples of Christ.

Christian church—Rev. Phil A. Parsons, pastor—11:00 a. m., prayer and communion service; 7:45 p. m., subject, "A Break With the Past."

Not Classified.

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank Place—7:30 p. m.

Grove Street Rescue Mission—Meeting at 4 p. m., Andrew J. Wilson will speak.

W. C. T. U.—4:00 p. m., Rev. Charles W. Parsons, D. D., will lead.

Y. M. C. A.—4:00 p. m.

Emigrant Lodged in Court.

An Italian emigrant, carrying a bundle of imported necessaries in a mud-colored handkerchief, appealed to Officer Messler for assistance on Park avenue last night. He handed the cop a paper covered with Italian writing, and made signs indicative of a complete ignorance of English. After submitting the paper to four different English-speaking Italians, the officer learned that the emigrant was consigned to a tailor in the employ of Schwed Brothers. The police couldn't learn the consignee's address and gave the traveller a bed on a bench in the city court. He went gratefully to sleep with his head on his bundle. He gave his name as Grovanni Guilesco, or thereabouts. His tailor friend took him off the hands of the police this morning.

Dr. Halsey Will Preach.

Rev. Dr. Halsey, secretary for the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, will preach morning and evening at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow. In the evening he will give a stereopticon talk and snapshots on "Africa."

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THEATRICAL NOTES.

James Calker, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with W. J. Counihan, previous to leaving for Peru, Ind., to join the advertising force of the Great Wallace shows.

William Lackaye, booked for early appearance in this city in "The Pit," was the original Svengali in the production of "Trilby." He is a brother to Helen Lackaye, who was seen here recently in "The Galloper."

Manager Counihan is in charge of the publicity end of "The Pirates of Penzance" and he is using every possible method to acquaint the public with the value of the attraction. The advance sale indicates that a lot of people have "caught on."

The trial of George Hasty, who shot and killed George Abbott Davison, the actor well known to Plainfielders, has been set for February 26 at Gaffney, S. C. The Actors' Society of America has engaged special counsel to further the prosecution.

The Lillian Blauvelt company, which comes to this city with "The Rose of the Alhambra" Monday night, carries its own orchestra of twelve pieces. The principals and chorus number seventy-three, making it one of the largest musical organizations on the road.

Jack Conroy, who represents the strong arm of the law in the gallery of the New Plainfield, says he saw "The Funny Mr. Dooley" over at Orange a few weeks ago and it's the best ever. Jack ought to know because he has criticised forty-three shows this season, not counting matinees.

At Big Indians' Meeting.

Past Grand Sachem William Newcorn, Charles Holstein and John Green, of Miantonomo Tribe; John Clark and Meyer Leichtentritt, of Wetumkah Tribe, attended the meeting of the Great Council of New Jersey in Trenton yesterday. Mr. Leichtentritt was made district deputy for Plainfield, Somerville, Bound Brook, Cranford, Westfield and Raritan. Mr. Green was on the election board.

Death of Mrs. Edmund Verity.

Mrs. Margaret Kennedy Verity, wife of Edmund Verity, died at her home on East Front street, near Terrill road, yesterday, following a long illness. She was a sister to Isaac Kennedy, sexton of the First M. E. church and was well known locally. The funeral will be held at Cole's undertaking parlors tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

Died at Hospital.

Mrs. Thomas Reynolds, of Scotch Plains, died at Muhlenberg Hospital last night, where she had been undergoing treatment for several months. She leaves two daughters and two sons, the latter William and George Reynolds, of Scotch Plains. The funeral will probably be held Monday morning and interment will be at Scotch Plains.

Appointed to Secure School Plans.

Jeremiah D. Ten Eyck, Arthur Tappen and A. E. Curtis have been appointed by the Piscataway township Board of School Trustees as a special committee to secure plans for the erection of a new school building at New Market. The proposed structure is the one for which funds were appropriated after a bitter factional fight.

Local Canoe Team Wins.

The Wanamassa Boat Club canoe team, comprised of G. Harold Whitney and Fred Martin, of this city, competed in the race at the Sportsmen's Show in Madison Square Garden, last night, defeating the Inglewood Boat Club team, of New York. The distance was one-third of a mile.

Operation for Injured Knee.

Jed M. Smalley, of the borough, who has been undergoing treatment at Muhlenberg Hospital for an injured knee, will be operated upon this afternoon. He was hurt several months ago by falling from a horse and has suffered much pain ever since.

Funeral of John C. Meeker.

The funeral of John C. Meeker, who died suddenly Wednesday afternoon, was held from his late home on East Front street this morning. Rev. Dr. Schenck had charge and interment was at the Methodist cemetery.

Executor's Sale
OF
Valuable Real Estate

to close the estate of the late William McD. Coriell, will be held at public auction on

Thursday, March 1, 1906

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon beginning on the premises, No. 201 Clinton Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

The first property to be sold is the Homestead property at the corner of Clinton Avenue and South Second Street, having a frontage of about 700 feet on South Second Street by about 425 feet on Clinton Avenue and about 650 feet on West Third Street. Large house and barn in good condition.

The second property is on the west corner of West Front Street and Clinton Avenue, (No. 1304 West Front Street) having a frontage of 140 feet on West Front Street and 200 feet on Clinton Avenue, with house and barn, and will be sold on the premises.

The next to be sold is the three vacant lots in the rear of the last mentioned property, 40 feet front on Clinton Avenue and about 143 feet deep. Each lot will be sold separately.

The last property to be sold is the house and lot known as 1254 Milton Place, containing about 1⅛ acres of land and will be sold at the corner of Clinton Avenue and West Front Street, after the sale of the other properties.

Terms—10 per cent. cash when property is struck off; balance on delivery of deed in cash or half cash and half purchase money 5 per cent. mortgage at the option of the purchaser.

For further particulars inquire at No. 211 West Fifth Street of

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DIED.

EDMONDS—In this city, Friday, February 23, 1906, Lambert E., son of Lambert R. and Ester M. Edmonds, aged 9 months and 15 days.

Funeral services from his parents' residence, 680 West Front street, Sunday, February 25, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited. Interment in M. E. cemetery.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line); double rate for advertisements set in capitals.

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Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED — Waitress - chambermaid (white); personal reference required. Apply 313 Franklin place. 2 23 6

MACHINISTS—First-class upright boring mill and vise hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 24 2

WANTED—Good dressmaker by the day. Address M., Daily Press. 2 23 3

WANTED—A sober young man as driver; well recommended; must take care of horse and wagon. Apply Frank Linke, 227 West Front St. 2 21 tf

HELP WANTED—For drill press, screw machine and power press; also first-class all around machinists, assemblers and carpenters' helpers. Rushmore Dynamo Co. 2 23 2

WANTED — Crocheters; home work; on bootees and sacques; good pay; steady work. Mrs. McCormick, 560 West Front St. 2 23 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at No. 954 West Sixth St. 2 23 3

FIVE carpenters wanted. Apply M. D. O'Keefe, 679 West Fourth St. 2 24 3

WANTED—Cook and laundress; also chambermaid and waitress, with references. Apply 7 Rockview terrace. 2 24 3

WANTED—Competent white woman who thoroughly understands washing and ironing, to take home family wash; references required. A. R. M., Press office.

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. 423 Central Ave.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, in small family. 516 Woodland avenue. 2 24 3

WANTED—First-class lathe and vise men for small steel work. Spicer Universal Joint Manufacturing Co., Madison avenue, between Third and Fourth streets. 2 15 tf

WANTED — Middle-aged woman for light housework; good home. Address Home, care Press. 2 17 6

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 311 Madison avenue.

WANTED—At once, two milling machine hands; steady work; good pay to good men. Pond Machine Tool Co.

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—A competent waitress. Apply 112 West Seventh St. 2 20 6

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Good, well-rotted stable manure; address stating price, delivered, No. 7 Rockview terrace. 2 23 3

WANTED—On first mortgage, $2,500. Address G. S., 1314 South avenue, Plainfield. 2 24 3

WANTED—In family of four, a competent, well-recommended cook and laundress; wages, $5 per week; colored preferred. Address Q. E., care Press. 2 23 3

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, 211 North avenue. 2 19 6

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue. tf

For Rent.

HOUSES to rent from $15 to $50; houses for sale from $1,800 to $7,000; lots for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh St. 2 21 3

TO RENT—House, ten rooms and bath, near depot and trolley; $30 a month. Inquire 402 Park Ave. 2 17 tf

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

FOR RENT—A desirable store in Plainfield Theatre building. Apply at box office. 2 20 tf

FOR RENT—House, 9 rooms, reception hall and bath room; all improvements; barn; large lot. Horace J. Martin, 28 Somerset St. 2 21 3

TO LET—Furnished rooms; board near by. 514 Watchung Ave. 2 23 3

FLOOR to let. 705 West Third St. 2 23 3

STORE, 187 North avenue, for rent from April 1. Apply room 2, 102 North Avenue. 1 8 tf m w s

FLAT to rent; 8 rooms; heat and water; $26. Enquire C. M. Dolliver, 104 West Second St. 2 24 6

FIVE-ROOM flat to let on Harmony street. Apply L. M. French, 18 Craig place. 2 24 3

TO LET—6-room house; $12; improvements; 2 flats, $10 and $12; improvements. Adam Young agent, 815 South Second St. 2 23 10

FLAT FOR RENT—Five rooms and bath. Inquire Clifton & Campbell, 230 Park Ave. 2 20 4

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

Miscellaneous.

HOUSES — Lots furnished and houses built in locations to suit purchasers; call and see plans. C. D. Manning, 163 North Ave. 2 23 1m

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WANTED—By an active married man with small family, a position April first; references from present employer. Address Kent, Press.

WANTED—By young woman, a widow, with child of 2½ years, place at general housework; can furnish best of references. Apply Mrs. Nellie McCann, 843 East Front St. 2 20 8

WOMAN wants work by the day. 58 Somerset street. 2 24 3

RELIABLE gentleman wants position as nurse or care for invalid; reference. Address, 208 West Front St. 2 21 3

LAUNDRESS wants work by day. Call 332 East Fourth St. 2 21 3

WASHING and ironing wanted at home. Call 416 John St. 2 19 6

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GOOD board, warm room, for gentlemen; bath; telephone; $5 to $10 per week. 1103 Putnam avenue, corner Carlton. 2 6 1mo

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FURNISHED rooms to let with board; also table board, at 219 East Fifth street. 1 22 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. 12 19 tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Fur collar, either in new High School building or between Third place and the building. Finder please return to this office.

LOST—Black and tan Yorkshire terrier pup. Please return to 429 Stelle avenue. 2 24 3

LOST—Gold locket and chain; reward. Return F. Blatz, First National Bank building.

Real Estate to Exchange.

ATTENTION! Builders building —I have four fine lots directly in Dunellen; would like to exchange them for improved property. Address W. K. Mackey, city.

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OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

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GOOD fresh cow for sale. George Burnett, Watchung, N. J. 2 20 4

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FOR SALE—10-room house, Woodland avenue, near Netherwood station, only $7,000; nice 12-room house; good location; open plumbing; only $3,800; building lots; good locations; very low prices; liberal terms; houses to rent, $18, $20 and up. Ira L. LaRue, 109 Park Ave. 2 10 tf

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A PLAINFIELD BOY'S SCHOOL ADVANTAGES FOR 1846.

Written for The Daily Press by O. B. Leonard.

Eighteen hundred and forty-six was a year earlier than the town had its political birth. Previously we were known as of Westfield Township, Essex County, and our fathers then had to go to Scotch Plains to vote. It was not till the spring of 1847 that Plainfield Township was created and the following year a Public School was organized. Small private schools in various neighborhoods furnished the youth of Plainfield with means of mental culture during 1846 and a few years preceding. There were four or five such juvenile schools in town at that time, but no public schools directly in the village. On the outskirts there were two "District Schools." One was located in the Short Hill section to the East and known as "Jackson School." Another was in the southern part, called the "Samptown" district. Fifty-seven children of school age lived within these two outlying sections.

The public feeling in regard to Common Schools as existing under State law was very dormant prior to 1848. The new Constitution of our little State, adopted in 1844, awakened some interest on the subject. But generally there was a decided apathy for the system, as it provided almost exclusively for the poorer classes only. The idea prevailed everywhere that public schooling was entirely an act of charity. Most parents at first refused to send their children to such poorly furnished and promiscuously attended schools. It was on account of the indifference of a majority of the citizens to the provisions of the Common School law that not even a Public School house had been built in the town up to this date. Only the two little outlying "District Schools" referred to, furnished "educational advantages" to any of the Plainfield children under the Common School law up to 1847-8.

This state of things has particular reference to the years 1840-48. In each decade immediately preceding there were a few elaborate efforts made in the town for general education. For instance in 1811 a "Plainfield Academy" was chartered and survived twenty-four years. In 1825 the "Plainfield Seminary" was started and maintained about twelve years. In 1835 the village was distinguished for its "Plainfield Classical Institute," which was well sustained for ten years.

The town in 1846 contained some 300 dwelling houses and had a population of 1,585 men, women and children. Of this number about 450 were of school age, 5-16 years, but not half of these boys and girls attended any school. Possibly two hundred children were pupils in the half dozen little elementary schools scattered through the village.

The teachers in these private select schools are remembered as Jacob A. Wood, Jean O. Manriac, Thomas Wallace, William Davidson, Isaac Newning, David Lenox, Mr. Martin, Mr. Allen, Miss Van Nostrand, Mrs. Margaret Shotwell, Mrs. Martin Giles, Mrs. Olmstead. They kept school in their respective dwellings, as no school houses were especially built for the purpose.

The "scope" of instruction was very simple and limited. The curriculum was almost exclusively confined to the development of the youth in the "three Rs." Most of the school boys were under fourteen years of age and the girls were even younger. If the pupils mastered "Readin, Ritin and Rithmetic" with a fair degree of accuracy in spelling, they were thought to have a respectable foundation.

The discipline was sometimes regular, oftener irregular, but generally defective. There were no established rules of procedure. Every teacher had his own rule of treatment and some of the scholars experienced the force of this rule every day. Indeed it is remembered that some of the boys were so unruly that it seemed necessary in the judgment of the teacher to apply his particular rule frequently. Once in a while a lively boy would get "off the hooks" and for diversion from mental strain "play hookey." This was another occasion for corporal punishment the following day if the lad turned up so soon. What was schooling without the perquisites of the rod, rattan and rule. Many parents regarded the frequent application of such appliances as necessary for sure progress and certain development in their children.

The school sessions opened at 9 o'clock and closed at 4 p. m., with an hour noon spell and short recesses both in the forenoon and afternoon. Studying was done mostly in the school room. The seats and desks were very primitive and rudely constructed. The benches were backless and so high that the legs of most boys dangled in mid-air. Children were never known to run to school in those days from fear of being late or getting demerit marks. Our mothers started us off with clean hands and washed faces and the school room was reached about on time.

The money value of education was not so great then as now. Whereas it may cost property owners at present as much as $50 to $60 each pupil per year, in by-gone days the outlay in cash was not more than $6 to $8 for each child.

At the time preliminary preparation was making for starting our Free School in 1847-8 different local teachers were interviewed as to the probable changes for running a school. One select school teacher agreed "for $13 per week to furnish suitable instruction to what pupils might attend (say 200) and find the firewood, pens and ink, provided a proper place of meeting was furnished at the expense of parents."

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Old Post Road Hotel Sold.

New Brunswick, Feb. 24.—The City Hotel, at one time one of the best known hotel properties in the State, being on the direct line of the old post road between Albany, New York and Philadelphia, was sold at auction Wednesday and was purchased by Martin Norton, a local hotel man, for $15,100. The hotel was conducted for many years by Jacob Weldy, who came here from Salem. The hotel was sold by order of his executors, after a number of attempts to dispose of it at private sale failed. The sale is subject to a mortgage of $11,000 held by the Mutual Life Insurance Company.

New Brunswick Has 1,008 Bathtubs.

New Brunswick, Feb. 24.—New Brunswick has 1,008 bathtubs. That is the official census made by the inspectors of the water department. The inspection was made to discover the exact service given to every property in New Brunswick. It was discovered that many people were getting more tap and hydrant service than they were charged with, while in some cases people using water from city mains were not listed and paid no tax at all. It is estimated that the receipts of the department will be increased $5,000 per year as a result of the inspection and rerating.

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ESTATE of Felix Francis Genot, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the twenty-ninth day of December, 1905, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber. ARTHUR H. DUNDON, Executor.

CARLOS C. GALLUP, Proctor.
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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Kirby, carrying on a wholesale and retail tobacco business at One Hundred and Six (106) Park Avenue, City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate for the equal benefit of his creditors; and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims under oath or affirmation to the subscriber at his office, number One Hundred and Thirteen (113) East Front Street, Plainfield, New Jersey, within three (3) months from the date hereof, or the same will be barred from coming in for a dividend of said estate.

Dated, February 2, 1906.
HARRY C. RUNYON, Assignee.
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ESTATE OF Anna M. Underhill, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the twenty-fourth day of November, 1905, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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"Do not disturb yourself on my account," replied the man in broken English, which was rather pleasant to the ear. "Your excellent father and I can pass the evening very well."

Karloff! Warburton's chin sank into his collar and his hands trembled. This man Karloff had very penetrating eyes, even in the dark.

"But I shall miss the music which I promised myself. Ah, if you only knew how adorable you are when you play the violin! I become lost, I forget the world and its sordidness. I forget everything but that mysterious voice which you alone know how to arouse from that little box of wood. You are a great artist, and if you were before the public, the world would go mad over you—as I have."

So she played the violin, thought the unhappy man on the box of the coupe.

"Count, you know that is taboo; you must not talk to me like that,"—with a nervous glance at the groom.

"The groom embarrasses you?" The count laughed. "Well, it is only a groom, an animal which does not understand these things."

"Besides, I do not play nearly so well as you would have me believe,"—steering him to safer channels.

"Whatever you undertake, Mademoiselle, becomes at once an art,"—gallantly. "Good-night!"—and the count saluted her hand as he helped her into the coupe.

How M'sieu Zhames would have liked to jump down and pommel Monsieur le Comte! Several wicked thoughts surged through our jehu's brain, but to execute any one of them in her presence was impossible.

"Good-night, Count. I shall see you at dinner on Monday."

She would, eh? And her new butler would be on duty that same evening? Without a doubt. M'sieu Zhames vowed under his breath that if he got a good chance he would make the count look ridiculous. Not even a king can retain his dignity while a stream of hot soup is trickling down his spinal column. Warburton smiled. He was mentally acting like a schoolboy disappointed in love. His own keen sense of the humorous came to his rescue.

"James, to the city, No. — Scott Circle, and hurry." The door closed.

Scott Circle? Warburton's spine wrinkled. Heaven help him, he was driving Miss Annesley to his own brother's house! What the devil was getting into fate anyhow? He swore softly all the way to the Connecticut avenue extension. He made three mistakes before he struck Sixteenth street. Reaching Scott Circle finally, he had no difficulty in recognizing the house. He drew up at the stepping-stone, alighted and opened the door.

"I shall be gone perhaps an hour and a half, James. You may drive around, but return sharply at ten-thirty." Betty ran up the steps and rang the bell.

Our jehu did not wait to see the door open, but drove away, lickety-clip. I do not know what a mile lickety-clip is generally made in, but I am rather certain that the civil law demands $25.00 for the same. The gods were with him this time and no one called him to halt. When he had gone far away from Scott Circle as he dared go, his eye was attracted by a genial cigar sign. He hailed a boy to hold the horses and went inside. He bought a dozen cigars and lit one. He didn't even take the trouble to see if he could get the cigars for nothing, there being a penny-in-the-slot machine in one corner of the shop. I am sure that if he had noticed it, it would have enticed him, for the spirit of chance was well-grounded in him, as it is in all army men. But he hurried out, threw the boy a dime, and drove away. For an hour and 20 minutes he drove and smoked and pondered. So she played the violin! played it wonderfully as the count had declared. He was passionately fond of music. In London, in Paris, in Berlin, in Vienna, he had been an untiring, unfailing patron of the opera. Some night he resolved to listen at the window, providing the window was open. Yes, a hundred times Chuck was right. Any other girl, and this jest might have passed capitally: but he wanted the respect of this particular woman, and he had carelessly closed the doors to her regard. She might tolerate him, that would be all. She would look upon him as a hobbledehoy.

He approached the curb again in front of the house, and gazed wistfully at the lighted windows. Here was another great opportunity gone. How he longed to dash into the house, confess, and have done with it!

"I wish Chuck was in there. I wish he would come out and kick me good and hearty."

(Chuck would have been delighted to perform the trifling service; and he would not have gone about it with any timidity, either).

"Hang the horses! I'm going to take a peek in at the side window,"—and he slid cautiously from the box. He stole around the side and stopped at one of the windows. The curtain was not wholly lowered, and he could see into the drawing-room. They were there, all of them; and Miss Annesley was holding the baby, which Mrs. Jack had awakened and brought down stairs. He could see by the diffident manner in which Jack was curling the ends of his mustache that they were comparing the baby with him. "The conceited ass!" muttered the self-appointed outcast; "it doesn't look any more like him than it does like me." Here Miss Annesley kissed the baby, and Warburton hoped that they hadn't washed its face since he performed the same act.

Mrs. Jack disappeared with the hope of the family, and Nancy got out a bundle of photographs. M'sieu Zhames would have given almost anything he possessed to know what these photographs represented. Crane his neck as he would, he could see nothing. All he could do was to watch. Sometimes they laughed, sometimes they became grave; sometimes they explained, and their guest grew very attentive. Once she even leaned forward eagerly. It was about this time that our jehu chanced to look at the clock on the mantel, and immediately concluded to vacate the premises. It was half after ten. He returned to his box forthwith. (I was going to use the word "alacrity," but I find that it means "cheerful readiness." After what seemed to him an interminable wait, the front door opened and a flood of light blinded him. He heard Nancy's voice.

"I am sorry, Betty, that I can't dine with you on Monday. We are going to Arlington. So sorry."

"I'm not!" murmured the wretch on the box. "I'm devlish glad! Imagine passing soup to one's sister! By George, it was a narrow one! It would have been all over then."

"Well, there will plenty of times this winter," said Betty. "I shall see you all at the Country club Sunday afternoon. Good night, every one. No, no; there's no need of any of you coming to the carriage."

But brother Jack did walk to the door with her; however, he gave not the slightest attention to the groom, for which he was grateful.

"You must all come and spend the evening with me soon," said Betty, entering the carriage.

"That we shall," said brother Jack, closing the door for her. "Good night."

"Home, James," said the voice within the carriage.

I do not know whether or not he slept soundly that night on his stable cot. He never would confess. But it is my private opinion that he didn't sleep at all, but spent a good part of the night out of doors, smoking very black, strong cigars.

Celeste, however, could have told you that her mistress, as she retired, was in a most amicable frame of mind. Once she laughed.

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To Hear Tolla Case Monday.

Trenton, Feb. 24.—On application of Samuel Kalisch, who is associated with Mrs. Quackenboss, of New York, in an application for a new trial for Mrs. Antionette Tolla, who was convicted of murder from Bergen county, and who was recently reprieved, the Supreme Court Wednesday set down for the hearing of the application to be heard before that court next Monday.

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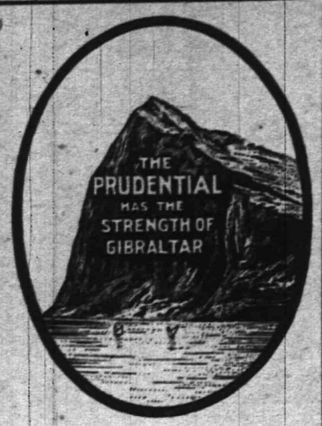

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Clarence Mundy, of West Front street, has been discharged from Muhlenberg, where she has been a patient for the past three weeks.

Rev. F. E. Whiteside returned home to East Norwich, L. I., yesterday, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hockridge, of West Seventh street.

Mrs. James Shelland, who came to Plainfield to attend the High School dedication, is spending a few days with local friends previous to returning home.

James Alexander, of East Front street, left the house yesterday for the first time in several weeks. He has been suffering from an acute rheumatic attack.

Letter Carrier William Demarest, of the borough, is detained from work by an injured wrist, caused by the snapping of a tendon while he was tying a bundle.

Mrs. Joseph Haurand and children, of Manning avenue, have gone to New York for a two weeks' visit previous to leaving for Virginia, where they will make their home. Mr. Haurand has been in Virginia for the past few months.

School Change Delayed.

Because of a delay in the shipment of desks it will be impossible for the High School students to take possession of the new building on Monday as was planned. Efforts are being made to have everything in readiness by Wednesday, but it is possible that another week will elapse before the change is made.

The F. C. degree will be worked by Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., at a regular communication Tuesday night, February 27.

—The Loyal Daughters, K. D., of Netherwood, will hold a luncheon at the Park Club Monday, February 26.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Otto Arens, of Rahway road, installed a Siche Gas Machine yesterday to light his residence, buildings and grounds. Mr. Arens used an acetylene machine for sometime, but discarded it after looking into the merits of the Siche system.

—Another rehearsal for "The Pirates of Penzance" was held at the Casino on Wednesday night. The final rehearsal will be held at the same place Monday night. The performance will be given at the New Plainfield theatre Tuesday night. Mr. Holmes is much pleased with the progress made and the large sale of tickets insures a great success, financially and otherwise.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The women of the Grove Street Rescue Mission will hold a box social Monday night.

Andrew J. Wilson will speak at the Grove Street Rescue Mission tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The vested choir of the First M. E. church will repeat "The Triumph of David" and "Gallia" at the evening service tomorrow.

Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons, pastor of Grace M. E. church, will lead the W. C. T. U. meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. There will be special music.

Pythian Knights Elect.

The New Jersey Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, closed a two-days' session at Trenton, Thursday, by the election and installation of the following officers: Grand Chancellor, Joseph Wilson, Jr., South Amboy; grand vice chancellor, William T. Hilliard, Salem; grand prelate, Abram L. Klenert, Paterson; grand keeper of records and seals, Elmer E. Margerum, Trenton; grand master of the exchequer, John Patrick, Rutherford. Among the local Pythians in attendance were Asa D. Pope, Horace J. Martin, Harry Werner, Jerry VanWinkle and George Dean.

Saloon Keepers Up In Arms.

Five hundred Hudson county liquor dealers attended a meeting held yesterday in Jersey City. A resolution was adopted denying that a "yellow dog" fund had been created to defeat the proposed amendments to the excise law. Patrick T. Connolly, president of the County Association of Liquor Dealers, presided. The speakers all condemned the clerical bill as unfair and bitterly denounced the clauses relating to an open view of saloon interiors at all times.

Will Meet Monday Night.

The Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital will meet Monday night to take action on the appointment of a resident physician at the hospital, also on the death of Paul Taylor Brown. Announcement that the meeting would be held last night was in error.

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Naylor is a well-to-do farmer, and says he will care for the little ones until the murder case is disposed of. The children, who are bright, will be sent to school.

Mrs. Huff, with her youngest child, still is in the Newark jail. It is not known when the case against Basanik will be called.

Proctor Theatre for Jersey City.

F. F. Proctor, the theatrical manager, has purchased a plot of ground at Hoboken and Summit avenues, Jersey City, and will erect a vaudeville theatre. The property was bought from George F. Gantz for $74,000. This will be the first theatre on the heights.

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Plainfield High School won the second annual interscholastic indoor athletic meet at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday afternoon, defeating the Westfield and Cranford High Schools. Leal's and North Plainfield High School were unable to go into the meet on account of a lack of team material.

There was a total of twenty-four entries. Welsh, of Westfield, won the individual championship, with a total of seventeen points. Murphy, Plainfield, his next nearest competitor, scored fifteen. Stuart Freeman, Plainfield, was third, with thirteen points.

In team totals Plainfield scored thirty-seven to twenty-eight for Westfield, and seven for Cranford. The winning school will receive a cup. Welsh, the individual champion, wins a medal.

The contests were lively. Enthusiastic supporters of the three schools filled the gallery, and school spirit tempered by sportsmanlike attitude in the gallery, as well as on the floor, crowded the struggle with all manner of interest.

The eight events on the programme went as follows:

Running high jump—Eight entries; S. Freeman, P. H. S.,; Davis, P. H. S.; Murphy, P. H. S., tied at 4 feet 11 inches; to be jumped off later.

Shot put—Eight entries; S. Fresn, P. H. S., 35 feet 6 inches; T. Cooper, C. H. S., 30 feet 10½ inches; F. Budell, W. H. S., 29 feet 3 inches.

Standing broad jump—Svent entries; C. Murphy, P. H. S., 28 feet 11 inches; H. Welsh, W. H. S., 28 feet 9½ inches; S. Freeman, P. H. S., 27 feet 7 inches.

Standing high jump—Eight entries; Freeman, P. H. S.; Welsh, W. H. S., tied at 4 feet 5½ inches, points divided; Murphy, P. H. S., 4 feet 3 inches.

Hop-step-and-jump—Nine entries; Welsh, W. H. S., 27 feet 5½ inches; Murphy, P. H. S., 26 feet 10 inches; H. Freeman, P. H. S., 25 feet 3½ inches.

Three-legged race—Three teams entered; Pearsall, Quigley, W. H. S.; Cooper, Wagstaff, C. H. S.; Gavett, Caldwell, P. H. S.

Standing broad jump—Eight entries; Welsh, W. H. S., 9 feet 9½ inches; Murphy, P. H. S., 9 feet 6½ inches; Davis, P. H. S., 9 feet 6 inches.

Potato race—Three teams entered; Ferris, Buckley, Welsh, Collins, W. H. S.; Davis, Gavett, S. Freeman, Whitney, P. H. S.; Cooper, Page, Abry, Wagstaff, C. H. S.

The officials of the meet were as follows: Referee, Kenneth Robbie; judges, Palmer McNett, L. R. Thurlow, Dr. N. H. Probasco; floor judge, Juan Bargoes; clerk of the course, Lindsey Best; starter, M. K. Heicker; scorer, F. K. Anderson; announcer, P. R. Collier.

Gift for Choirmaster.

Prior to the evening service at Trinity Reformed church, yesterday, the choir met in the parlors of the church edifice, where Horace J. Martin, on behalf of the singers presented Arthur L. Titsworth, organist and choirmaster, with a handsome clothes brush, with a solid silver back. The gift was in recognition of Mr. Titsworth's birthday anniversary which occurs today, and in reply he thanked all for the remembrance. Mr. Titsworth has been organist at Trinity Reformed church over twenty years and his continued faithful services are fully appreciated by the members of the church and congregation. Mr. Titsworth's name, and the date of his anniversary, "February 26, 1906," was engraved on the back of the brush.

Luncheon to Engineers.

As president of the Ingersoll-Rand Co., W. L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, gave a luncheon to the members of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, at the Phillipsburg shop of the company on Saturday. The engineers have been meeting at Bethlehem, Pa. Mr. Saunders delivered an interesting talk. Among the guests were four Plainfielders—Lucius I. Wightman, C. B. Morse, F. C. Iglehart and F. K. Armstrong.

Two Prisoners Sentenced.

In the Somerset County Court Saturday sentence was passed on two offenders. Alfred Fink, charged with attempting to break into the flouring mills at Neshanic Station, pleaded guilty and was sent to the State Reformatory at Rahway. William Tenzer, who was charged with assault, pleaded non vult. He was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail.

COMPANY K'S FAIR ENDS IN A CRUSH

ARMORY JAMMED TO THE DOORS WITH PLEASURE SEEKERS.

Company K will be in a good humor for its banquet tonight. Its seven-day fair closed in a blaze of success Saturday night, and the consciousness of a good thing well done, and a matter of $400 or so added to the company fund, will be with the members as they face the privations of the Truell Inn campaign.

Saturday's crowd surpassed even the Washington's Birthday crush. Counting the transients who drifted in and out all evening the attendance was very close to 1,000. From 9 o'clock until midnight the floor was packed with pleasure seekers. Dancing was more a matter of squeezing through the nearest available opening than anything else. But the crowd was good natured and had as much fun butting folks out of the way and being butted while busy butting as it would have gotten out of a two-step on a ballroom the size of Sahara.

George Lane, the favorite juvenile vocalist at Harlem River Casino concerts, sang two songs. He sang well and the crowd gave him so many hands that his heart yearned toward the town.

"This coit-nly is a boid uv a boig," ne said to Orchestra Leader Charley Suhr. "You gotta reel appreeciaytive push out here."

At the close of the evening the fair committee had only an approximate idea of the amount of money made by the bazaar. It was certain, however, at that time that the sum would reach $400 at the very least.

PARK COMEDY CLUB GIVES CLEVER PLAYLET

"MY LORD IN LIVERY" PLEASES A LARGE AUDIENCE.

One of the most successful amateur theatrical perrormances at the Park Club was given Saturday night by the Park Comedy Club, when S. Theyre Smith's clever comedy, "My Lord in Livery," was presented. The large audience was pleased with the finished production and each member of the cast was well received and given hearty applause. While each one acted well, special praise is due Miss Margaret McCutchen, who took the part of "Sybil Amberley," daughter of "Sir Charles Amberley:" Charles H. Lyman, as "Spiggott," the butler, and Miss Sarah Mae Howell, as "Rose."

Miss Howell, in giving a representation of a woman in hysterics, won great applause for her fine work, while C. E. Murray, as "Lord Thirlmere," carried out his part perfectly. Mrs. C. E. Murray as "Laura," who with "Rose," was a visitor at the home of "Sybil Amberley," was equally good with the rest of the cast. The plot of the one-act play is filled with amusing situations and misunderstandings and the whole performance showed great care in preparation. H. C. White, as manager for the club, coached the members of the cast, and to him is due much credit for the excellent results. A minuet dance by Miss McCutcheon and C. E. Murray was deserving of special mention. The costumes, especially those of the women, were very attractive and favorably commented upon. This was the cast:

"Lord Thirlmere," C. E. Murray; "Spiggott," a butler, Charles H. Lyman; "Hopkins," a footman, Harry McGee; "Robert," a page, Roy McCutchen; "Sybil Amberley," daughter of "Sir Charles Amberley," Miss Margaret McCutchen; "Laura" and "Rose," her friends, Mrs. C. E. Murray and Miss Sarah Mae Howell.

The club is now planning to give another play at the Park Club on April 19, and as soon as the selection is made it will be announced. This will probably take the place of the Easter dance. Following the play Saturday night a majority of those present remained for the dance which was continued until nearly 12 o'clock.

A Convenient Time Table.

The Plainfield Trust Company is presenting its patrons with a neat and useful device in the form of a New Jersey Central time table. It specifies the trains between Plainfield and New York both ways, noting the express trains which stop to let off passengers and which are not scheduled on the regular form issued by the company. The table has been corrected to date and will prove of great convenience to the traveling public.

Borough School Board Meeting.

The borough Board of Education will hold its regular meeting tonight. Several matters of importance are to be considered.

BIDS FOR COURT HOUSE

Somerset County Commission Ready To Let Contract For New Building.

PLANS ARE INSPECTED

Ground to be Broken Early in April —Court Will Be Held in Somerset Hall.

Thomas E. Gibson, Richard W. Hoagland and William J. Logan, the commission of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders having charge of the erection of the new Court House at Somerville, met in the offices of former Congressman Alvah A. Clark Saturday afternoon to inspect the final plans for the new structure. After going over the matter it was decided to advertise for bids within two weeks.

Ground for the new building will be broken early in April, by which time the contracts for the work will be awarded. While the construction of the new Court House is under way sessions of the court will be held in Somerset Hall, which has been leased for that purpose.

The new county jail is almost completed, and Sheriff Cooper's quarters will be fitted up in that building before the old Court House is torn down. Tracy & Swartout, of New York, architects for the new Court House, have completed such changes as were desired by the Board of Freeholders and others interested in the structure, and it is now believed that it will in every way meet the requirements of the court officials.

"PROF." BASKETBALL FOR PLAINFIELD MAYBE

M'TEAGUE HAS HIS EYE ON THIS CITY FOR SPORTING VENTURE.

Local sports may see semi-professional basketball played in Plainfield in the near future if the plans of John McTeague, sport-writer and basketball expert, go through. Mr. McTeague has entertained the idea for several years that basketball played on this basis will prove popular as well as a paying venture in this city. During the past season the sport has become popular in towns where it has been but recently introduced, and there seems no reason why it should not also prove popular in Plainfield.

Mr. McTeague will visit Plainfield this week for the purpose of trying to make arrangements to play the games in Reform Hall, which he considers is a most available place. If he is successful in his negotiations with Captain Smith, he will secure a team and start off this season.

Should Mr. McTeague locate here he will bring a strong combination with him. Owing to his connection with the sport in Newark in newspaper work he will be able to sign the crack players of that city. He will also book games with the strongest teams. Mr. McTeague is not a stranger to Plainfield, but became acquainted here when he officiated as a referee in the City Basketball Leauge three years ago, which was organized and fostered by Charles Burdette Morse.

If Mr. McTeague meets with success in his plans two games will be played every night, the preliminary contest to be between local teams.

Comic Opera for Charity.

"The Pirates of Penzance," the well-known comic opera, will be given at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night for the benefit of the Day Nursery. The opera will be under the direction of William Holmes, who has trained a chorus of 100 voices. An orchestra of sixteen pieces will assist in the production and Mr. Holmes will conduct. Those who are managing the affair are confident that liberal patronage will be accorded and a substantial sum realized for the Day Nursery.

A full dress rehearsal of the opera will be held at the Casino tonight. New scenery has been ordered, so that the opera may be staged correctly, showing the rocky coast of Cornwall, England, in the first act, and the ruin of General Stanley's historic castle in the second act. The libretto will be on sale during the performance.

District R. A. Meeting.

Under the auspices of the State committee on the state of the order, a Royal Arcanum district rally will be held at Y. M. C. A. auditorium tonight. Delegations from councils all about this section are expected. A. F. Howell, of Boston, will deliver the principal address. Mr. Howell is a professional entertainer as well as an enthusiastic Arcanumite, and will present a lively programme.

OAKLEY CASE DECISION

Supreme Court Declares $3,000 Verdict Against Gill Estate to be Excessive.

NEW TRIAL ORDERED

Application of Samuel W. Rushmore for Another Hearing in William Addis' Action is Denied.

On the ground that the verdict is excessive, the Supreme Court, in session, at Trenton, this morning set aside the award of $3,000 made by the Union County Court in the case of Mrs. Armitage T. Oakley against John P. Emmons, executor of the estate of Mrs. Ellen Gill. The decision was made on appeal from the defendant, and in rendering it a new trial was ordered.

Mrs. Oakley resides on West Fourth street, next door to the house occupied by the late Mrs. Gill. During the latter's illness previous to her death, she was alone the greater part of th etime with the exception of visits from Mrs. Oakley. This was done for a long time day and night, Mrs. Oakley receiving no compensation whatever.

She was not mentioned in Mrs. Gill's will, and when the estate was settled by Executor John P. Emmons she brought suit for services and for medicines and supplies furnished. The case was heard before a jury in the County Court and the $3,000 verdict was reached after long deliberation.

The Supreme Court this morning also denied the application of Samuel W. Rushmore for a new trial in the suit brought against him by William Addis, Jr. Rushmore's auto ran down Addis and he secured damages in an action brought in the County Court.

PET 'COON INFLICTS SOME UGLY WOUNDS

LITTLE ANIMAL SAVAGELY ATTACKS RICHARD C. MEEKER.

Richard C. Meeker, of West Front street, is suffering from severe injuries inflicted upon him by a raccoon which he captured recently and of which he had made a pet.

While leading the animal from its kennel a few days ago, Meeker accidentally stepped on its foot, and with a snarl it sprang upon his back. Before he had fully recovered from his surprise the 'coon grabbed his right hand and sank its teeth in the flesh to the bone. Meeker managed to fling it from him against the barn with full force, but the infuriated pet quickly returned and attacked him again. This time it caught its owner's left wrist and repeated the chewing operation, inflicting several bad wounds before it was shaken off.

Meeker managed to make his way to the house and the family physician, Dr. M. J. Whitford, of New Market, was summoned. He found the young man suffering great pain and very weak, but prompt treatment probably prevented blood poisoning. He has not yet fully recovered from the shock.

The 'coon took refuge beneath the barn after its tantrum, but was hauled out and shot by Roundsman Flynn. It weighed eighteen and a half pounds and was captured near New Market.

Wedding Anniversary.

The celebration of the first anniversary of their marriage by Mr. and Mrs. Ogden E. Meeker, of New Market, was a charming affair. It was largely attended, a number of Plainfielders being among those present. The house was prettily decorated. The bridal couple received the guests under a flowered arch in the parlor. Green and white, red and white, and red and green were the color schemes used in decorating the rooms. A feature of the affair was a homily by Rev. C. E. Herring, of this city, pastor of Mrs. Meeker, to the celebrants. Refreshments were served.

Well Known Educator Will Speak.

Miss Margaret Slatterly, of the State Normal School, Fitchburg, Mass., will address the Union County Sunday-school Association at a meeting to be held in the Seventh-Day Baptist church tomorrow night. Her subject will be "Teacher Training."

Stork Visits Roundsman's Home.

Roundsman and Mrs. John Flynn, of West Front street, are the parents of twin girls who came to their home yesterday. Mother and daughters are doing nicely.

—The best place in the city to get fresh vegetables is at Neuman Brothers'. They receive fresh consignments regularly each day. An especially large display to select from tomorrow.

CONDEMNS OUR POSTERS

Criticism By Divine at the First Presbyterian Church.

ASIDE IN A LECTURE

"Nothing Could Be Worse Than Your Billboards," Dr. Halsey Declares, As African Natives Appear on Screen.

Rev. Dr. A. Woodruff Halsey, secretary of the Home Department of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church, gave an illustrated lecture last night on African tribes at the First Presbyterian church. One of the pictures showed a group of natives in various stages of the national costume, which is mostly nothing.

"I hesitated about showing you this picture," said Dr. Halsey, "but after seeing some of your billboards I don't think anything could be worse."

The congregation tittered. Dr. Halsey said nothing more about the billboards, but the incident was commented on almost as much as the lecture itself.

Dr. Halsey's talk was on mission lines. He travelled extensively over the mission field on the west coast of the Dark Continent last year, and his impressions, still fresh, were very graphically imparted to his hearers.

The lecture was lavishly illustrated, and practically all the views were taken by Mrs. Halsey, who accompanied the Doctor over the whole journey. The lecture covered all the tribal types about the Kamerun and Gaboon, and the customs they practice.

Various villages were shown.

"It is remarkable how quickly one can tell from the appearance of a village whether or not it is under Christian influence," said Dr. Halsey. "The Gospel is a tremendous force for cleanliness, decency and thrift. Oh, don't you ever allow yourself to receive an impression of mission work from the globe-trotter and the other people who look at things from surface. Listen to the men who go into the subject and see and know just what the work is."

TOOK PRINCIPAL'S TROUSERS AND 30 CTS

DUNELLEN EDUCATOR NOT ENTIRELY SUCCESSFUL IN SCARING BURGLAR.

Lester Meseroll, supervising principal of the Dunellen schools, was awakened by a noise at his bedside, late Saturday night. He saw a man bending over his clothes on a chair.

"Get out of here," ejaculated Mr. Meseroll.

The man seized the principal's trousers and fled. Mr. Meseroll gave fruitless chase.

The trousers had thirty cents and the school keys in them. Mr. Meseroll was not put out by the loss of the thirty cents, but he would like his trousers and the keys back. The thief lost $30 by not taking the vest instead of the trousers.

It was learned after the Meseroll robbery was reported that thieves had entered F. H. Gise's house nearby. They were frightened off before securing any plunder.

The robberies are regarded as the first fruits of the regular spring epidemic of hobo visitations. The mild weather has started the "floater" exodus from New York and Philadelphia earlier than usual.

Theatre Rumor Killed.

Rumors that a New York theatrical man was negotiating for the purchase of the old Music Hall, to be used as a playhouse, were quashed by William M. Stillman this morning. Mr. Stillman said emphatically that nobody had even broached the subject of the hall's purchase. He announced in connection with the denial that the five-and-ten-cent store concern had just signed a five-year lease, to begin in April. The store takes up the Music Hall entrance. The Rowley drug store has a nine-year lease.

Young Girls Committed.

Four of the five young girls implicated in the assault cases for which four Plainfielders were sent to State prison last week, have been placed in the House of the Good Shepherd at Newark by Chief Kiely. They will be kept there until they attain their majority.

Will Roll Off Tie Tonight.

The Park Club bowlers will go to Cranford tonight to roll off the tie with the Cranford Casino team, in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament.

LIGHT USERS TO FORM ASSOCIATION TONIGHT

MOVEMENT STARTED BY R. H. DEPEW MEETING WITH SUPPORT.

R. Henry Depew, the prime mover in the plan to formally organize the Plainfield Protective Association, has issued a call for all citizens interested to meet in the lecture room of Grace parish house, Sixth and Sycamore streets, tonight at 8:15. It is proposed to elect officers, appoint committees and to transact any other business necessary in the project to secure concessions from the Public Service Corporation because of alleged unjust charges for light.

In a circular letter sent out over his signature Mr. Depew says: "An improvement has even now been shown in the treatment of its customers by the Public Service Corporation, and they have expressed to me their willingness to meet us and discuss the issues in a friendly way, and to endeavor to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion of our differences. This attitude is an excellent indication of the wisdom of our association, and we propose to meet them in the same spirit, but without once losing sight of what we propose to accomplish, namely, lower bills and better service for Plainfield."

The movement has met with a hearty response and about one hundred and ten light users have already agreed to become members. The meeting tonight will be open and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

HOME MISSION WORK SUBJECT OF LECTURE

MRS. BASS SPEAKS AT THE MONROE AVENUE M. E. CHURH.

Mrs. N. W. Bass, of Syracuse, national organizer for the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church, gave an interesting and instructive talk last evening at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church before the Women's Home Missionary Society. Her remarks were of a general character, but she mentioned political and patriotic reasons why home mission work should be carried forward.

Mrs. Bass referred to her recent visits to the home for immigrants in New York, Boston and Philadelphia, telling of the good work being done there. Her reference to the work being accomplished among the colored people and the poor whites of the South and among the Mormons was of particular interest. During the service special selections were rendered by a male quartette.

Among the speakers at the district meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society at Woodbridge today will be Mrs. Bass. She will also address the society of the First M. E. church on Wednesday night.

Pastor Too Ill to Preach.

Suffering intensely from a sudden attack of facial neuralgia, Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, was compelled to dismiss his congregation just as he was about to begin his discourse last night. He explained that the attack developed suddenly and was so painful that he could not go on with the service. He conducted the opening part of the services, the reading of the Scriptures, the Psalter, etc., when he made the announcement and dismissed the congregation with the benediction.

Co. K Banquet Tonight.

The annual banquet of Co. K, marking the fifth anniversary of the organization of the company, will be held at Truell Inn tonight. The occasion will also mark the termination of enlistment of nineteen men, they having served five years. It is expected that a majority of them will re-enlist for a year. Captain Martin will have something to say tonight about the history of the company and will also present service medals. There will also be interesting speeches by State militiamen.

Home Missionary Meetings.

There will be a meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church in Vincent chapel tomorrow afternoon, and on Wednesday night at the same place there will be a special meeting of the society. Mrs. N. W. Bass, national organizer of this society, will make an address and Mrs. S. H. Tugwell will sing.

Funeral of Paul Taylor Brown.

The funeral services of Paul Taylor Brown, who died at Nassau, Bahamas, on Tuesday, February 20, will be held from his late home, 802 Belvidere avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Carriages will be at the Netherwood station to meet the train leaving New York at 2 o'clock.

WORSHIP WAS PEACEFUL

Quiet at Calvary Church Yesterday With Deacons Regnant.

COUNCIL IS CALLED

Deacon Conway Says the "Schismatism Is To Be Eradicated by Separating Truth from Error and Law from Gospel."

Worship at the Calvary Baptist church, colored, was carried on yesterday without the presence of a policeman. Neither of the rival claimants to the pastorate were allowed to preach by the deacons, who arranged two special services of a character not calculated to stretch the congregational schism.

The board of deacons notified Revs. D. M. Bailey and P. T. Morris, the claimants, that neither one would be allowed to preach until the court had decided the question between them or some settlement was effected by the congregation. Mr. Bailey, whose supporters had Rev. P. T. Morris arrested in the pulpit last week, sent a Rev. Mr. Brown to represent him, but the deacons told Brother Brown that they would take care of the services themselves. Rev. Brown bowed to the will of the board, and withdrew.

In the morning Deacon Spencer Conway led a prayer and praise meeting. He begged the congregation to remain calm in the dispute and allow the spirit of Christianity and peace t otake possession of their hearts. In the evening a preacher from North Carolina, Rev. Mr. Shay, preached. He represented no faction, and the two parties in the congregation listened to him without panting for a warrant and the count of twenty-three.

"We must remain calm and prayerful until this schismatism is eradicated," said Deacon Conway this morning. Deacon Conway and his associates on the governing board of the church called Rev. Mr. Morris to the charge. "I am interested in keeping peace, because everything I got is involved in that church. When they was going to sell the church on a mortgage I mortgaged my house and put $1,000 in the church to keep it up. Deacon Mansfield Robinson and Miss Abbie Holmes put their money in, too. We was the ones that saved the church, and we is interested in keeping it in peace and quietude."

The deacon said the board had called Mr. Morris because the action of the congregation in calling Mr. Bailey was rendered illegal by ballot-box stuffing at the meeting. A large number of illegal votes were cast, he said, and the deacons only decided to abrogate the call when this was discovered.

The whole trouble may be settled Thursday afternoon. At that time a council of the church members, called by the deacons, will be held.

"We hopes to settle up this matter at that meeting," said Deacon Conway. "It is our aim to separate Truth from Error and Law from the Gospel."

On Wednesday night Rev. J. W. Mitchell, leader of the Bailey forces will be arraigned before Justice Hand on a warrant sworn outby Deacon Robinson, charging disorderly conduct.

REPUBLICAN EXCURSION.

Couny Committee Decides on Witzel's Grove Again.

The excursion committee of the County Republican Committeee, organized Saturday, by electing William Newcorn, of this city, chairman, and Edward Bauer, Elizabeth, secretary and treasurer. They are the same officers as last year.

It was decided to hold the outing at the same place, Witzel's Grove, College Point, Long Island, on Saturday, August 11. The Steamer Isabel, as well as the grove, were hired at once by telephone. The committee will meet again on March 13. Herbert Buxton, of this city, is a member, taking Andrew Mc Cardell's place. James White, of Elizabeth, and S. Rusling Ryno, of Rahway.

Local F. O. E.'s to Institute Aerie.

One hundred or more members of Plainfield Aerie, No. 866, F. O. E., will go to New Brunswick tomorrow night to institute an aerie at that place. Great preparations have been made for the event and the programme includes a big parade about the principal streets before the goat is ridden. John Harkins, a member of Plainfield Aerie, is at the head of the organizers and there are 100 prominent New Brunswickers on the charter list. The Plainfield contingent will leave the Watchung avenue terminus by special trolley at 6:30 and will be accompanied by the Independent Fife and Drum Corps.

J. Wesley Hegeman, of Sycamore avenue, left last night for Pittsburg and Chicago.

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MR. GILBERT'S ADVICE

Former Mayor Addresses Bank Clerks on Things Worth Considering.

ON EVILS OF THE DAY

People Too Easily Reconciled to Exhibitions of Moral Turpitude in High Places, Says He.

Before the members of the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Bank Clerks at their fifth annual banquet at the Hotel Astor, former Mayor Alexander Gilbert, president of the Market and Fulton Bank, of New York, delivered an address which is well worth reproduction. He referred to the things worth considering today and gave some sagely advice to the men gathered about him on the occasion.

Mr. Gilbert said in part:

"The year of 1905 was a remarkable one in the way of furnishing things worth talking about. It focused its searchlight on great corporations, and brought forth revelations that the civilized world, with all its shortcomings, was unprepared for. The uncovering of grave irregularities in our large life insurance corporations, might easily have precipitated a panic, had not the country been in the midst of unparalleled prosperity. That it was possible to find in high places, among our most prominent business men, so much that was irregular, so much that was contrary to the principles of business honor and rectitude, so much that was absolutely wrong and dishonest, is sufficient to justify the desire that exists for still further investigation.

"The worst feature of our modern business and social life today is that we are too easily reconciled to exhibitions of moral turpitude in high places. We fail to take a very serious view of them. At the worst, we seldom regard them as anything worse than irregularities carried on under the guise of regularity. They are crimes, and their worst effect is not upon the institutions that suffer loss; but upon the character of young men of the country who are holding positions of trust.

"I am not here to throw stones at men who are already standing in the pillory of public opinion, but to emphasize in your mind the idea that character and business probity are still things of priceless value, and more than anything else in life worth striving for. The wonder is that men in high places who already possess more money than they can legitimately use, are willing to sacrifice character, position and every noble impulse and high ideal to get more.

"We are too much influenced by the stock ticker in these modern days. While it is a most useful invention, the knowledge it disseminates is about as unsettling an influence in our business life as any other that exists. Wherever you find a ticker, there you will find a group of men of all ages gathered about eagerly scanning its quotations feverishly debating in their own minds whether to take a chance or not. To those who can afford to lose, the danger lies only in the cultivation of the gambling habit; to those who cannot, must be added also the danger of loss, not only of money, but in too many cases of character, position and happiness.

"I am not going to try to cure an incurable evil, but I wish it were in my power to correct practices which have grown up in the exchange, by which professionals have it in their power to rig the market and create fictitious values, and at the psychological moment unload on the public. While the stock exchange is a very useful part of our business system, this one paramount purpose 'to unload on the public' makes it a standing menace to our money market and our credit system. Values are worked up to dizzy heights for the sole purpose of being smashed at the proper time. These are the processes by which panics are created.

"Do not permit the flare and glare of wealth or of big institutions or the continuous buzz of the stock ticker to unsettle the old-fashioned notions of honesty and fair dealings that were implanted in your minds in the days of childhood. Be assured that character and reputation still have a higher value than money, and that no man can use trust funds for his own benefit and be honest. Neither can an officer or director of any institution participate in profits which arise from the use of its funds and be worthy the confidence of his fellow men.

"We hear a good deal of talk about the need of more money and an emergency currency, but it is my opinion that we can get along very well without either. I will not say that our currency could not be improved, but what we need more than anything else is to get back to the old-fashioned idea of conversatism in the banking world, and to find some way to check the speculative spirit which is so largely taking possession of our people."

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Comstock, of Flushing, L. I., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Hervey Doane, of East Seventh street. Mrs. Comstock is a well-known writer of books.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

Another real step in the direction of a new schoolhouse at New Market will be taken by the township Board of Education this afternoon. Under instructions voted at the last session, the special building committee will report on plans and specifications for the structure at a special meeting. The committee is made up of Arthur Tappan, A. E. Curtis and J. D. Ten Eyck.

The public school meeting, arranged by the Board of Education, will be held at the borough hall tonight. County Superintendent Willis will explain the compulsory education law, and make it plain that the board could not have acted otherwise than it did in the matter of high school courses. President Frederick will preside at the meeting.

Every night this week, excepting Saturday, there will be a special evangelical meeting at the Presbyterian church. The topics for the meetings are as follows: Tonight, "Why Spend Money?" tomorrow, "Why Die?" Wednesday, "Why Not Believe?" Thursday, "Why Tarry?" Friday's meeting will be preparatory to communion.

New Market is again without a barber. Peter De Vellum, the young man who took the place after John Peters gave it up, quit last week. He said New Market was too far from New York for him. Proprietor Thornton is looking for some earnest young man with bucolic tastes and no ambition.

Bartley Kelly's recovery from the almost-fatal injuries he sustained in a bridge accident several weeks ago in Newark is assured. He is growing stronger steadily, and may be able to leave St. James Hospital, Newark, where he is under treatment, before the end of next month.

The Edgerton Park Company is having their property resurveyed, and the map changed. Those who have purchased lots are wondering if the resurvey will or can affect their holdings.

Miss Anna Todd has become a member of the Daughters of the Revolution. She traces her ancestry back to Revolutionary soldiers on both sides of her house.

A. B. Ryno, who was injured in a shop accident recently, was brought home from the hospital Saturday. He is rapidly recovering from the effects of his hurts.

Garretson & Gray have secured a large contract for concrete work material on a Woodbridge job. Deliveries will be made at once.

Rev. S. K. Doolittle preached at the Baptist church yesterday morning. Rev. Frank Fletcher occupied Mr. Doolittle's pulpit.

Friendship Circle will hold its meeting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Runyon.

The average thickness of George Schenck's ice crop is about six inches. He is satisfied, at that.

Miss Ella Grieb, of North avenue, spent Saturday visiting friends out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Day are happy over the arrival of a young son.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Several nights ago some one stole the slot gum machine from in front of John Miller's candy store near the trolley. The machine, minus its contents, was found on Front street the following morning. The thieves' haul netted a supply of chewing gum and about $2 in cash.

The storm yesterday reduced the usual large number of Sunday visitors to a few old familiar faces who always make several trips to town on Sunday no matter what the weather is.

Miss Anna Bruchmann, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bruchmann, has returned to her home in Newark.

The attendance at the fair of Co. K Saturday night was swelled by a number of the friends of the soldier boys from here.

Lillian Blauvelt in "The Rose of the Alhambra" is Manager Counihan's attraction at the New Plainfield theatre tonight.

The members of the Epworth League held its weekly meeting last night in the class rooms of the church.

Rev. Mr. Hoffman occupied his pulpit yesterday at the Methodist church after an absence of two weeks.

Miss Susie Parse returned yesterday from a stay of several days with friends in Brooklyn.

The members of the B. Y. P. U. met last night in the parlors of the church.

School reopened this morning after a vacation of four days.

Miss Addie Weaver, of Brooklyn, is visiting her father and sister in this city.

Mrs. Theodore Mantz, of Richmond street, has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. A. C. McCrea and son, Charles, of Central avenue, are visiting relatives at Carlisle, Pa.

Thomas Casey, a former well known Plainfielder, now engaged in theatrical advance work, has been in town the past few days renewing old acquaintances.

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The new romantic comic opera by Charles Emerson Cook and Lucius Hosmer, entitled "The Rose of the Alhambra," will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre tonight. Miss Lillian Blauvelt, the greatest of all American born singers, has abandoned the grand opera and concert stage and entered the field of romantic opera. After more than ten weeks' trial in the largest cities of the country, the experiment has proven a great success. Lillian Blauvelt's name is a household word in every home where the knowledge of music and of great singers is cultivated. Both in this country and in Europe Miss Blauvelt has achieved fame as a singer of the very first class, and the author and composer of "The Rose of the Alhambra" had to be sure that they were building a proper vehicle for the great artiste; now that the organization has been in existence for nearly two months, playing to uniformly big business, they are confident that no mistake has been made and also that our local operagoers will substantiate this verdict.

An attraction which will please everyone is booked to appear at the New Plainfield theatre next Thursday night. This is the ever popular "Mr. Dooley," with an entirely new outfit of scenery, costumes, jokes and music. This successful musical extravaganza has been brought right up to date and it is undoubtedly one of the most pleasing, striking and clever musical reviews now before the public.

The day of the blood-curdling and monstrously immoral melodrama is rapidly becoming a thing of the past. The average patron of the drama will not be fooled more than once and the over-running of the stage with cheap, trashy and illiterate material has worked a wondrous change for the better. Among the good things in the dramatic line which will purify the atmosphere of theatrical putrification is the forthcoming production of "A Crown of Thorns," which will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night. It is truly a story of the heart and as pure as unalloyed gold. It appeals to the more intelligent class of theatregoers and lovers of refined high grade comedy drama, rather than those attracted by vulgar and offensive titles and immorally suggestive pictures of lurid sensationalism.

CHEAPER LIGHT OFFERED.

Proposition to Illuminate Streets of Harrison at $85 Per Lamp.

Councilman Van Deren presented a proposition at the meeting of the Harrison Town Council last week from A. B. Carlton, second vice president of the Public Service Corporation, offering to light the streets of the town for a period of five years for the sum of $85 per light per year, each light to be of 2,000 candlepower. This is a reduction of $15 a light from the contract which expired December 1, 1905. If the new contract is entered into it will date from January 1 of this year.

Mr. Van Deren, in presenting the offer, read a list of cities and towns, with the amounts they paid for 2,000 candlepower lights. Bayonne, Guttenberg, Hoboken, North Bergen, East Newark, West Hoboken and West New York, it was stated, all paid $100 a light. Elizabeth paid $92.50, according to Mr. Van Deren, Jersey City $97.50, this city, $95, Orange $85, Passaic $85, Camden $109.50 and Trenton $92.75. Under the new offer, Mr. Van Deren thought, the town would save between $6,000 and $7,000 during the term of the contract.

OFFICIALS INDICTED?

Asserted Bills Were Found Against Boulevard Commissioners.

The Grand Jury continued Friday at the Court House in Jersey City its investigation into the management of the Hudson county Boulevard and the municipal departments of Bayonne.

Indictments, it was said last night, had been found against the present and former Boulevard commissioners. They are charged with extravagance and neglect.

As a result of the Bayonne inquiry an indictment was voted against former Mayor Brady. The Grand Jury learned that while he was in office he sold coal to the city through an agent. Mr. Brady is engaged in the coal business. Other Bayonne officials, it is understood, have been indicted.

AUTO WAS OVERTURNED.

Woman Had Her Nose Broken and Was Otherwise Badly Injured.

Mrs. H. Jacobs, of Glen Ridge, had her nose broken and was otherwise badly injured Thursday night in an automobile accident at Draper terrace and Orange road, Montclair. The machine was driven by John W. Stewart, and he was accompanied by Mrs. Stewart, who is a niece of former Gov. Levi P. Morton and Mrs. Jacobs.

Mr. Stewart made the turn too short, it is said, and the auto upset. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart escaped with a few bruises.

Mrs. Jacobs was hurled on her face in the hard roadway. She was carried into a house nearby, where her injuries were dressed by a physician, and she was then taken home. The automobile was wrecked.

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Clergy in Session in Newark Indorse Pending Senate Bills.

More than two hundred clergymen, half of whom were Roman Catholic priests, gathered in Newark Saturday to discuss matters pending in the Legislature pertaining to the regulation of the liquor traffic and the establishment of license fees.

Resolutions were adopted and plans made whereby the subject under consideration by the clergymen will be kept before the public mind until some action is taken. Bishop O'Connor called the meeting to order, and the Rev. Charles J. Kelly, of St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Hoboken, was chosen as chairman.

The Rev. John A. Ryan, of St. Bridget's church, Jersey City, was secretary. Father Kelly explained that the object of the conference was the futherance of two bills now pending in Trenton with reference to the saloon question.

Bishop O'Connor then laid before the conferrees the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That in the name of religion and country, in the name of morality and law, we request the executive and legislative bodies now in session in Trenton to grant us the enactment of a law for the conducting of the liquor business, as any other traffic, in an open manner by removing all screens. In furtherance of this we therefore ask for the enactment into laws of Senate bills Nos. 136 and 137.

"Resolved, That the pastors of the churches of all denominations in the State, on Sunday, March 4, fully explain to their congregations the nature of bills Nos. 136 and 137, now before the Senate at Trenton.

"Resolved, That the pastors request all voters of their respective parishes to communicate by letter or telegram with their representatives, urging them to vote for these bills.

"Resolved, That a copy of the bills be sent to every pastor in the State.

"Resolved, That a standing committee of not less than fifteen, representing every denomination in the State, be appointed by the chair to keep this matter before the public, should the present Legislature fail to pass these bills.

THROUGH TEARING DOWN, SAYS COLBY.

He Wants Young Men Now to Help Him Build Up the State Structure.

Senator Everett Colby told the men of the St. Cloud Presbyterian Club, West Orange, Tuesday, that his organization had finished tearing things down in New Jersey and had hit the lower portion of the State structure where the walls were plumb. He asked support in rebuilding and urged both Republicans and Democrats to get to work in their organization.

He did not favor men standing as "Independents" and said they do not accomplish successful results. He stated there was only one lawyer who could be had to go to Trenton to advocate measures for the people, Sheriff Frank H. Sommer.

The Public Service Corporation, said Mr. Colby, controls the earning power and practically the living of one person out of every thirty-five in the State. Although the New York insurance investigation had showed that the removal of the lobbyists from Legislatures was necessary, his bill to oust the Trenton lobby had been in committee for weeks and the members admitted they had not even read it. He declared the Prudential Insurance Company, with its control of $10,000,000 of surplus, put the money with the Fidelity Trust Company, which it controlled.

Mr. Colby concluded by asking for young men who could stand and profit by criticism and not get mad to help him in fighting for absolute civil liberty.

WILL SOON OPEN UP READING SHORT CUT.

Railroad Between Wayne Junction and Neshaming Falls to Be Completed Soon.

The Reading's New York short line railroad will be ready for traffic in April. The Reading freight trains bound to and from New York and points along the division will then be run over the new line. After the roadway has had time to settle and traffic is running smoothly in May, it is the purpose of the company to also operate passenger trains.

Designed to reduce grades and distance between Wayne Junction and Neshaminy Falls and intended primarily as a freight line, it will prove of material benefit to the Reading. Not only will it reduce the distance between Newtown Junction and Neshaminy Falls over two miles, but the saving of grade between it and the present Bethlehem branch will be great.

Arraigned for Firing Brother.

Alexander Legler, who is charged with having poured benzine on the bed of his brother, Carl, set fire to it and fatally burned the occupant, was arraigned before Judge Higgins, in Jersey City, Friday, for murder, and held to await the action of the grand jury. It is alleged that the accused man placed $3,000 insurance on his brother and that this was the motive for the crime.

Andrew Wilson, of the borough, has recovered from a recent severe illness.

RAILROADS FLAYED BY LYMAN ABBOTT

MUST SERVE THE PUBLIC, HE SAYS OR PEOPLE WILL FIND RUT REASON.

In Lafayette Hall, Morristown, on the historic grounds of Washington's Headquarters, members of the Washington Association of New Jersey, many of whom are identified with large financial affair, listened attentively on Washington's Birthday to an address by Dr. Lyman Abbott, who assailed in strong terms principles upon which corporations and various industries are doing business today. Although his message poured red hot on men and corporations who are concentrating and lending money, the association at the close of his address, rose to a man and cheered him until Lafayette Hall echoed.

"We have a duty to society," said Dr. Abbott, "which must be performed. We are face to face with the principle enumerated by Abraham Lincoln, a government of the people and for the people. That means democracy, and industrial and religious democracy we must have. The time has gone by when men believe in the doctrine of election. We are not here to select a few persons and tell them they are picked from a bad crowd and will be wafted to heaven. We want a religion of the people and for the people. The same way we must have an industrial condition which is of the people and for the people.

"We are experiencing a civic awakening in many of our States. We are finding that wealth is being concentrated rather than distributed. Railroads, we learn, are being managed so the directors may obtain big profits. Yet the railroad, as the shipper is told, is a public highway, although to the director it is private property.

"I want to say to you that unless the railroads serve the public in such a way as to be of advantage to the public the public is going to find out the reason why. When a railroad corporation tends not to the distribution of wealth but to concentration, it ceases to be of public benefit."

The Washington Association is one of the strongest historical societies in the country. Jonathan W. Roberts has been its president for twenty years. In appreciation of his labors resolutions were passed. Although present he asked County Judge Mills to preside.

TRUSTEES OF FIELD'S ESTATE.

Doubtless the one reason why Marshall Field's death caused not the least anxiety in financial or security circles was the fact that his great fortune was admirably managed to the very last and that it is to be guarded and kept intact by the Merchants' Loan & Trust Company and the Illinois Trust & Savings Bank of Chicago, which have been appointed the principal executors of the estate under the will. The late Mr. Field owned a large proportion of the stock of the Merchants' Loan & Trust Company and was intimately associated in its management. The Merchants' Loan & Trust Company, in conjunction with Chauncey Keep, an intimate friend of the deceased and vice-president of the Illinois Trust & Savings Bank, and Arthur B. Jones, the private secretary of the great merchant, are made the executors jointly. The United States Trust Company of New York City, of which ex-Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage, is president, who was formerly of Chicago, is made trustee for a fund of $3,000,000. The Northern Trust Company is likewise included among the trustees. The fact that Mr. Field places the bulk of his fortune in the care of trust companies as trustees implies his deep faith in the province and advantages of the modern trust company as trustee, administrator and guardian. The fact that able officials of trust companies will safeguard the investment holdings and the properties embraced in the residuary estate is an assurance which explains the absence of all anxiety or market fluctuations. This example should lead other capitalists and men of great wealth in this country who still adhere to the exploded idea of individual trusteeship to prepare their wills in such manner that trust companies will continue to guard their welath and investments after their death. It will prevent breaks in the market, depreciation of values and general unsettlement.—Trust Companies.

Cost Him $60 to Marry.

New Brunswick, Feb. 26.—John H. Dayton, of Perth Amboy, paid a penalty of $60 to forsake bachelorhood. Five years ago he made an agreement with three friends that, if any of them married, he was to give each of the remaining three in the compact $20. Last Wednesday night Mr. Dayton married Miss Amy B. McEwen, of Woodbridge, and promptly sent his check for $20 to each of the three bachelors. They doubled the checks and sent the bride a handsome dining room set as a wedding present.

Find Body of Unknown Man.

Orange, Feb. 26.—The body of an unidentified man, supposed to be one of the miners at the New Jersey Zinc Company's works, in Franklin Furnace, Sussex county, was found in Franklin Pond by some workmen Thursday night. This makes the third case of drowning in Franklin Furnace within a month.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 26, 1906.

Money will buy for a man more consideration in England than in any other place on earth, says the New Brunswick Times, in discussing the case of William Waldorf Astor. Well, if the "Almighty Dollar" can buy any more over there than it does here, W. W. A. ought to come pretty near running the country.

Former Mayor Alexander Gilbert spoke right to the point when he declared before an assemblage in New York the other day: "The worst feature of our modern social and business life today is that we are too easily reconciled to exhibitions of moral turpitude in high places." That was but one of many truisms to be found in the speech as reproduced in another column of this issue.

Atlantic Highland's Board of Trade is no "half dead and alive" combination, but a progressive body bent on carrying out the real objects of such an organization. At least that is the construction to be taken from the way it is going about its work. One of the best ideas that has been adopted by the board is a plan to advertise the town for all it is worth. Space is to be taken in all the New York papers, and other sensible methods are to be used in making Atlantic Highlands known as a particularly desirable place of residence.

HIGH LICENSE INDORSED BY CATHOLIC CLERGY.

The Bishops' Bills Subject of Consideration at Trenton Yesterday.

Trenton, Feb. 26.—At a conference of prominent Catholic clergy and lay delegates from all parts of the State here yesterday resolutions were adopted by the laymen indorsing the high license liquor bills now pending before the New Jersey Legislature. The measures are known as the Bishops' bills, having been introduced as the result of several conferences between leading clergymen of the Protestant and Catholic churches in the State. They are not to be confounded with the local option movement, which is also creating wide discussion among churchmen and others.

The resolution follows:

Whereas, For a number of years the laws regulating the liquor traffic have been inoperative because of the failure of local authorities to uphold and insist upon the observance of the same, and

Whereas, Debauchery of young men and young women has followed as a consequence of this neglect, and, whereas the Catholic and Protestant clergy have united throughout the State to correct these abuses, and bring about better moral and social conditions, be it

Resolved, That we as laymen representing the Catholic body of the entire State of New Jersey, indorse the resolutions already framed by the clergy and all legislation for the reasonable regulation of the liquor traffic.

Thomas P. Fay, of Long Branch, presided at yesterday's conference. Others present included Bishop McFaul, of Trenton; Monsignor Shephard and the Rev. J. J. Sullivan, of Jersey City; Dean Patrick Cody and the Rev. Isaac P. Whelan, of Newark; Charles J. Kelly, of Hoboken. In many of the Protestant churches yesterday a rising vote of the congregation was taken on the local option bill. The result was an almost unanimous indorsement of the measure.

J. W. Newlin Dead.

Millville, Feb. 26.—Ex-Postmaster John W. Newlin, one of the oldest newspaper men in South Jersey and a lifelong friend of Governor Stokes, who was graduated from the Millville public schools while Superintendent Newlin was in office, died yesterday. He leaves a widow and five children.

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BUILDING TO OVERLOOK FAMOUS BATTLE SCENE

JERSEY COMMISSION GETS CREAM OF SITES FOR LOCATION OF BUILDING.

Governor Stokes and the members of the New Jersey commission to the Jamestown Exposition have returned from Norfolk after having selected the site for the New Jersey building and made a general inspection of the grounds of the projected exposition. The fair will take place next year and will mark the terminal of the settlement of Jamestown.

The commission unanimously selected Colonel Lewis T. Bryant, of Atlantic City, the chief of the department of factory and workshops, as secretary and executive officer of the commission. Colonel Bryant held a similar position with the St. Louis Exposition commission, and was very successful. His salary will probably be $2,500 a year, and the work will extend over a greater part of two years.

A special committee, consisting of Clarence E. Breckenridge, Wallace M. Scudder, Harry W. Leeds and E. L. Stevenson, was named to prepare for the Legislature a statement showing just what kind of exhibits ought to be made by New Jersey, and the probable cost of each. It is enticipated that about $35,000 will be asked for, in addition to the $25,000 already appropriated by the State.

All the members of the commission are enthusiastic over the sit given to New Jersey for its State building. The site is fronted by a park, with great lawns, extending to the water's edge, and almost immediately facing the spot where the battle between the "Monitor" and "Merrimas" was fought.

THE FORUM.

A "Seat Trust."

Editor The Daily Press:

Please allow me a few lines of your valuable space to register my emphatic disapproval over the hoggish methods employed by the card sharks who commute between here and New York daily, in trying to monopolize the seats in the smokers, particularly on the express trains.

I agree, without argument, that this is the age of trusts, and hundreds of local commuters also agree with me that the Jersey Central officials should take steps to bust up this "seat trust" or monopoly.

I pay $7.60 per month out of my hard-earned salary for riding back and forth. I am supposed to have a seat, but very often I am compelled to stand because of the "reserve clause" which these nervy card players insist on enforcing.

For the benefit of persons who do not commute, I beg to explain that these card players make a grand rush for the seats. Invariably one of them turns over another seat and obstructs things by sprawling his legs across from one seat to another, as much as to say "This seat is mine." Here he sits in his pompous majesty holding the seat for his friends who play in the set. The passengers who reach the car first are compelled to stand and just look.

This state of affairs should be remedied at once, and I trust our fellow townsmen, Messrs. Burt and Besler, will see the injustice and will decide to better matters by enforcing rules against such practices in the future.

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All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1st, and all persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk before February 22nd.

After March 1st no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY,
Chief of Police.

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We are showing a large assortment of stylish gray Suitings now so popular. They come in novelty checks, invisible plaids and plain mixtures. Prices—50c to 1.50 yard.

White Mohairs, White Serges, White Henriettas, White Batistes, White Lansdowne, White Bedford Cords, etc., etc.

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At 50c per yard—18-inch Silk Poplins in a large assortment of beautiful colors. These are remarkably effective low priced Silks and are rapid sellers.

At 50c per yard—19-inch Peau-de-cyne Silks in most exquisite shades. These are the daintiest of all Silks and at this price are astonishingly cheap. Colors perfect.

BLACK GOODS.

Black Goods that are reliable. A grand assortment and fairly priced. Brilliantines, Mohairs, Henriettas, Fancy Weaves, Broadcloths, Serges, Cheviots, etc., in all widths and prices. This is a line we are proud of. It makes us plenty of friends and brings us lots of business.

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Ladies are particular in regard to linings. SO ARE WE. We insist upon the best in each grade. We are constantly elevating the standard. We feel quite sure that no concern shows a better assortment than we. The line includes "Midnight" Fast Black, Percalines, "Heatherbloom Taffetas," "Amisilks," "Honeymoon Silks," "Spun Class" "Marvel Silks," and "Silk Finished Percalines."

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19-inch Black Taffeta (good)	59c
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24-inch Black Taffeta (very soft)	79c
27-inch Black Taffeta (very fine)	89c
26-inch Black Taffeta (heavy)	1.00
26-inch Chiffon Taffeta	1.25
36-inch Black Taffeta	1.00 and 1.25
22-inch Extra Good Peau-de-soie	1.00 and 1.25
27-inch Japanese Silks, black and colors	50c
36-inch Habutai in black and white.	

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Solid Copper, Nickel Plated.

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No. 7 size, reg. price 98c, sale	79c
No. 8 size, reg. price 1.10, sale	89c
No. 9 size, reg. price 1.25, sale	99c

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	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
2 gallon Oil Cans	35c	25c
5 gallon Oil Cans	59c	43c
10 qt. Heavy Pails	20c	13c
12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

ASH CANS, WITH COVERS.

Regular price 1.48, sale 98c

SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

NICKEL ALARM CLOCKS.

Regular price 89c, sale 69c

MRS. POTTS' IRONS.

Regular price 98c, sale 69c

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Square Shape.

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Medium size	59c	49c
Large size	78c	59c
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The 2.00 kind for	1.69
The 1.25 kind for	98c

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Regular 50c Baskets for	29c
Regular 75c Baskets for	39c
Regular 98c Baskets for	49c

GRAY ENAMELED WARE.

	Reg.	Sale
Twin Match Safes	10c	6c
Handy Tea Strainers	10c	6c
Wash Basins	35c	15c
Dish Pans	59c	29c
Stew Kettles	35c	19c
Sauce Pans	35c	19c

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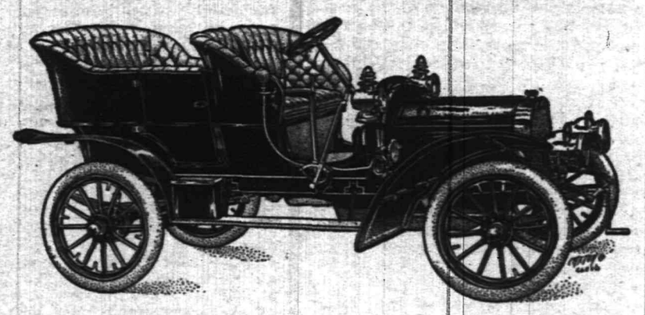

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DIME SAVINGS INSTITUTION

SENATE WILL ACT ON EQUAL TAXATION

BILL NOT TO GO BACK TO HOUSE FOR ADDING SUPPLEMENTARY DATE.

It is likely that the Senate of New Jersey will tonight pass the Perkins house equal tax bill, and on Tuesday pass it on second reading, and then, on suspension of the rules, pass it on third reading, when Governor Stokes will have time to sign it before midnight Wednesday and equal taxation become a fact, and the pledges to the people of New Jersey, made in the last gubernatorial campaign, be fully kept.

There was some talk about calling the bill back to the house and inserting a clause that the railroads have this year until May 1 to file with the State Board of Assessors their reports on franchise value, amount of stock value, value of all property, and the other things they now have to do by March 1. It was contended that the roads would not have time to do all this by March 1, but they do it now under the present law, and there seems now no necessity for taking the bill back to the house for correction. If the Senate passes it before March 1 and Governor Stokes sign it, everything will go along smoothly and everybody will be happy.

Another reason given by the State leaders why there should now be haste is that the subject has been studied by every senator and everybody is familiar with all the provisions of the Perkine bill, as well as the general subject of railroad taxation.

For the Senate to quickly concur in the action of the House of Assembly would be a token to the people that the members of the Upper House were in the greatest sympathy with equal taxation.

It is pointed out that a little haste in this matter will show that the senators keep up with public sentiment and are versed in the affairs of the State as they happen.

PRISONER WAS HIS WIFE: TRACED BY A CLIPPING.

Man Who Called on Elizabeth Police Also Says He Will Seek a Divorce.

A man called at police headquarters at Elizabeth Friday and showed Desk Sergeant Keiper a clipping from a newspaper which told of the arrest on February 19 of a woman who gave her name as Lizzie Doyle, twenty-six years old and her residence as East Orange. She, in company with two young men, was discovered at 2:30 o'clock that morning in the city armory, which is located in the City Hall, directly over police headquarters. The trio, the police say, were intoxicated, and doing a cakewalk. The woman and one of the men were committed to the county jail for thirty days in default of each paying a fine of $10 and costs. The other man paid the fine and was discharged.

Sergeant Keiper was asked by the man who called on him for a description of the woman, which was promptly given. "That's she sure enough," remarked the man. "That woman is my wife, and has been away from home for some time. I shall now institute proceedings for a divorce."

The visitor then walked out of the police station. At the county jail a reporter was informed that on February 20, the day after the woman was committed, a man called at the jail and paid her fine and costs, $14.25. The couple then left the institution together.

Held on Charge of Bigamy.

Henry Masson, thirty-six years old, who lives at 445 Spring street, Elizabeth, was arrested early yesterday morning on a charge of bigamy. Mrs. Annie Masson, of Newark, is the complainant. She alleges she is the man's first wife, and that on October 19, 1905, Masson married Miss Dorothy Apgar Dow, at Hackettstown. The warrant was issued in Hackettstown and Masson will be taken there for trial.

J. Hanson Michener, Jr., of Philadelphia, was the guest of Mrs. J. P. Truitt, of "Tunlaw," over Sunday.

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CRANFORD FOUNDER DIES AFTER A LONG ILLNESS.

Alden Bradford Bigelow Expires in His Eightieth Year—Had Interesting Career.

Cranford, Feb. 26.—Alden Bradford Bigelow, seventy-nine years old, died Friday night at his residence, 111 Union avenue, after an illness of eight years. Mr. Bigelow, the founder of Cranford, was born in Marlborough, Mass., February 10, 1827. When quite young he went to New York city, embarked in the dry goods business, and, after serving an apprenticeship, entered the firm, which became Eastman, Bigelow & Dayton, silk importers, on Canal street.

In 1863 Mr. Bigelow came to what was then known as Craneville and purchased thirty-seven acres of land from Josiah Crane, consisting of an apple orchard lying between Union avenue and the Rahway River, and erected the first house, which was his residence up to the time of his death. Streets were laid out, and in succeeding years thirty houses were built on the tract.

In 1865 there were but twelve commuters. When Cranford Township was formed Mr. Bigelow was its first freeholder, and also was a member of the Board of Education and its district clerk. He built a cottage on North avenue that served as the first schoolhouse and for a town hall. The Cranford Library was organized in this building, and Mr. Bigelow was one of the organizers.

In 1870 he obtained a charter for a water company, under the title of the Union Water Company, to supply water to the residents of the township. After several years of litigation the company and its rights passed into the hands of the present Union Water Company. He also organized the Cranford Gas Light Company, afterward absorbed by the Elizabethtown Gas Company. He was one of the builders of the Second Presbyterian church edifice and served as its organist for a number of years.

Mr. Bigelow was the prime mover in securing a sewer system, streets, lights, fire department and police, and was a persistent advocate of public improvements which developed the town. He leaves a widow, one son and three daughters. The funeral services were held last night at his residence, Rev. George F. Greene officiating.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Excluding the orchestra and ushers, it requires the services of fifteen men to conduct Manager Counihan's end of a performance at the New Plainfield. The orchestra and ushers make up another fifteen.

Mme. Blauvelt, who comes to this city tonight in "The Rose of the Alhambra," is a native of America. She was born in Brooklyn and has a beautiful summer home on Long Island. In addition to being a cultured singer she is also an instrumentalist, having mastered the violin when but a young girl.

Thomas Casey, a former Plainfield boy who resided on West Second street, is making his first visit to town in three years, during which he has been engaged in theatrical work. At the present time he is advance representative for a well known production. He is accompanied by his wife, who was a Philadelphia girl.

Following a performance at Boston Saturday night, Richard Mansfield authorized the statement that he has formulated plans for retiring from the stage. It is his intention to play three more seasons, ending his theatrical career in the spring of 1909. Mansfield is a comparatively young man, being less than fifty years old.

"The Pit," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre in a short time, is wholly a Chicago play and deals entirely with Chicago people. Wilton Lackaye will play the part of Curtis Jadwin, who came very near to losing the love of a wife while he lost a fortune in grain, and it will be among the last times he will be seen in this part. His manager, William A. Brady, intends putting him in a new production next season.

Cross and Vail.

Judge Cross, of the United States District Court, and Judge Vail, of the Union County Common Pleas, have been in Newark together occasionally of late on business, and are both as interested as ever in State affairs, although they are no longer in politics. Judge Vail was an Assemblyman from Union in 1876, when Chancellor Magie was the Senator from the county. John W. Griggs was then also serving his first year, and so were Vice-Chancellor Bergen, Judge Bogert, John J. Toffey and other notable men. The Legislature that year was remarkable for its ability throughout. Judge Vail entered the Senate in 1879 and served six years. Judge Cross was Assemblyman in 1894 and 1905. Both men filled the presidency of the Senate, and Mr. Cross was also speaker. Talking with a newspaper man the other day, it was remarked that neither had had any quarrels with the newspapers. Both men were independent and catered to nobody, and the newspapers gave them that hearty support which is seldom denied men of ability and courtesy.—Newark Call.

Mrs. E. A. Parse, of Grove street, will go to Knoxville, Tenn., on Thursday to visit her brother, John Honeyman.

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ACCUSED OF SHOPLIFTING.

Two Elizabeth Women Arrested in Newark—Alleged Loot Recovered.

Mrs. Julia Jaeger, of 627 Magnolia street, and Mrs. Anna Schmidt, of 546 Broadway, Elizabeth, are prisoners at police headquarters in Newark, charged with shoplifting.

They were arrested in Newark late Saturday night, accused of stealing $22 worth of dress goods from a Market street department store. Two young women who were with them when arrested guided the detectives to the homes of Mrs. Jaeger and Mrs. Schmidt, and in each place quantities of dress and lace goods, cloth, fancy combs and other articles sold over the counters of department stores were found. Their value was several hundred dollars. The prisoners will be arraigned today.

Held for Misusing Mails.

Dr. George A. Soden, of 82 New street, was put under $1,000 bail in Newark to await the action of the United States Grand Jury, following his arrest by a postoffice inspector on a charge of sending threatening and defamatory postal cards through the mails. He declares that if he is guilty of any offense it was purley technical.

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Thursday, March 1, 1906

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon beginning on the premises, **No. 201 Clinton Avenue,** Plainfield, N. J.

The first property to be sold is the **Homestead property** at the corner of Clinton Avenue and South Second Street, having a frontage of about 700 feet on South Second Street by about 425 feet on Clinton Avenue and about 650 feet on West Third Street. Large house and barn in good condition.

The second property is on the **west corner of West Front Street and Clinton Avenue,** (No. 1204 West Front Street) having a frontage of 140 feet on West Front Street and 200 feet on Clinton Avenue, with house and barn, and will be sold on the premises.

The next to be sold is the **three vacant lots** in the rear of the last mentioned property, 40 feet front on Clinton Avenue and about 143 feet deep. Each lot will be sold separately.

The last property to be sold is the **house and lot** known as 1254 Milton Place, containing about 1½ acres of land and will be sold at the corner of Clinton Avenue and West Front Street, after the sale of the other properties.

Terms—10 per cent. cash when property is struck off; balance on delivery of deed in cash or half cash and half purchase money 5 per cent. mortgage at the option of the purchaser.

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DIED.

BROWN—At Nassau, Bahamas, on Tuesday, February 20, 1906, Paul Taylor Brown, only son of J. W. and the late Lydia Taylor Brown, of Philadelphia.

Services at his home, 802 Belvidere avenue, on Tuesday, February 27, at 3 p. m.

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Lost and Found.

LOST—Black and tan Yorkshire terrier pup. Please return to 429 Stelle avenue. 2 24 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED — Waitress - chambermaid (white); personal reference required. Apply 313 Franklin place. 2 23 6

MACHINISTS—First-class upright boring mill and vise hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 24 2

WANTED—Good dressmaker by the day. Address M., Daily Press. 2 23 3

WANTED—A sober young man as driver; well recommended; must take care of horse and wagon. Apply Frank Linke, 227 West Front St. 2 21 tf

WANTED — Crocheters; home work; on bootees and sacques; good pay; steady work. Mrs. McCormick, 560 West Front St. 2 23 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at No. 954 West Sixth St. 2 23 3

FIVE carpenters wanted. Apply M. D. O'Keefe, 679 West Fourth St. 2 24 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; two in family; no washing; good wages; references required. 317 East Second St. 2 26 3

WANTED—Cook; must have best reference. 107 West Seventh St.

WANTED—Girl or boy to learn chair caning; steady employment. Apply 202 East Front St. 2 26 2

WANTED—Cook and laundress; also chambermaid and waitress, with references. Apply 7 Rockview terrace. 2 24 3

WANTED—A good cook (white) with good references; no washing; to assist with other work. Apply 49 Grove street. 2 26 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references required. Apply 812 Park avenue.

WANTED—Two colored girls, one as nurse and chambermaid and the other as waitress and chambermaid; with references. 723 Central Ave. 2 26 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, in small family. 516 Woodland avenue. 2 24 3

WANTED—First-class lathe and vise men for small steel work. Spicer Universal Joint Manufacturing Co., Madison avenue, between Third and Fourth streets. 2 15 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Inquire in afternoons at 44 Fairview Ave. 2 26 3

WANTED—A competent woman for general housework in family of three adults. Apply 822 Hillside avenue. 2 26 3

WANTED—Young colored girl to assist in kitchen; also small girl to help wait in dining room at night. 211 East Fifth street. 2 26 2

WANTED—Competent nurse for infant, with reference. 10 Rockview terrace. 1 27 tf

WANTED—A competent waitress. Apply 112 West Seventh St. 2 20 6

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—By Co. K, person who purchased ticket 3341. 2 26 tf

BOARDING or unfurnished apartments wanted near Pedrick & Ayer Co.'s plant; couple and child. C. S. Staples, care Pedrick & Ayer Co.

WANTED—Good, well-rotted stable manure; address stating price, delivered, No. 7 Rockview terrace. 2 23 3

WANTED—On first mortgage, $2,500. Address G. S., 1314 South avenue, Plainfield. 2 24 3

WANTED—Second-hand window sash and doors. Alex. Kane, Plainfield. 1 29 tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, 211 North avenue. 2 19 6

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 209 North avenue. tf

Situations Wanted.

NEAT colored girl wants situation as assistant in general housework. Address, Mrs. Jones, 617 West Third St. 2 26 2

WANTED—A position as good cook and laundress. 30 Harmony St. 2 26 3

WANTED—By young woman, a widow, with child of 2½ years, place at general housework; can furnish best of references. Apply Mrs. Nellie McCann, 843 East Front St. 2 20 8

WOMAN wants work by the day. 58 Somerset street. 2 24 3

WASHING and ironing wanted at home. Call 416 John St. 2 19 6

For Rent.

TO RENT—House, ten rooms and bath, near depot and trolley; $30 a month. Inquire 402 Park Ave. 2 17 tf

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

FOR RENT—A desirable store in Plainfield Theatre building. Apply at box office. 2 20 tf

TO LET—Furnished rooms; board near by. 514 Watchung Ave. 2 23 3

FLOOR to let. 705 West Third St. 2 23 3

STORE, 187 North avenue, for rent from April 1. Apply room 2, 102 North Avenue. 1 8 tf m w s

FLAT to rent; 8 rooms; heat and water; $26. Enquire C. M. Dolliver, 104 West Second St. 2 24 6

FIVE-ROOM flat to let on Harmony street. Apply L. M. French, 18 Craig place. 2 24 2

TO LET—6-room house; $12; improvements; 2 flats, $10 and $12; improvements. Adam Young agent, 815 South Second St. 2 23 10

TO LET—Sept. 1, Netherwood, large house, grounds and stable; every convenience. Address Owner, care Press. 2 26 3

FOR RENT—Four pleasant rooms, unfurnished; adults only. 15 Grove street. 2 20 4 eod

TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

FLAT FOR RENT—Five rooms and bath. Inquire Clifton & Campbell, 230 Park Ave. 2 20 4

THREE or four rooms to let; all improvements. 10 Craig place. 2 26 tf

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

Miscellaneous.

HOUSES — Lots furnished and houses built in locations to suit purchasers; call and see plans. C. D. Manning, 163 North Ave. 2 23 1m

YOU have room in that bin for some of Nash's coal. 2 15 10

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DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Bros., 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 2 26 6mos

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For Sale.

FOR SALE—Choice building lot, 50x150; Monroe avenue, near West Seventh street; select neighborhood; take a look at it, and make us an offer; must be sold. Owner, room 417, 141 Broadway, New York. 21 9

FOR SALE—Winton Dos-a-dos phaeton, with top; $350. Apply Charles Gulick, 416 Sycamore St. 10 25 tf eod

FOR SALE—Pair of good, strong horses; fit for any work; also iron wheeled farm wagon and double harness in perfect order. Sunswick Poultry Farm, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 15 tf

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FOR SALE—Handsome new ten-room dwelling on Watchung avenue, 6 minutes from station; every modern improvement; high terraced lot; will finish to suit purchaser; also have plans for some smaller houses. C. D. Manning, 163 North Ave. 2 23 1mo

FOR SALE—Two fine Holstein bull calves, two weeks old; fine registered stock for raising. Apply 625 West Front street. 2 23 3

FOR SALE—Good horse, suitable for farm work; $35. Hand's brick yard. 2 23 tf

HORSE for sale. Inquire 682 West Third St. 2 23 3

CHICKEN wire, incubator and brooders for sale cheap. 71 Mountain avenue, Westfield, N. J. 2 24 3

FOR SALE—Two poultry houses, Peep-O-Day brooder. 205 Watchung avenue, North Plainfield. 2 24 3

LOTS FOR SALE on Union street and Arlington avenue, near new High School. J. T. Vail, 177 North Ave. 2 24 tf

FOR SALE—Heywood go-cart. Apply mornings and evenings, 30 Lincoln place. 2 26 tf

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FOR SALE—Billiard table, ivory balls, cues, racks, etc., in good order. Address 740 Belvidere Ave. 2 26 3

CHICKENS FOR SALE—Barred Rocks, laying. F. D. Fuller, 1020 Arlington Ave. 2 26 3

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LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO GIVE HEARING ON COLBY AND HILLERY BILLS

Trenton, Feb. 26.—Citizens who believe that the voters should be afforded an opportunity to express their choice for United States Senator will have an opportunity to present their views to the Senate Committee on Elections at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. There are two bills for this object in the hands of the committee—No. 12, introduced by Senator Colby, and No. 109, which was offered by Senator Hillery. As the Morris man is the leader of the Senate and as such is considered the representative of the administration, it is generally accepted that his bill has at least the sanction of the powers that direct the policy of the Republican party in these troublesome times, if it is not in reality a thoroughbred administration measure.

The two measures differ materially in the method in which the expression of the people's preference is to be expressed, and the Colby men are inclined to think that Mr. Hillery's measure hedges the plan of popular expression with restrictions and complications which make it difficult to be carried out in its true sense, if not practically inoperative. It is for this reason that some are inclined to look upon the Hillery bill as an administration measure.

The Colby bill provides that 800 voters of the entire State may sign a petition, to be filed with the Secretary of State, indorsing a candidate for United States Senator, and that the names of the candidates thus named in the petition shall be placed on the tickets of their respective parties throughout the entire State at the general election.

Mr. Hillery's bill provides that 100 voters of any political party may file with the clerk of the county of which they are residents a petition for the nomination of candidates, to be voted for at the primary election, indorsing any member of their political party as a candidate for "the sole purpose of securing the indorsement of the person therein named by the voters of said county for United States Senator."

The objection raised to the Hillery act is that it confines the petition to the county and that in order to obtain the expression of the voters of the entire State upon the question of a candidate for United States Senator it would be necessary to file a petition signed by 100 citizens in every county in the State, making twenty-one petitions and 2,100 signers. Then there is nothing to prevent every man in the county, who believes that he possesses the qualifications for United States Senator, and who can secure 100 signatures to his petition, from becoming a candidate on the primary ticket in his county.

The result, it is pointed out, would be such a number of candidates and such a diversity of opinion that any member of the Legislature might be justified in claiming that it was a difficult matter for him to tell who the people wanted and he would exercise his own judgment and the United States Senator would be chosen as of old.

The Colby bill, on the other hand, is regarded by its friends as much more simple, providing as it does for only one petition for the entire State upon which all the voters of the Commonwealth can vote at the same time.

DEEDS RECORDED.

Property Transfers in Plainfield As Filed in Elizabeth.

Joseph P. Taylor et al. to Edward S. Alpaugh, northerly side Second place, corner Anna M. Buntings..$1

Theodore Heilborn to Frank T. Morrill, lots 201, 202, 203, 204, "Map of Central Park" $1

Matilda J. Averre et al. to E. Frank Vail, southeasterly side Dunellen avenue, 201 feet northeasterly of Albert avenue $1

Mary G. Woodruff et al. to John H. Van Winkle, Jr., rear line of Mary G. Woodruff, corner William S. Woodruff $1

Caroline Van Wyck to Clifford D. Manning, southerly side Broadway, 100 feet easterly of East Ninth street $1

Samuel Solomon to Abraham Hodesh et al., Mechanic street, corner Levi Hetfield $1

Want Pastor to Remain.

Bloomfield, Feb. 26.—The trustees of the Watsessing Methodist church have decided unanimously to ask the Newark Methodist Episcopal Conference for the return of the Rev. S. Travena Jackson, the pastor, for another year. Mr. Jackson has made a splendid impression on the members of his congregation. The last year has been one of the best in the history of the church.

Old Charges Against Constable.

Paterson, Feb. 26.—Constable Michael Carroll was arraigned Saturday in court on an indictment, found twenty-two years ago, charging him with escaping from jail, and he was also called upon to answer an indictment found eleven years ago, charging him with assault and battery.

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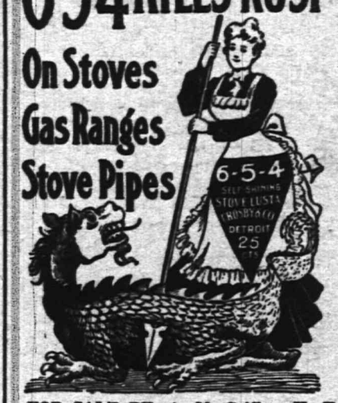

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Close 12.35 p. m.

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LITERARY NOTES.

Two articles of kindred interest in the March Century are Sylvester Baxter's plea for "Art in the Street" and Charles de Kay's description of "The New York Custom-house." In the evolution of this great building architects and sculptors are working to secure the maximum of utility and beauty. The numerous pictures seem to prove that civic art has made a long step ahead—the civic art having for its chief end to make utility the vehicle of beauty, which Mr. Baxter urges in his article on "Art in the Street." Pictures of Jules Guerin and Malcolm Fraser of results already accomplished add to the live interest of Mr. Baxter's treatment of the subject. Recent death touches with pathetic interest two features of the March Century, the first of William Sharp's "Route-notes in Sicily," and Joseph Bucklin Bishop's memories of his friendship with John Hay. In this Mr. Bishop reveals sympathetically something of the qaulities that made John Hay so loved and honored by all whose lives touched his. Some of the last work William Sharp did was this record of the island where he lately passed away. The first of the two papers, entitled "The Garden of the Sun," is illustrated with pictures by Jay Hambridge, one in tint. An enlightening sketch is a brief contribution on "The Jews in Roumania," by Carmen Sylva, as she is known in letters, while in her proper person she is Roumania's charming queen.

The American Magazine, which for thirty years was Leslie's Monthly, has two especially interesting articles in the March number. One, "The Eden Makers," by Julian Helburn, tells of the remarkable things the United States Reclamation Service is doing; how it is making fit for cultivation a desert area of 1,909,000 acres. Under the caption "The Case of Mabel Parker," Arthur Train, of the New York District Attorney's office, tells the story of a slip of a girl who stole thousands of dollars through free-hand forgeries, of her audacious defense in court, and how her husband swore that he was the guilty person in a vain attempt to save her. From the photographic side this number is well up to the standard which the American Magazine has been setting. There is a series of portraits of birds taken in their natural haunts.

There is a good deal in the March McClure's that you don't want to miss. Miss Ida M. Tarbell's "Commercial Machiavellianism" brings home the lax morals that have built up great corporations and business houses, showing how the axioms of Machiavelli's "Price," although pretty strong even for Italy of the Medici, form the catechism of the modern captain of industry. Ray Stannard Baker continues his veil-lifting series, "The Railroads on Trial," devoting the current number to the formation of public opinion by the law-breaking railroads and shippers; disclosing as neat and clever and complicated a piece of underhanded machinery as ever you heard of. Carl Schurz's "Reminiscences of a Long Life" furnishes by far the most exciting chapter we have yet had, "The Escape from Rastatt," which recounts the story of how Schurz with two companions, on the surrender of the fortress to the Prussians, hid in a barn where the enemy's cavalry were bivouaced, and finally escaped through a deserted sewer.

The Popular Science Monthly for March contains the following articles: "The Physiography of the Adirondacks," by Professor James Furman Kemp; "The Black Locust Tree, and Its Despoliation," by Dr. Charles A. White; "A Contribution to the Theory of Science," by Professor Wilhelm Ostwald; "The Jewsharp," by the late Dr. H. Carrington Bolton; "Geological History of Cockroaches," by Dr. E. H. Sallards; "How Rooting Aquatic Plants Influence the Nutrition of the Food Fishes of Our Great Lakes," by Professor Raymond Pond; "Urban and Rural Life," by Frank T. Carlton; "Newspaper Football," by Professor Edwin G. Dexter; "Submarine Navigation," by Sir William H. White; "Trial and Error as a Factor in Evolution," by Professor W. B. Pillsbury; The Rewards of Scientific Research; The Work of the Carnegie Institution; Professor Adolf von Baeyer.

Worldly Thoughts of a Worldling.

Really to enter into the fullness of Tomorrow one must use the key of Yesterday.

The milk of human kindness is never more diluted than when gossips are at the pump.

The worm is not to be blamed for turning—especially when a girl tries to bait a hook with him.

"First thoughts are best," says Conscience. "Last thoughts are best," says Prudence. Both are right.

The source of cynicism is either the liver or the heart, according as the cynic is a he or a she.

It may take two to make a quarrel, but many a row has been begun solely because one" friend" played "promoter."

Modern progress can accomplsih most things, but it never will be able to substitute an elevator for the ladder of fame.—Warwick James Price, in March Lippincott's Magazine.

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CHAPTER XIII.

A RUNAWAY.

Four days passed. I might have used the word "sped," only that verb could not be truthfully applied. Never before in the history of time (so our jehu thought) did four days cast their shadows more slowly across the dial of the hours. From noon till night there was a madding nothing to do but polish bits and buckles and stirrups and ornamental silver. He would have been totally miserable but for the morning rides. These were worth while; for he was riding Pirate, and there was always that expectation of the unexpected. But Pirate behaved himself puzzlingly well. Fortunately for the jehu, these rides were always into the north country. He was continually possessed with fear lest she would make him drive through the shopping district. If he met Nancy, it would be, in the parlance of the day, all off. Nancy would have recognized him in a beard like a Cossack's; and here he was with the boy's face—the face she never would forget.

He was desperately in love. I do not know what desperately in love is, my own love's course running smoothly enough; but I can testify that it was making Mr. Robert thin and appetiteless. Every morning the impulse came to him to tell her all; but every morning his courage oozed like Bob Acres', and his lips became dumb. I dare say that if she had questioned him he would have told her all; but for some reason she had ceased to inquire into his past. Possibly her young mind was occupied with pleasanter things.

He became an accomplished butler, and served so well in rehearsals that Pierre could only grumble. One afternoon she superintended the comedy. She found a thousand faults with him, so many, in fact, that Pierre did not understand what it meant, and became possessed with the vague idea that she was hitting him over the groom's shoulder. He did not like it; and later, when they were alone, Warburton was distinctly impressed with Pierre's displeasure.

"You can not please her, and you can not please me. Bah! Zat ees vat comes uf teaching a groom table manners instead uf stable manners. And you vil smell uf horse! I do not understand Mees Annesley; no!"

And there were other humiliations, petty ones. She chid him on having the stirrup too long or too short; the curb chain was rusting; this piece of ornamental silver did not shine like that one. Jane's fetlocks were too long; Pirate's hoofs weren't thoroughly oiled. With dogged patience he tried to remedy all these faults. It was only when they had had a romping run down the road that this spirit fell away from her, and she talked pleasantly.

Twice he ran into Karloff, but that shrewd student of human nature did not consider my hero worth studying; a grave mistake on his part, as he was presently to learn. He was handsome, and the only thing he noticed about the groom was his handsome face. He considered it a crime for a servant to be endowed with personal attractions. A servant in the eyes of a Russian noble excites less interest than a breedless dog. Mr. Robert made no complaint; he was very well satisfied to have the count ignore him entirely. Once he met the count in the Turkish room, where, in the capacity of butler he served liquor and cigars. There was a certain grim humor in lighting his rivals cigar for him. This service was a test of his ability to pass through a room without knocking over taborets and chairs. Another time they met when Betty and the two of them took a long ride. Karloff did notice how well the groom rode his mettlesome mount, being himself a soldier and a daring horseman. Warburton had some trouble. Pirate did not take to the idea of breathing Jane and Dick's dust, he wanted to lead these second-raters. Mr. James' arms ached that afternoon from the effort he had put forth to restrain Pirate and keep him in his proper place, five yards to the rear.

Nothing happened Sunday; the day went by uneventfully. He escaped the ordeal of driving her to the Chevy Chase Club, William being up that afternoon.

Then Monday came, and with it Betty's curious determination to ride Pirate.

"You wish to ride Pirate, Miss?" exclaimed James, his horror of the idea openly manifest.

"Saddle him for me,"—peremptorily. "I desire to ride him. I find Jane isn't exciting enough."

"Pardon me, Miss Annesley," he said, "but I had rather you would not make the attempt."

"You had rather I would not make the attempt?"—slowly repeating the words, making a knife of each one of them, tipped with the poison of her contempt. "I do not believe I quite understand you."

He bravely met the angry flash of her eyes. There were times when the color of these eyes did not resemble sapphires; rather disks of gunmetal, caused by a sudden dilation of the pupils.

"James you forget yourself. Saddle Pirate, and take Jane back to the stables. Besides, Jane has a bit of a cold." She slapped her boot with her riding-crop and indolently studied the scurrying clouds overhead; for the day was windy.

Soberly Warburton obeyed. He was hurt and angry, and he knew not what besides. Heavens, if anything should happen to her! His hopes rose a bit. Pirate had shown no temper so far that morning. He docilely permitted his master to put on the side-saddle. But as he came out into the air again, he threw forward his ears, stretched out his long black neck, took in a great breath, and whinnied a hoarse challenge to the elements. William had already saddled Dick, who looked askance at his black rival's small, compact heels.

"I am afraid of him," said Warburton, as he returned. "He will run away

"I AM NOT AFRAID OF HIM."

with you. I did not wholly subjugate him the other day. He pulls till my arms ache."

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S. Frucht, the West Front street sporting goods dealer, has just received several barrels of the latest phonograph records. Drop in and hear some of them.

Smalley Brothers, the North avenue market men, are the sole local handlers of the famous Berkshire sausage. There is nothing to be had that can beat it for adding zest to the morning meal.

The stock of groceries at W. W. Dunn's store, Duer street and Lincoln place, is strictly fresh at all times. Prices are never high as can be seen by presenting a trial order. Wagon deliveries everywhere.

Stoves have not been in great demand the past winter and so to close out a large line, Worth & Marsh, of Somerset street, are offering unheard of bargains. It might pay you to drop around and look over the display.

James R. Blair, of Park avenue, conducts the "Town Toggery." It is there that men can get anything today they want in the way of furnishings. Blair is the sole local agent for the celebrated Hawes hats, thousands of which are sold in Plainfield every year.

Since becoming established in their new quarters in the Babcock building, Shirley & Johnson have been better enabled to display their large lines of carpets, mattings, rugs, curtains and furnishings. No store in the metropolitan district can equal theirs for either variety of goods or lowness of price.

A. E. Force & Co., proprietors of "The White Store," advertises the sale of new goods which are being constantly received. The store has undergone great improvement and shoppers will find this a pleasant and profitable place to trade. The firm stands behind every purchase, guaranteeing all goods to be just as represented and full value. Visit this store once and you will want to go again.

GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

Beginning tonight the attraction at the Grand Opera House will be that distinguished English player, E. S. Willard, in his two greatest successes, "The Middleman" and "The Professor's Love Story." "The Middleman" will be the bill for each evening and Wednesday matinee, while "The Professor's Love Story" will be presented at the Saturday matinee during the engagement of Mr. Willard. The appearance of Mr. Willard at this theatre's scale of prices is a decided triumph for the Grand, and the engagement should prove a most notable one from every standpoint. Mr. Willard is today the ablest exponent of the art of acting on the British stage, and his present tour in this country has met with generous encouragement in all places visited. "The Middleman" is considered by most critics Henry Arthur Jones' best piece of dramatic writing, and Mr. Willard's impersonation of Cyrus Blenkam has long been acknowledged a masterpiece. "The Professor's Love Story" is thoroughly different from "The Middleman," and Barries delightful comedy serves admirably to illustrate the elasticity of Mr. Willard's art.

Mrs. John Herman, of Somerset street, is detained at home by illness.

Judge Herr, of Flemington, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends here.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Beaton, of West Seventh street, is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Zimmerman, of Bound Brook, have been visiting friends in Plainfield.

Miss Margaret Miller, of East Fourth street, is spending a week with friends at Trenton.

Dudley S. Miller, the druggist, has been detained at home several days with an attack of the grip.

Thomas Fosbre, of West Sixth street, whose right leg was recently amputated by physicians at Muhlenberg Hospital, has recovered from the operation and is doing nicely.

William Jukes, of East Second street, who was recently taken to Muhlenberg Hospital suffering from an injured knee cap, will be able to leave the institution in a few days.

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Deegan will go to New York this week for the purpose of having an ante season pow pow with Jack O'Neil.

If Mayor Smalley and other boroughites desire any information on sewers, write to Mr. Jack O'Neil, department of sewers, City Hall, New York. That is the job that Jack holds down in addition to raking in shekels for playing baseball.

It is possible that "Pete" Cregan will not be on the Hoboken team this season. Peter writes that he is getting old and that his best half objects to his being away from home on Saturdays and Sundays. "Wally" Cosgrave will also seek new pastures. He will be supplanted by a Mister Hogan, who hails from the Hossier State and who is rated as a wonder. Last season he saw service in the New York State League. No other changes in the team are anticipated by Manager Daab.

"Warry" McLaughlin stated Saturday night that he would most likely be back with the New London team again this summer. The death of Jess Frysinger, manager of the Lancaster Tri-State League team, upset his plans, as he had practically made up his mind to try the outlaw league this season. "Warry" says his arm is in fine shape, which he claims is principally due to bowling this winter. His bowling venture, he reports, was a complete success, and said that his ball playing would not interfere with the business during the summer.

"Teddy" Shortman, the former crack infielder of the Hope Y. M. A. team in the days of the amateur league, and one of the prime favorites of West End rooters, will be given an opportunity to make good on the Hoboken team this summer. Manager Daab, hearing of Shortman's brilliant playing on the Roseville A. C., of Newark, has decided to give him a chance. In Newark Shortman covered center field for the Roseville's and was near the top of the batting list. Teddy has proven a hard man for any pitcher to face and his many friends in this city hope he will make good in faster company.

EX-JUDGE VAN VOORHEES, OF ERRORS COURT, DEAD.

Succumbs to Liver Trouble at Camden Home After Year's Illness —Holland Dutch Descent.

Camden, Feb. 26.—Former Judge Peter Van Voorhees, of the State Court of Errors and Appeals, died at his home here last night of liver trouble. He had been in ill health since his resignation from the bench a year ago, but death was not expected.

Judge Peter Van Voorhees was of Holland Dutch descent on both sides and was connected with one of the oldest and most prominent families in New Jersey. He was a lineal descendant of Steven Coerte Van Voorhees, who emigrated from Holland to America in April, 1660.

He was nominated by Governor Voorhees as a judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals for a term of six years March 6, 1900, and was unanimously confirmed by the Senate. In politics the judge was a Republican. Judge Van Voorhees resigned from the bench last fall owing to ill health, and Judge James B. Dill was appointed by Governor Stokes to succeed him.

DEMOCRATS TO BANQUET.

U. S. Senator Bailey and Tom Johnson Will Speak in East Orange.

The Democratic Club of the Oranges is planning for April 16 a banquet in Commonwealth Hall, East Orange. The speakers will be United States Senator Bailey, of Texas; Mayor Tom Johnson, of Cleveland, O., and State Senator James F. Minturn, of Hudson county.

The committee in charge of the affair consists of Walter I. McCoy, of South Orange; James D. Moriarity, of East Orange, and Simeon H. Rollinson, of West Orange, who is treasurer, and Washington Cross, of East Orange, who is secretary.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Monroe Avenue church will meet in Epworth house on Thursday.

The Eqworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a business and social meeting on Friday night in Vincent chapel.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold a business meeting in the church on Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Monroe Avenue church has postponed its meeting which was scheduled for tomorrow to Tuesday, March 6.

The semi-annual meeting of the Elizabeth District Women's Home Missionary Society is being held at Woodbridge, today. The local churches are well represented.

The Brotherhood of the First M. E. church is planning to hold a supper in Vincent chapel during March. The men will take full charge, preparing and serving the dinner.

The Junior Society of the First Baptist church will hold a birthday party in the parlors of the church on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. All the children of the church are invited to attend and bring a penny for every birthday they have had.

The annual business meeting of the teachers of the First Baptist church Sunday-school will be held on Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the church. The election of officers and other important business will be transacted.

The February meeting of the Men's Association of Trinity Reformed church has been postponed to Thursday night, March 29, when George T. Powell will give a talk on the cottony maple and San Jose scale and give other interesting facts regarding trees and shrubbery.

At the morning services in Trinity Reformed church yesterday a male quartette, comprising H. J. Martin, Charles M. Dolliver, H. J. Martin, Jr., and E. D. Young, led the congregational singing and rendered an offertory selection in place of the regular chorus choir of mixed voices.

The Boys' Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a Chinese tea at the home of Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, 744 Watchung avenue, Wednesday afternoon, March 14, from 3 to 6 o'clock. There will be a sale of home-made candies, preserved ginger, fans and Chinese toys. A silver offering will be received at the door.

Don't Want License.

Asbury Park, Feb. 26.—At a Citizens' mass meeting held yesterday resolutions were adopted protesting against the passage of the Senate bill giving Asbury Park the privilege to hold a special election this spring on the excise question. Addresses against licensing the liquor business in this city were made by representative business men and property owners. A prominent hotel man also opposed license. A Vigilance Committee of fifteen was appointed to look after any future efforts or legislation having for its object the granting of liquor licenses in Asbury Park.

A Remodelled Theatre.

The New Brunswick Opera House Company is pushing its plans for having its theatre on Liberty street in that city remodelled. Not only has the date for closing the present season with the Elks' benefit minstrel performance, about the middle of April, been selected, but it has been decided what will be the attraction at the reopening early in September when the theatre remodelled and rebuilt will be practically new. This will be a gala occasion here, with George M. Cohan, the famous comedian, appearing in his great comedy, "Little Johnny Jones."

That Goff Application.

Councilman Montgomery, chairman of the license committee, says that it was Goff's intention to have his application for a license withdrawn and that he had sent him a letter to that effect through John Keely. He says, however, that Mr. Keely forgot to deliver the letter until after the Common Council meeting. It was not filed with the city clerk.

City Court.

Elias McCready, arrested for drunkenness on West Front street Saturday afternoon, was arraigned before Judge Runyon yesterday morning. He was released under suspended sentence.

Reception for Bride.

Mrs. Samuel Townsend, of Myrtle avenue, will give a reception and tea at her home tomorrow to introduce her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Townsend, formerly of Norway.

WHITE FOLKS OBJECT TO NEGRO NEIGHBOR.

Residents of Lafayette Street, Elizabeth, All Want to Sell Their Own Homes.

Elizabeth, Feb. 26.—John Simmons, a negro, has bought a $3,500 house in Lafayette street, in a favorite residential section of the city, and the result is that some white residents in that locality want to sell their property. The negro got in to the neighborhood after ineffectual attempts of the whites to keep him out.

He formerly lived in Division street, but the Central Railroad bought him out. Simmons is quite wel to do, and bought the Lafayette street house from William H. Miller, a wealthy real estate owner. The deal was about to be closed for $3,500 when the residents there learned than Henry Precheur had offered previously $3,300 for the house, but that Miller wouldn't sell at that price. The whites offered to raise $200 by subscription among themselves for Miller if he would sell to Precheur. Miller was indignant at the idea of a subscription to raise money for him, and called the deal off with the negro at any rate.

Then John Ruth, of 1019 Bond street, turned up as a buyer and paid $3,500 for the property. Ruth has transferred the property to the negro, consequently the rumpus.

EFFORTS TO ADVERTISE ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS.

Board of Trade of the Town Determined to Make Known the Good Points of the Town.

Atlantic Highlands, Feb. 26.—Another meeting of the recently formed Board of Trade will be held on Wednesday evening. It is expected that an interesting report will be made by the press committee of the board, which has already begun an aggressive campaign of publicity for the purpose of booming this place. Other things to be reported upon will be the Atlantic Highlands Annexation bill, which is now before the Legislature, and a bill which provides for the taking of one mill of the assessed property valuation for advertising purposes.

In a letter sent out Saturday night by the press committee to every business man and property owner in Atlantic Highlands, as well as to business men in surrounding places who have a big trade here, it is set forth that the plan is to keep Atlantic Highlands before the people. It is hoped to raise sufficient money to advertise in several newspapers in Newark, New York and Brooklyn for a period covering March, April and May, and perhaps June. The activity of the new Board of Trade has already resulted in the sale of considerable property.

NOW SMALL DENIES THAT CONFESSION.

Says He Didn't Kill Miss Allinson, and Only Said He Did to Help Johnson.

Mount Holly, Feb. 26.—The negro Small, who confessed that it was he and not Rufus Johnson who murdered Miss Allison at Moorestown, so reprieving Johnson from the gallows, has taken a leaf from Johnson's book and denied his confession. He made a new statement Friday to John Dugan, for whom he worked at the time of the murder.

This sudden change in the attitude of Small will make it a much more difficult matter to convict him than has been anticipated, especially in view of the lack of corroborative evidence at hand to prove the truth of his first confession. Indeed, the case of the State is entirely dependent now upon the testimony of Rufus Johnson for its corroboration of Small's confession.

In view of the value of Johnson's testimony against Small it is likely that his present sentence will be changed to a term of imprisonment.

Will Not Pay in Wife's Case.

By providing a bond of $8,000 Christian Oltmer, president of an iron manufactory in Hoboken, yesterday effected his release from the Hudson county jail, in Jersey City. He was locked up because he refused to satisfy a judgment of $4,000 awarded to John Rust, of Hoboken, a building contractor. Rust accused Oltmer of alienating the affections of Mrs. Rust. Witnesses testified that at a ball in Odd Fellows' Hall, Hoboken, Mrs. Rust declined to dance with any one until she had received permission from Oltmer. Rust's attorney has appealed to the Supreme Court for review.

—The Republican County Committee will meet on March 13.

DASHING VICTORY FOR Y.M.C.A. FIVE

REJUVENATED QUINTET TURNS OFF A THRILLING RALLY.

By a great second-half rally, the Y. M. C. A. five wrested victory from the jaws of defeat Saturday night, and broke the losing streak that seemed to have bound them to the bluest finish with which an association team ever closed a season. They won from the Maxwell House quintet, of Brooklyn, by 24 to 23.

It looked like the old story in the first half. Plainfield played hard, but not up to Maxwell House. For the first five minutes neither team could score, but the Brooklynites hit up their pace and began a smothering assault on the basket. Three goals were shot one after the other, in great style, and Plainfield, forced on the defensive played that way all through the half. It was a stubborn defense they put up, but only a defense for all that, and the loyal rooters felt their hearts sink as the half progressed. They sighed resignedly when the half closed with Maxwell House in the lead, 15 to 7.

There was a change in the line-up when the second half opened, Leary and Smith going in. Within three minutes the team followers woke up to the fact that something had happened to the combination. Maxwell House was being rushed by as swift and clever a series of plays as the ingenuity of five expert basketball players, working in perfect unity, could devise. The whole Y. M. C. A. team was putting up a remarkably brilliant game. The ball went down into the enemy's territory in series after series of bewildering passes, and time after time the leather shot into the basket as if driven along an invisible runway. Point by point the home team cut down the visitors' lead, caught them, held them and passed them. One point, but it looked as big as a million to the losers, and the winners had no scale by which to measure its import.

As a game pure and simple, the contest was the real thing. Both teams gave the spectators a brand of basketball that it only found in the triple X class. In that heart-thumping second half the home five played the best game it has ever evolved. Leary shone like the Milky Way in his shooting, and Scull, Thompson, Smith and Letson turned off some bright starry twinkles of their own.

After the game the Maxwell House contingent had sandwiches and other consoling things with the victors.

The line-up and summary:

Plainfield.		Maxwell House.
Thompson		Coakefair
Neal, Smith	forwards.	Foley
Scull	centre.	Bennett
Letson		Carol
Utzinger, Leary	guards.	Hayden

Goals from field—Thompson, Neal, Scull, 2; Letsop, Leary, 6; Coakefair, 5; Foley, 2; Carol, Hayden, 2. Goals from fouls—Thompson, 2; Coakefair, 3. Fouls—Plainfield, 8; Maxwell House, 4. Umpire—Hyman. Referee — Morse. Timers — Percy Phillips and V. B. Miner.

LOCAL OPTION'S DOOM LOOKS LIKE A CERTAINTY.

Very Doubtful that Measure Can Even Get Through the House.

Trenton, Feb. 26.—From a sentimental standpoint the local option matter probably comes next in public estimation to limited franchises in the Legislature. None of the members seem anxious to confront the bill on a rollcall, yet the chances are they will have to. The members of the Municipal Corporations Committee of the House, who are the custodians of the measure, have apparently left it in the hands of Scovel, the chairman. Scovel says he is very tired of the whole thing, and it is not fair to crowd the responsibility on him. Yet he holds a paper signed by each of the committee agreeing to have the Miller bill reported without recommendation. The chairman expressed a desire to bring it out from day to day last week, but did not do so.

A careful canvass of the House indicates that the measure will be defeated if brought to a vote. It will be close, however, if the canvass was correct. Should it get through the House, it will run up against a stone wall in the Senate, and will probably remain in committee the balance of the session. While local option has cast a ghastly light over the Legislature and caused many a member's face to look white and haggard, it is not quite so ghastly as it was.

Barely Escapes from Fire.

Trenton, Feb. 26.—Fire, which destroyed the dwelling of Mrs. Sebold, 556 Chestnut avenue, last evening, nearly caused the death of the woman and several boarders. Leaking gas caused flames to burst out in the kitchen. Mrs. Sebold ran from the house with her clothes afire and was seriously burned. Russell and Marion Hart jumped from second story windows and Leonard Rogers slid down a rain pipe from the third floor.

Miss Marguerite Brown, of New Brunswick, has returned home after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Meeker, of West Front street.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Mrs. A. M. Gillen, of Duer street, is having an addition built to her residence.

—Woodhull & Martin have received the contract to refurnish the kitchen and dining room of the Casino.

—Miss Elizabeth C. Flanagan, for a long time in the millinery department at the Levy store, is now at A. E. Force & Co.'s White Store.

—W. H. Kirch, of Duer street, slipped while endeavoring to get into his wagon on Saturday and sprained his foot so badly that he was compelled to use a crutch in order to continue at his business.

—The Commonwealth Roofing Company, of Jersey City, resumed work on the Mono Investing Company's new storage warehouse in the East End, this morning and weather permitting it will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

—One of the spirited horses owned by the U. S. Express Company, in charge of Driver Pearl Lindsey, had a lively run about 8:30 o'clock this morning. The animal started from the express platform near the station and ran at full speed down the driveway into North avenue and continued his way toward Watchung avenue. Lindsey used every effort to get the horse under control, but did not succeed until he run him up on the sidewalk east of the North Avenue station. In the meantime the horse jumped the shafts, breaking them into bits. He collided with the iron fence surrounding the station grounds and was then pacified before doing further damage. The animal had been ill for ten days, and was returned to the service today for the first and was feeling unusually good.

Deacon Conway Says "the Schisma-

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. E. Hall, of Plainfield avenue, is seriously ill at her home.

Dr. John A. Borneman, of Philadelphia, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank H. Haurand, of East Front street.

W. F. Merrill and family, of Carlton avenue, will leave on March 2 for a month's staye at Holly Inn, Pinehurst, N. C.

Miss D. Rita Meeker, of West Front street, has returned home after a week's visit with her brother, O. E. Meeker, of New Market.

Mrs. D. J. Randall, D. J. Randall, Jr., Mrs. J. L. Randall, and Robert A. Suffern, all of this city, are registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

E. F. Henry and wife, of Three Bridges, Hunterdon county, spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Samuel Stockton, of Sycamore street.

Varying Prices of Gas.

Milwaukee is making a good profit in the sale of gas at 80 cents for the first 10,000 feet per month, 70 cents for the next 10,000 feet, and 60 cents for all in excess of that amount. Cleveland is selling gas at 75 cents and paying back 5 cents per thousand to the city as a special franchise tax. Cincinnati is selling it for fuel for 50 cents. Toronto is selling all her gas for 80 cents. Lowell, Lynn and Boston, Mass., have recently reduced the price to 90 cents, and it is certain that before long 80-cent and 90-cent gas will be as common as $1 gas is now.—(Good Housekeeping.) Gas in Plainfield is $1.25 for 1,000 feet.

An Early Morning Racket.

At the spooky hour of 3 yesterday morning, Charles Brighton, colored, of Manning avenue, and his son, Charles, got into an argument about a family matter. Both are gifted with strong lungs and the racket that followed sounded like a calliope. It was heard by Special Marshal Peter Dooley, standing a block away and he restorerd calm in the neighborhood by taking both to the lockup. They gave bail for appearance tonight.

Schepflin House Sold.

The old Schepflin homestead in Dunellen, sold under mortgage foreclosure proceedings last week, was bought in for the Seventh-day Baptist Church Memorial Fund, the mortgagee, for $6,000. The mortgage was for $9,000. The property, which covers seven acres, cost Christian Schepflin $30,000. His widow, from whose control the property passed, is living in this city in circumstances none too easy.

Montclair Elks' Fair.

The closing day of the Montclair Elks' fair Saturday was a record breaker, both for attendance and for tne amount of money taken in. Fully two thousand persons visited the hall, where the bazaar has been in progress for the last week, and over $700 was taken in. The proceeds for the week will amount to over $5,000.

Rutgers to Get Army "Krags."

New Brunswick, Feb. 26.—The War Department has announced that the Krag-Jorgensen rifle will be issued to educational institutions in this State, and among those that will benefit by this announcement will be Rutgers College, of this city. The students now have Springfield cadet rifles and equipment.

Engagement Announced.

Mrs. J. Stone, of Brooklyn, announces the engagement of her youngest daughter, Miss Jane Earle Stone, to Lucius Lovell Gilbert, of Crescent avenue.

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BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS
GREAT REDUCED PRICES

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Misses' Arctics, sizes 11 to 2	65c
Child's Arctics, sizes 6 to 10½	50c
Men's Rubbers sizes 6 to 11	59c
Ladies' Storm Rubbers, sizes 3 to 7	40c
Ladies' Low Rubbers, sizes 3 to 7	35c

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All He Wanted.

"I want to put a personal in the paper to recover a horse and buggy I lost," said the man.

"Ah!" said the clerk, "you mean an ad. for the 'Lost and Found' column."

"No. I want to say: 'If the man who stole my horse and buggy to elope with my wife will return said horse and buggy suitable reward will be paid.'"—Philadelphia Press.

Mrs. A. M. Post Will Speak.

Mrs. A. M. Post, State worker for the Women's Baptist Home Mission Societies, will speak of her work in the chapel of the Park Avenue Baptist church on Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. This meeting will be under the auspices of the Home Mission Circle and will take the place of the mid-week prayer meeting.

Blocked.

Mr. Borem—Could I see Miss Fibbs?

Maid—Faix! that's wat she was wonderin' as ye come acrost the street.

Mr. Borem—Ah! then she's in.

Maid—Yes, but she's not at home.

Two Disorderlies.

William Waldron and Charles Jenkins, the latter colored, were arrested by Special Marshal Dooley in the borough Saturday night, both having acted in a disorderly manner on Somerset street. They furnished bail and will be arraigned before Mayor Smalley tonight.

Death of Mrs. C. C. Wetmore.

Mrs. Catherine Chetwood Wetmore, a granddaughter of Col. Francis Barber, who served with General Washington in the Revolution, died at her home in Elizabeth yesterday aged eighty-four. He father was in Congress during the term of President Jackson.

Burns Church Mortgage.

A large congregation attended the services at the First Church of Christ last night, when the mortgage on the building, recently cancelled, was burned. An appropriate sermon from the text, "A Break With the Past," was preached by Rev. Phil. A. Parsons.

Hand's Court.

M. Leichtentritt was awarded a verdict of $33 and costs in Justice Hand's court this morning against Howard Bird, on contract. William Newcorn was counsel for the plaintiff.

Want a New Trial.

Counsel for Mrs. Tolla, the murderess condemned to death, is today arguing in the Supreme Court at Trenton for a new trial. The ground is newly discovered evidence.

Sure Sign of Spring.

An almost sure indication of early spring is the appearance of the crocus. It is in bloom at the home of John Rowland, of East Second street.

New Plainfield Theatre
Plainfield's First Modern and Perfect Play House.
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TONIGHT AT 8:15—
Lillian Blauvelt
In the romantic comic opera success,
"THE ROSE OF ALHAMBRA."
Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and a few at $2.00.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1,
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Presenting the Unique Comedian,
MR. PAUL QUINN.
Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.

Saturday, Mat. and Night, March 3
A Crown of Thorns
Prices—Matinee 25c, 35c
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The PIRATES OF PENZANCE
Including the following cast:
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Benefit of the Day Nursery.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27,
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Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.
Seats now on Sale.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 26, 1906.
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Partly cloudy and colder tonight; Wednesday, fair.
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LENTEN SEASON OF 40 DAYS BEGINS TOMORROW

The Order of Services in the Catholic and Episcopal Churches of the City and Borough.

FASTING AND PRAYER

Tomorrow is Ash-Wednesday in Ecclesiastical Calendar—Special Preachers Engaged for Services in Episcopal Church.

Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, will fall on tomorrow. In preparation for the solemn penitential season the Catholic and Episcopal churches will hold the several services prescribed by their canons.

Communion will be celebrated by both sects. In the Catholic churches the solemn and impressive blessing and distribution of the ashes, symbolic of the season of sadness and abasement, will be a feature.

At St. Mary's R. C. church the following programme for the day is announced: 6:30 in the morning, mass; 8:00, blessing and distribution of the ashes; 8 o'clock at night, recitation of the rosary, sermon, benediction of the blessed sacrament and distribution of the ashes. Every Friday night through Lent, at 8 o'clock, the Way of the Cross will be said and the benediction of the blessed sacrament. Mass will be said every morning at 6:30 and 8 o'clock.

Services at Grace P. E. church tomorrow will be as follows: 7 in the morning, early celebration; 10 o'clock, morning prayer and litany; 12 m., penitential office; 8 o'clock at night, evening prayer and sermon, by Rev. Carl E. Smith, of Brooklyn. Service will be held every day at 5 o'clock except Thursday, with sermons by clergyment from out of town.

Rev. Mr. Warner, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, announces that tomorrow, Ash Wednesday, the services will be: Holy Communion at 7:30; morning prayer penitential office and sermon at 11 o'clock; evensong and sermon at 7:45.

Throughout Lent there will be daily morning prayer at 7:30 and celebration of Holy Communion on Thursday at that hour. The afternoon services will be at 5 o'clock on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. The evening service at 7:45 on Wednesday and Friday. At the evening services on Wednesday the visiting preachers who will occupy the pulpit include the Rev. Mr. Hamilton, of Paterson; the Rev. Mr. Pearse, of South Amboy; the Rev. Dr. Oberly, of Elizabeth, and the Rev. Mr. Gordon, of East Orange.

On Monday afternoon at the 5 o'clock service the rector will give a series of talks to young people and children on "The Boys and Girls of the Bible."

On Thursday afternoons at the regular service, Dr. John H. Egar, former professor of ecclesiastical history at Nashotah House, will give a series of addresses on church history. The rector will preach Friday nights. His subject will be "Some Helps to Devotion." On Saturday afternoons at 4 o'clock the acting organist, Mr. Lee, will give recitals. Mr. Lee will be assisted by Mr. Loder, baritone; Mrs. W. L. Saunders, Mr. Pope and Miss Gregg. These recitals are open to the general public. No admission fee is asked and there will be no collection.

Next Sunday the rector will begin a series of sermons, to continue throughout the Sunday mornings in Lent. Subject, "St. Paul's Description of Charity." In the evening, "The Lord's Prayer Covering All Needs."

Confirmation class for children and young people will meet with the rector at 4 o'clock in the church Tuesday afternoons. The class for adults will meet Friday evenings after service. These classes are open to all, whether confirmed or not, and attendance does not place any one under obligation to be confirmed.

Rev. Arthur Searing Peck, rector of St. Stephen's church, Netherwood, has completed the arrangements for the services to be held at his church during the Lenten season, which begins tomorrow with Ash Wednesday. Tomorrow morning at 7:30 and 10 o'clock there will be low celebration, matins-penetential office, and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon there will be evensong. Services will be held at 11 o'clock in the morning and 4 o'clock in the afternoon on Sundays; 4 o'clock in the afternoon on Wednesdays; 7:30 o'clock in the morning and 8 o'clock in the evening on

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LOVING CUP FOR PRIEST

Catholic Young Men's Diocesan Union Plans to Honor Father Bogan.

RALLY ON MARCH 13

Bishop Invited to Attend Affair at Newark—Father Carroll to Make Presentation Speech.

The Catholic Young Men's Diocesan Union has decided to tender a rally at Institute Hall, Newark, on Tuesday, March 13, to Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, pastor of St. Mary's church, of this city.

He was spiritual director of the organization for six years, but because of parish duties found it necessary to decline a renomination. A special committee of the union held a meeting at Institute Hall Saturday night and decided upon the arrangements.

All of the societies connected with the union, numbering more than a score in Newark and other cities, will send representatives. There will be a presentation of a loving cup, the formal address to be made by Rev. Father Carroll, pastor of St. Patrick's church, Jersey City. Bishop O'Connor will be invited to attend. There will also be a musical programme.

Father Bogan was for two terms head of the Catholic Young Men's National Union.

IF YOU'RE LISTED YOU WON'T GET COAL

DEALERS ASSOCIATION DECIDES ON SCHEME TO GET RID OF "BEATS."

The Coal Merchants' Credit Association, which is composed of all dealers in that line, has decided to complete a list of all delinquent debtors to be distributed among its members. Unless the accounts outstanding are settled within a few days the names will appear on the list and the dealers say they will "act accordingly."

Efforts were made some time ago to get up such a list, but some opposition was made to this on the part of a few dealers. They claimed that many of their good customers would have to be listed. The rule of the organization now is that a consumer owing a bill to more than one dealer must settle before securing coal from anyone else.

FLIER JUST ECAPES WRECK AT ELMORA STATION.

Philadelphia and Reading Express Nearly Has Serious Accident When Tire Bursts.

The eastbound Washington express, No. 526, on the Jersey Central, had a narrow escape yesterday afternoon from being wrecked at Elmora, a mile west of Elizabeth. The tire on the trailer, or smaller driving wheel, of the big Philadelphia and Reading locomotive No. 320 burst.

The engine, however, was running slowly at the time, the engineer having slackened its speed in order to make at stop at Elizabeth, which he managed with difficulty to reach with his heavy train.

The Washington express remained stalled at Elizabeth nearly half an hour until the Flemington express came along and towed the cars and passengers to Jersey City. The disabled locomotive was sent to the Central repair shops at Elizabethport.

Arrested On Old Complaint.

Jerry Foss, a former well known boroughite, was arrested by Chief Marshal Weiss yesterday on a warrant preferred by his wife three months ago, charging non-support. Foss has been living in New York and Easton and only came to town Sunday for a short visit. Mrs. Foss failed to appear against him and he was released.

In the Borough Court.

Mayor Smalley passed sentence on four offenders as follows last night: William Waldron, disorderly conduct, $2; Charles Jenkins, drunkenness, $3; Charles Brighton, Sr., disorderly conduct, $3; Charles Brighton, Jr., disorderly conduct, sentence suspended.

Tea for Miss Hartshorne.

Miss Barlow, of Prospect place, gave an informal tea at her home yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Kathryne Hartshorne, of Freehold, who is her guest. About twenty-five young persons of the borough and city attended.

CO. K'S ANNUAL FEAST

Col. Collins, Rev. Dr. Glazebrook and James E. Martine Among the Speakers.

AT THE TRUELL INN

Capt. Martin Toastmaster—Service Medals Awarded—Mayors of City and Borough Speak.

The completion of the first five years of the organization of Company K, Second Regiment, N. G. N. J., was appropriately observed last night when the annual banquet was held at Truell Inn. The militia was honored with Mayor James F. Buckle, Mayor Newton B. Smalley, Col. D. F. Collins, Rev. Dr. Glazebrook, James E. Martine and others as invited guests, who spoke the praises of the company and predicted even greater things during the next five years. The occasion was also noteworthy by reason of the fact that the terms of enlistment of nineteen members terminated and they received their discharge papers, while three members, Lieutenant John M. Lewis, Corporals Alfred Tranchand and James L. Niles, received service medals for not having missed a single drill during the five years. The medals were presented by Col. Collins.

Prior to the banquet, the company met at the armory, where there was a short drill. The banquet at Truell Inn, which was considered the best in the history of the company, was excellent.

After the feast, Captain William B. Martin, who acted as toastmaster, introduced Sergeant Pearsall, the historian, who presented a few facts concerning the company's growth. He stated that it was organized and mustered into service on February 27, 1901, and its record was one of the best of any company in the State. He referred to the various affairs, both local and State, in which the organization had taken part and of it encampments at Sea Girt, where for five years excellent work was performed on the rifle range. In figure of merit the following percentages were recorded: 1902, 72 per cent.; 1903, 76 per cent.; 1904., 86.7 per cent.; 1905, 87.2 per cent. For two years all of the members qualified on the State range, and in some years 100 per cent. was attained by the company in rifle practice. In 1903 Sergeant Albert I. Littell won the famous Bell medal, and in the same year Corporal Hort won the Collins medal. The report showed that the National Guard officers complimented the local company for its fine showing and tribute was paid to Col. Collins, to whom is largely due the credit for the existence of the organization. Col. Gilmour mustered the company in at I. C. T. Hall, and ever since there has been a steady growth. In conclusion, Sergeant Pearsall referred to the need of an armory building here and suggested that the State appropriate $20,000 or $25,000 a year for the purpose of giving the companies in New Jersey suitable quarters.

Col. Collins presented discharge papers to the following members, whose terms of enlistment had ended: First Lieutenant John M. Lewis, Second Lieutenant Harry B. Kitchell, First Sergeant Charles A. Peterson, Quartermaster Sergeant Albert I. Littell, Sergeants Asa F. Randolph, Oliver R. Pearson, Jr., George L. Apgar; Corporals Alfred Tranchand, James L. Niles, Robert E. Goldsack, Clarence H. Bilyeu, and Privates LeRoy DeCamp, Eugene Dorman, John Judson, William Mosher, Archie G. Niles, Nelson R. Peterson, Walter Sampson, Percy W. Vail. All but William Mosher and Asa F. Randolph have re-enlisted for one year. The 100 per cent. medals presented to the three members, Lieut. John M. Lewis, Corporals Alfred Tranchand and James L. Niles, are suitably inscribed and highly prized by the recipients, representing as they do faithful services.

Mayor Newton B. Smalley in a few words congratulated the company for its fine showing. He expressed interest in the reports presented and said that if at any time he could be of service to the organization he would gladly do all in his power to advance its welfare. Freeholder Westphal followed with a short speech.

Former Assemblyman William Newcorn said that while he regretted his inability to secure an armory for Plainfield while in the Legislature he stood ready at all times to do all in his power to have such a building located here. He thought the State could use its funds to better advantage by erecting armories than in loaning them to banks at a low rate of interest.

Mayor James F. Buckle declared that the gathering reminded him somewhat of the days when he was a member of the National Guard. He mentioned the fact that during the Civil War, he was not old enough to

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STOKES AND COLBY ARE BOTH TO SPEAK

Governor and Reform Senator to Make Addresses at the American Banquet on Thursday Night.

SMALLEY, TOASTMASTER

Saunders to Respond to "Plainfield" —Tucker Also to Speak— Tickets Selling Fast.

Governor Edward C. Stokes will speak at the "Junior American banquet" to be held at the Casino on Thrusday night under the auspices of Franklin and Benevolent councils, Jr. O. U. A. M. His acceptance of the invitation and promise to be here was received today from Trenton by former Senator Charles A. Reed, who went to see him last night. While no subject has been assigned the Governor, it is expected that he will respond to the toast "Our State."

Since Governor Stokes received the invitation to come to Plainfield he has expressed his desire to accept, provided affairs of State would permit him. In consequence he held the date in reserve and promised to let the committee know his decision today. This will be the Governor's second appearance here as a speaker, the first time being during his Gubernatorial campaign. He is a member of the Jr. O. U. A. M. and enthusiastic in the advancement of its principles.

Another distinguished speaker will be Senator Everitt Colby, whom the Board of Trade refused to invite to address it at the annual banquet. His toast will be "Patriotism," and as this will be Mr. Colby's first appearance here as a public speaker, unusual interest is manifested in his coming. Former Mayor William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, well known as an after-dinner speaker, will talk on the toast "Plainfield," one that he has made a great study of during the past few years. The fourth speaker will be Assemblyman Everard Tucker, of Elizabeth, who will talk on "Our Order." With the exception of Mr. Saunders, all of the speakers are members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. Mayor Smalley, of the borough, will be the toastmaster at the banquet.

The committee in charge of the banquet met last night and received reports of progress. It was stated that 200 guests are expected to attend. This includes several of the State Council officers, who have been invited as guests of the local councils. There are about fifty tickets remaining unsold and anyone desiring tnem can secure them from Thomas E. Currin, Jr., at the First National Bank, before tomorrow noon. The committee has completed other details for the affair and in addition to the attractive list of speakers a fine dinner is assured. Many city officials and others prominent in Plainfield affairs will be among the guests.

Charles E. Ball Hurt.

Charles E. Ball, superintendent of the Prudential Insurance Company, has been detained at home several days with a sprained tendon of the right leg and is now obliged to use a crutch to get about. He was walking through a hallway at his home when his foot slipped on a small rug and he was thrown heavily. His knee was wrenched and the tendon sprained. Mr. Ball was able to be at his office today for the first.

Deeds' Commissioners Appointed.

The Senate and House in joint session at Trenton today confirmed the legislators' appointments for commissioners of deeds. The appointees from Plainfield were all confirmed.

—The best is always the cheapest in the end, that's why so many people use Rockdale print and creamery butter. Neuman Brothers sell it and guarantee the quality.

—The attention of persons looking for valuable real estate is called to the public sale of the property to be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock to close the estate of the late William McD. Coriell. This sale will be held on the premises, No. 201 Clinton avenue, and will be in charge of the executor, B. Frank Coriell. Further information can be obtained from him, or by reading the advertisement in this issue.

GAY COSTUMES GALORE

Scores of Masked Dancers at Gesang and Turn Verein's Annual Ball.

AFFAIR A BIG SUCCESS

"Ballet Girl" Causes a Sensation—150 Dancers Participate in Grand March Led by Charles F. Meyer, Sr.

Marked by one of the most congenial gatherings that has ever assembled in Saengerbund Hall, the seventeenth annual ball of the Gesang and Turn Verein passed off last night. In point of attendance and general success it went far beyond everyone of its sixteen predecessors. From early last evening until nearly daylight this morning, the dancing floor was crowded, presenting a brilliant picture to spectators through the great variety of gay costumes adopted by the merry-makers.

The grand march was held at 10:15 and 150 men and women with faces hidden beneath masks and all manner of grotesque attire, took part. There were clowns and harlequins, Happy Hooligans and other members of the tramp fraternity, colored minstrels, angels, flower girls, queens, dominoes, dairy girls and others in one ever-changing array. Charles F. Meyer, Sr., the veteran of a hundred similar affairs, led the way about the hall and in making his followers form balanced figures was assisted by the other members of the committee, Frank Neidig, chairman; John Wirth, John Retzer and Fritz Schmidt. Directly behind them were eight German peasant girls represented by Mrs. Adolph Barre, Mrs. Carl Felber, Mrs. August Meleher, Mrs. Gustav Schemp, Mrs. Charles F. Meyer, Mrs. John Retzer and Mrs. John Soukup. Four had costumes of one hue and four another, contrasting with the attire of the committeemen who adopted French court dress.

While many of the suits worn kept the crowd "guessing," the hit of the evening was made by Walter Chandler, of anning avenue. He appeared on the floor in a ballet girl's costume of flaming red, with low neck and a dizzy blonde wig. The older women who came to look on uttered sharp "ah's" and then consulted with one another as to which one of their sisters had braved criticism to the extent of coming in such dress or lack of it. The men were also completely deceived and those who sought the favor of a dance with the mysterious young woman were answered in a squeaky voice that convinced them more than ever that it was not a man. Even after Mr. Chandler had removed his mask, newcomers were fooled as his face had been cleverly powdered and painted a la show girl.

Another hit was made by Frank Jellig in a stuffed costume labelled "The Beef Trust." His make-up so strongly resembled "Bill" Claassen that word was passed around that it was he and the belief was held until midnight. Otto Keller was pleasing as an "angel," and "The Whole Damm Family" was presented by Jacob Schlick, Jr., Joseph Kennedy, Joseph Sullivan and "The Damm Dog."

Among the other costumes noted were the following: Queen Elizabeth, Mrs. Frank Haurand; "Three Little Girls in Blue," the Misses Lillie Stenzenberger, Gretchen and Jennie Giebeler; sailor lasses, Mrs. Albert Perry, Mrs. George Gromisch, Miss Eva Perry, Miss Mary Perry, Miss Eva Dekune and Miss Nettie Dean; school girls, Mrs. J. Alster, Mrs. Edward Townley, Miss Maude M. Bremmer, Miss Mamie V. Bremmer, Miss Clara Weber; "Red Riding Hood," Miss Edith Meyer; flower girls, Mrs. G. O. Keller, Miss Stella Mercier, Miss Ruth Deike; peasant girl, Miss Christine Sorensen; western girl, Miss May Eriksen; maids, Miss Bess Muldowney and Miss C. Brennan; poppy, Mrs. Walter Chandler; rose, Mrs. Walter Kettenring; nuns, Mrs. A. Alster and Miss Carrie Beiter; Japanese girls, Miss Nettie Schlick, Miss Anna Baeder, Mrs. Leary and Mrs. F. N. Dean; Columbia, Miss Lena Brucher; society lady, Miss Tillie Pferman; ghost, Miss Christine Stolz; farmer's lass, Miss Nellie Tike; princess, Miss Ella Hansen; night, Miss Hazel Humeal; violets, Miss Hilda Peterson; Liberty, Miss May Weigmann; Spanish girls, Miss Ella Grieb and Mrs. Lena Boe; shepherd girl, Miss Clara Dembowsky; Spanish dancer, Mrs. M. Dembowsky; Queen of Hearts, Mrs. M. Mowrey; "baby," Miss Lena Brugger; "Two Little Girls in Blue," Miss Lillie Bremmer and Miss Lillie Mowrey; fortune tellers, Mrs. A. Smith and Mrs. Mary Miles; "Pretty Peggy," Mrs. A. Michenfelder; Colonial dame, Mrs. A. Devine; "Queen of the Night," Miss Madeline Edgar; Egyptian girl, Mrs. Frank Manchester; pickaninny, Mrs. J. Mowrey; harle-

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CITIZENS ORGANIZE A PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

Representative Men of City and Borough Enthusiastically Band Together For Community's Welfare.

OFFICERS ARE NAMED

R. H. Depew, President; William L. Saunders, Vice President—Messrs. Fisk, McCutchen, Kinsman and Atterbury on Committee.

Permanent organization was effected last night by representative men, who, under the leadership of R. Henry Depew, started the movement to hold the P. S. C. to an accounting for the prices and service in the illumination departments of the corporation in force in this city.

The organization was accomplished at a meeting in the parish house of Grace Episcopal church. Over seventy-five men were at the meeting. The gathering, for the most part, was very much on the order what might be seen at a meeting of the Country Club, or some important civic organization. But few of those present were not men of substantial means and of high standing in the city. Former Mayor Charles J. Fisk was there, and so was former Mayor L. V. F. Randolph. Two councilmen, W. S. Tyler and H. D. Hibbard, were among those who gave earnest attention to the proceedings and manifested great sympathy with the movement.

The organization's name was fixed as the Plainfield Protective Association, and very early in the meeting it was made manifest that its objects were as broad as its title. It is in the minds of those leading the movement to make the P. P. A. the guardian and defender of every civic right of Plainfield's citizenry.

Officers were chosen by acclamation. R. Henry Depew is president; W. L. Saunders, vice president; H. C. White, secretary, and J. Herbert Case, treasurer. An executive committee was formed as follows: A. H. Atterbury, C. J. Fisk, H. L. Hall, F. E. Kinsman, Charles W. McCutchen, George T. Rogers, Floyd T. Woodhull and Dr. Leonard Waldo.

Mr. Depew called the meeting to order. He was greeted with applause as he stepped to the front of the lecture room.

Mr. Depew recapitulated the conditions that have led to the movement. He had suffered from inexplicable jumps in his bills, and found that kicks to the company produced no satisfaction. The only move that promised any remedy was a protective organization. He thought such an association was plainly needed, and could do a great deal of good.

The service, he said, was admittedly poor; the officials of the corporation had themselves admitted irregularity in electric service. They admitted, for one thing, that the voltage was apt to vary. They said the voltage drop meant a drop in the bill, but Mr. Depew had asked an expert about that, and discovered that to get a four per cent. drop in his bill he had to lose forty per cent. of his light.

It was pretty generally understood, Mr. Depew continued, that the public ought to get the same things for the same price. The P. S. C. worked on a different plan; it had two systems of charging. One rate, lower than the other, was not generally allowed. Mr. Depew could not see why all the consumers should not have the low rate. As for the question of the meter reading, Mr. Depew didn't know if they were correct, or if they did not talley with the bills. He would admit for the sake of argument—having no knowledge to the contrary—that they were strictly accurate. But why did the average man, using only the average number of lights, get bills of $11, $10, and $14, while men in big houses, burning more lights, should be charged no more? The general February advance, too, called for explanation; he had sought but could discover no cause for it.

Mr. Depew wanted to know about the difference in rate between Plainfield and Somerville and Staten Island. The two last named places had rates much lower than in this city. Staten Island was lower than Somerville. If the company could sell at a profit at these lower rates why didn't Plainfield have the benefit of them?

He was not making any charges, Mr. Depew concluded, and he didn't

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NAME HOUSE PHYSICIAN

Muhlenberg's Governors Select Dr. William H. Anthony For the Place.

A GRADUATE OF PENN

Resolutions on Death of Paul Taylor Brown—Members to Attend His Funeral This Afternoon.

By the action of the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital at a special meeting in the Casino, last night, the institution is to have a house physician, or interne for the first time in its history. Dr. William H. Anthony, of Catawissa, Penn., has been appointed to that position, his term of service being until October 1 next. By the arrangement, during the summer another physician will be selected for the position to succeed Dr. Anthony, when his time expires.

Dr. Anthony was graduated from the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania, Class '03, and he comes to Plainfield highly recommended. He expects to enter upon his duties at once. The appointment of a house physician will not make any material changes at the hospital, as some have supposed. Miss Wildey will continue as matron, as will also other arrangements. The only difference is that there will be a physician on duty there to attend to emergency and other cases needing his attention.

The board also passed a set of resolutions on the death of Paul Taylor Brown, a late member, who died a week ago at Nassau, Bahamas, and a copy was ordered sent to Mr. Brown's family. A majority of the board attended the funeral services of Mr. Brown, held from the home in Netherwood, this afternoon.

H. E. NEEDHAM RESIGNS AS SCHOOL TRUSTEE

SUCCESSOR TO BE NAMED AT REGULAR ELECTION NEXT MONTH.

At its regular meeting last night the North Plainfield Board of Education received a communication from H. E. Needham tendering his resignation as a member of the body. In it he stated that a pressure of business matters and his enforced absence from the borough made it impossible for him to attend to the duties devolving upon the office. The resignation was accepted with regret and a resolution was passed conveying to Mr. Needham the thanks of the board for the efficient services rendered during his term.

According to the State law, the school trustees are permitted to name the successor in an instance of this kind, but as the regular election is to be held March 20, the matter was deferred until then. Last night's session practically marked the expiration of the terms of three other members, Messrs. Townsend, Woodruff and Miller. Mr. Miller was elected to fill the unexpired term of the late John Valiant, while the others have served three years. Mr. Needham's successor will be elected for one year, as his term ended in March, 1907.

Sunday Golf Question Dead.

The Sunday golf question will not be revived again at the Plainfield Country Club, according to Henry L. Hall, of Netherwood, who led the Sunday forces unsuccessfully in two fights. Mr. Hall said last night that the matter was dead, so far as he was concerned, and that he would make no further effort in the spring to bring the matter to another vote.

Superintendent's Daughter Ill.

Miss Ruth Maxson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Maxson, is still critically ill at her home with deroston of the stomach. Specialists from New York, as well as local physicians, have been in attendance for several days. It is believed that the crisis of the disease will be reached this week.

Signed by Governor.

Senator Ackerman's bill providing for the succession of the tax collector in Plainfield and empowering the present incumbent to finish up the business of his predecessor was signed by Governor Stokes today.

Red Men Aranging "Ladies' Night."

Miantonomoh Tribe, No. 118, I. O. R. M., will hold its annual "ladies' night" in the Scheuer building, Tuesday, March 13. An entertainment and dance will be among the features.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY

New Market is also coming in for its share of early spring crop of burglaries. Capt. B. A. Cole's place was entered early Saturday morning, but the marauders were frightened off before they could gather any plunder.

The individual communion set has been received by the Presbyterian church. It was announced on Sunday that the set would be used next Sunday morning, for the first time.

The women of the Presbyterian church will hold a supper at the chapel on March 30. A programme of entertainment will mark the affair.

The Junior Endeavorers of the Presbyterian church are arranging an entertainment. It will be held on the evening of March 16.

Several Dunellen and New Market young women will be among the members of the proposed Opera Club of Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thompson, of Brooklyn, have returned home after a visit to their cousin, Ogden E. Meeker.

There will be a missionary meeting at the home of Mrs. S. D. Stryker this week. The W. C. T. U. will take part.

Several local German-Americans were at the mask ball in Saengerbund Hall, North Plainfield, last night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Meeker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Meeker, of Plainfield.

George Waldron, of Plainfield, has returned home after a visit to Albert Muller.

Miss Edna Baldwin returned to work yesterday, after a week's vacation.

The public school meeting will be held at the borough hall tonight.

Mrs. Muller is entertaining a married daughter from out of town.

Miss Edna Baldwin spent Saturday with friends in West Orange.

Miss Edna Coriell will entertain friends at cards tonight.

Miss Natalie Terry has returned from a visit in Orange.

Mrs. Edmund Teel is visiting relatives in Easton.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Funeral services of Mrs. Thomas Reynolds, who died at Muhlenberg Hospital Friday night, were held yesterday at 12 o'clock. Rev. William Mulford, of All Saints' Episcopal church, had charge of the services.

Miss Louise Robison, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robison, has returned to her duties as teacher in one of the schools of Greater New York.

John E. Flannery, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. George H. Johnston, has returned to his home in Plainfield.

The Suburban bowling team will roll the Somerset team, of Plainfield, tonight, upon the Suburban alleys.

Fanwood Council, R. A., holds its semi-monthly meeting tonight in the library rooms.

Mrs. John R. Marsh has been entertaining friends from out of town.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Men's Club of All Souls' church will meet tonight.

The trustees of the Park Avenue Baptist church will meet tonight at the home of F. T. Ostrom, 748 Carlton avenue.

The monthly meeting of the Session of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will be held tonight at the parsonage.

Preparatory services will be held at Trinity Reformed church on Friday, preceding the regular communion service on Sunday morning.

The Sunshine Mission Band, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet in the parlors of the church tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold a consecration service Friday night. Miss Jennie Giles will lead.

The regular communion service will be held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on Sunday morning, and the following Sunday there will be baptism of children.

The teachers of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school held a conference after the Sunday afternoon session to discuss ways for maintaining the interest in the work.

As a tribute to the memory of Walter VanWinkle, who was a faithful member of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school, an attractive vase of flowers is placed on the table in front of the pulpit and in the Bible School of the church each Sunday.

The preparatory service will be held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on Friday night. Following the service the Session will meet in the church parlor to meet those who are to unite with the church at the coming communion service.

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It is pointed out that to permit such a collection to be sold to individuals, thus scattering and dissipating the work of twenty years by Mr. Deats, would be to deprive the Government of important and valuable relics of the Civil War and reconstruction period. The period covered by this collection is from 1862 to 1883, and these drawings, proofs and essays are of tremendous historical and educational importance, philatelists assert, from the fact that this was the vital period in the life of the republic—the war and financial recoverey from its terrific drain upon the resources. The methods employed to meet these conditions led to various forms of taxation, the outer evidences of which found expression in the use of stamps affixed to documents. Some of these stamps are extremely rare and the original drawings, proofs and essays of these stamps are unique; many of them being unobtainable except in this collection.

Mr. Deats is an ardent stamp collector and has been president of the National Association of Stamp Collectors. Nearly twenty years ago he, as a boy, began making this collection of proofs and essays, and has followed the work until at the present time it numbers more than 20,000 pieces, and is practically complete. It is said that all the collections of the world, including those already possessed by the Government, do not equal that which Mr. Deats has offered to the United States.

The leading dealer in stamps in this country has assured Mr. Deats that he can sell the collection at private sale for double the price asked the United States, but the owner declines to permit it to be broken up and scattered. With him its collection has been a labor of love. It has been his ambition to see the collection made a part of the permanent possessions of the Government, thus preserving for all time the records in connection with the inception of the plan to raise funds with which to carry on the war and to meet subsequent demands. Richard Rathbun, assistant secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, who is in charge of the National Museum, remarked, after examining a single volume of the collection, that it would be little less than a crime to permit the collection to go elsewhere than to the United States Government.

The collection comprises fifteen volumes beautifully mounted and suitable for permanent display in the Congressional Library. Last summer Mr. Yerkes, commissioner of internal revenue, was permitted to examine one of the volumes. He seemed much interested and finally invited the man who had the volume to step into an adjoining room and view the Treasury collection artistically arranged in a great frame. Mr. Yerkes informed his guest that competent judges had informed him that the Treasury collection was worth $200,000. The guest replied that he would make a perfect duplicate of the Treasury collection from the Deats collection and still have left four-fifths of the collection, including all the very valuable pieces. This statement appeared to produce a profound impression upon Mr. Yerkes.

Mr. Deats for fifteen years has been a member of the board of corporators of Peddie Institute, of Hightstown, serving ten years as its secretary. Since 1894 he has been a member of the board of trustees of Bucknell University, at Lewisburg, Pa. He is a member of the American Historical Association, the New Jersey, Virginia and other historical societies, and is the publisher of The Jerseyman, devoted to history. He is of a studious mind, and a lover of antiquities. He says he is willing to sell to the Government for $20,000 what the leading stamp dealers in the country have practically offered him $35,000 for, for the purpose of private sale. Officials of the Government who are competent to pass upon the value of the collection, and who realize the importance of retaining it intact, have expressed a desire to appear before the committees on library, in the Senate and House, and urge its purchase.

Included in the fifteen volumes is the original order for private proprietary stamps of the Butler & Carpenter Co., with 200 original approved

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Book No. 8 contains many great rarities, including substitution of allegorical figure (Commerce) in place of portrait of Washington. Books 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 contain great numbers of proofs, and the essays and experimental drawings of revenue and match and medicine stamps. Book No. 14 is a collection of match and medicine stamps. Book No. 15 is a bound volume of proofs of second and third issues and first proprietary issue, and $200, $300 and $5,000 stamps.

The members of the great philatelic societies of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and other cities, and the great mass of collectors throughout the country will appeal to Congress to save this wonderful collection intact.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

There are many clever specialties in "Mr. Dooley," which is to be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre Thursday night. Among the more conspicuous artists in the company are Paul Quinn, Joseph Mitchell, Marie Richmond, Emil Heusel, Tillie Cohen, Casper Zarner and St. John and Le Fever. The management has made a gorgeous production of "Mr. Dooley" this season, and the popular farce comedy will be seen in an entirely new dress of scenery and costumes.

A play which is said to be far above the average is promised in the forthcoming production of "A Crown of Thorns," which is to be seen at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday matinee and night. The piece is said to be out of the ordinary and boasts of not only originality in plot, but of novelty in production. Scenically, it is said to widely surpass anything heretofore attempted by the management. The play itself is without doubt the best work of Jay Hunt, one of our most promising young dramatists. A company of unusual strength has been engaged for the piece, including many well known players.

"More to Be Pitied Than Scorned," a unique melodramatic novelty by Charles E. Blaney, is to be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Tuesday night. While the main story is one of great dramatic strength, there is an abundance of comedy and music, over fifty people being used in the big scenes, and a cast of thirty. The play is well woven together and holds the audience until the final curtain. Many of the scenes are thrilling in their intensity. In this the author's latest and greatest effort all old ideas have been entirely discarded and in their stead new ones substituted, and in no other of Mr. Blaney's works is this more clearly and artistically shown than in "More to Be Pitied Than Scorned."

That breezy Western operatic comedy, "The Tenderfoot," will be the strong attraction at the New Plainfield theatre in the near future. The stars of the performance are Oscar L. Figman and Ruth White, two players who have become particularly well known through their work as the stars of "The Burgomaster" and other musical productions. Mr. Figman, in the character of the gentle philosopher, Professor Pettibone, is said to be a delight, his keen sense of humor and talent for making audiences laugh standing him in good stead with this picturesque role. Miss White's fine soprano voice is heard to the best advantage in the role of Marion. The music of "The Tenderfoot" is peculiarly bright and swinging. The cast is a notable one, and the company extremely large, numbering seventy people.

Missionary Society's Annual.

The annual meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will be held in the chapel of the church Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. There will be an address by Mrs. Harvey C. Olin. The offering will be devoted to the building fund of Logan Academy, Utah. Tea will be served at 5 o'clock. Articles for the missionary box should be brought in this week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. O. McKelvey, of Grandview avenue, who are enjoying the southern climate at Thomasville, Ga., are expected home on Thursday.

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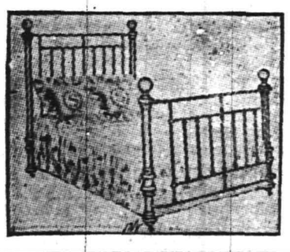

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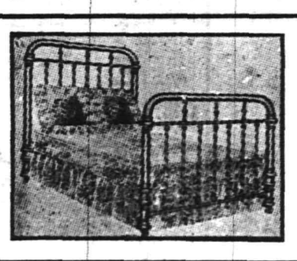

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READY FOR LENT SEASON

Regulations Announced By Bishop Mc Faul Read in Catholic Churches Sunday.

Bishop McFaul has issued the regulations for Lent. These were read in all the Catholic churches on Sunday. There are but a few changes in the regulations this year.

Lent will begin tomorrow with special services in the Catholic churches. Services will also be conducted in the Episcopal and Lutheran churches.

The regulations of Lent follow:

"All the week days of Lent from Ash Wednesday to Easter Sunday are fast days of precept on one meal, with the allowance of a moderate collation in the evening.

"The church excuses from the obligation of fasting (but not of abstinence from flesh meat, except in special cases of sickness), the infirm, those who are attaining their growth, those whose duties are of an exhausting or laborious character, women bearing or nursing infants, and those who are enfeebled by old age.

"By authority of the Holy See (Ind. Aug. 3d, 1897, for ten years), the following dispensations are granted for this diocese:

"1. The use of flesh meat is permitted at every meal on the Sundays of Lent, and at the principal meal on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, with the exception of Ember Saturday and Holy Saturday.

"II. The use of eggs and milk, butter, cheese and the like is allowed every day at the principal meal, and at the evening collation.

"III. A small piece of bread with a cup of coffee, tea, chocolate or similar drink may be taken in the morning.

"IV. When it is not convenient to take the principal meal at noon it is lawful to invert the order and take the collation in the morning and the dinner in the evening.

"V. Dripping and lard may be used in the preparation of food.

"VI. On Sunday there is neither fast nor abstinence, but it is not allowed to eat fish and flesh meat at the same meal on any day during Lent.

"VII. Those who are not obliged to fast may partake of flesh meat at every meal on a day when by special indult flesh meat is permitted at the principal meal.

"VIII. By special indult of the Holy See, dated February 8th, 1905, the bishops of the United States are empowered for ten years to dispense from the common law of abstinence when they judge it expedient. We therefore permit working people who cannot easily abstain from flesh meat to use it once a day on all abstinence days throughout the year, with the exception, however, of all Fridays, Ash Wednesday, Wednesday and Saturday of Holy Week and the vigil of Christmas.

"This dispensation is granted to working people and the members of their families share in it, but it does not exempt from fasting, where such an obligation exists, nor does it permit the use of fish and flesh meat at the same meal.

"When the faithful avail themselves of this indult they should perform some penitential work as a substitute for the dispensation enjoyed. A most useful and commendable custom is that of abstaining, especially during Lent, from stimulants in honor of the sacred thirst of our Divine Saviour.

"IX. The time for fulfilling the Easter precept of communion in this diocese extends from the first Sunday in Lent to Trinity Sunday, inclusive.

"All the faithful are exhorted to enter into the spirit of this holy season, which is a special time of prayer, sorrow for sin, alms-giving and mortification. Those particularly who cannot fast are recommended to make suitable compensation by more liberal alms to the poor and other good works.

"By order of the Right Reverend Bishop. JAMES J. POWERS, "Secretary."

LITERARY NOTES.

"During 1905," writes George R. Metcalfe, M. E., in the March Technical World Magazine, "the railroads of the United States ordered new locomotives to the number of 6,300, together with 3,300 passenger cars and 340,000 freight cars. These last figures give a good idea of the relative importance of passenger and freight traffic to a large railroad. The rail mills started the new year with orders for 2,500,000 tons on their books. In spite of these great orders and in spite of the best efforts of the railroad managers, pile after pile of thousands of bushels of corn has been heaped up on the ground in Iowa, Kansas, and Nebraska, for want of storage room or transportation facilities; while in North Dakota alone over a million bushels of wheat has rotted on the ground for want of freight cars to move it."

Dudley H. Barrows, of Princeton, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Mrs. A. D. Shepard, of New York, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Miller, of East Ninth street.

Albert A. Tilney, of Boston, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wadsworth, of West Eighth street, has returned home.

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TO ARGUE BOROUGH BILL AT TRENTON

PISCATAWAY DELEGATIONS GO BEFORE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

Opposing delegations from Piscataway township went to Trenton this morning to argue on the South Plainfield borough bill before the Law Committee of the Assembly. One delegation from South Plainfield, went to urge the separation; the other, representing New Market and the western end of the township, went to ask the Legislature to table the measure.

The South Plainfielders were headed by Judge Steele. Following him were John Geary, William Hamilton, P. J. McDonough, P. F. Kaine, Runie Manning, J. F. TenEyck, J. I. Holly, A. C. Bechstein, A. Steengraff, S. R. Manning, Thomas Brantingham, Frank Miller, Morris Higgins, William A. Norman, Joseph Steier, Rev. J. A. Cubberley and Oscar Thorn. The opposing delegation consisted of S. D. Drake, Lewis Walker, W. F. Randolph, Eugene Veghte and C. E. Kelly. The latter was spokesman and leader.

The New Marketers demand a year's delay in the separation because the South Plainfielders have talked about demanding an investigation of the township government for thirteen years past if they don't get their borough organization. The New Marketers want to compel them to make the threat good or back water.

GAY COSTUMES GALORE

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quin, Miss Christine Bollinger; ballet dancers, Miss Josie Feller and Miss Lillie Weigmann; souvenir girl, Mrs. C. Benjamin; summer girl, Miss Lizzie Hough; jockey girls, Mrs. John Joyce and Miss Ernestine Barre; domino girl, Miss Catherine Steele; monk, Frank Haurand; gypsy, John A. Barneman; domino, Leo Hess; clowns, Charles F. Meyer, Jr., Herman Klinsman, Jr., and Charles Bremmer; "fancy girl," M. O. Maier; waiters, Rudolph Spiegel and Anton Stenzenberger; Happy Hooligan, Charles Beerman; minstrel, Fred Jordan; bootblack, Charles Giebeler; Simple Simon, George Perry; West Point cadet, James Merrill; cake walker, Fred Kaeding; Chinese mandarin, Ernest Krohner; Mother Hubbard, George Allen;, Gloomy Gus George Voehl.

Charles F. Meyer, Sr., had charge of the dancing floor and his assistants were Frank Neidig and Fritz Schmidt. They kept everything in good order and the waltzes, two steps and quadrilles were made all the more enjoyable though the excellent music provided by Paroubek's full orchestra. Supper was served at midnight by the Ladies' Section of the Gesang and Turn Verein.

The committee worked hard to make the affair the success it was and Chairman Frank Neidig was warmly complimented for the thorough manner in which every detail had been arranged.

Nuptial Masses.

Nuptial mass was celebrated at St. Mary's R. C. church Saturday and yesterday mornings. The couples in both ceremonies were Italians. Antonio Santo Salvo and Lisa Di Nuncio were married Saturday at 9:30 o'clock, and Pasquale Capone and Antonietta Gargona were married at 11 o'clock yesterday. Father Frederici celebrated both masses.

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CO. K'S ANNUAL FEAST

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enlist, but he was able to sell newspapers to the soldiers. He saw the soldiers go to war and then return and he said that he had always prided himself on a spirit of patriotism. If there was anyone he honored more than another it was the man who fought for his country. "I don't care to shine in the lime-light," continued the Mayor, "for I am only a plain and simple citizen, but as Mayor I am proud of you boys. In times of trouble we know that you will stand shoulder to shoulder for you all have that great and strong love for his country whether he be Democrat, Republican, Northerner or Southerner."

Captain Martin introduced Col. Collins as the "father of Co. K," and the genial colonel in responding said that he was glad to be with his five-year-old child. After paying a compliment to Captain Martin for his efficient services, he reviewed the history of Co. K briefly and then commented upon the wisdom of the Legislature passing the Dick bill, which would give the militia of the State an encampment every year, a reasonable allowance for uniforms and a nominal sum for time spent in performing service for the State. He said that those who criticise the National Guard the most are those who know the least about it. He thought that next year would be ripe for Co. K to make a strike for an armory and in conclusion congratulated the members and wished them continued success.

Councilman E. P. T. Smith, of North Plainfield, responded briefly, thanking the company for its courtesy and wishing it success in maintaining its fine record.

Dr. W. K. Browning, who was the first captain of Co. K, gave bits of history concerning the organization. He said that when the members reached that point where they knew as much as their captain he resigned and Captain Martin was wisely chosen to succeed him.

James E. Martine expressed the hope that Co. K would soon have a home of its own. In speaking of military affairs, he remarked that he was not a military man, but he always had a natural pride in the National Guard and believed that it should be maintained on the most efficient plane. He referred to the Perkins bill, recently introduced, which would mean an increased revenue of more than $3,000,000 from corporation and another bill which proposes a plan for the distribution of this revenue. He thought that some of this money might well be spent to erect armories in the State.

In conclusion Mr. Martine paid a glowing tribute to "this great and glorious country," adding that all as American citizens must help to lift the burden of the down-trodden and uphold the flag of the Nation.

Dr. Charles W. Leonard, an honorary member of the company, who has offered a gold medal for handicap competition among the members, made a few remarks in which he urged that every member unite for the good and welfare of the organization.

The last speaker of the evening was Dr. Glazebrook, of Elizabeth, who has been chaplain of the Second Regiment for many years, and who has seen much service. He is always a favorite with the militia and last night he received a great reception. Dr. Glazebrook spoke especially on the fact that the members of the company had entered upon a great inheritance as soldiers. He then referred briefly upon the wars since the Revolution, showing how the American people have steadily advanced the cause of righteousness. He thought the inheritance of the American soldier was something of which he might justly feel proud. He expressed the opinion that the time had come when America cannot be an idle spectator, in view of the important things happening beyond the seas and he urged that all be ready for future military emergency, and in closing his remarks the speaker said that his message to everyone was that they acquire knowledge and learn obedience.

After Dr. Glazebrook's stirring remarks three rousing cheers were given for the chaplain.

Held a Box Social.

The women of the Grove Street Rescue Mission conducted a box social in the First Church of Christ last night. The various parcels brought by the attendants were auctioned off by Rev. Phil A. Parsons, and a neat sum was realized. Refreshments were served afterward and a short programme was given, consisting of solos by Mrs. Sadie Baglin, Mrs. John Manley, Alfred Manley and Miss Lydia Edgar; a duet by the Misses Mamie and Susie Ackerman and selections by the mission orchestra. Tonight the members of the mission will pay a visit to the Elizabethport mission, which celebrates its fourteenth anniversary.

Governor Stokes' Dinner.

Governor Stokes gave another of his delightful legislative dinners in his apartments in the Bloomfield at Trenton to legislators last night. His guests were: Assemblymen Thomas E. Elvins, Theodore B. Gibbs, James Hildreth, Robert Scott, Dr. Joseph Reed, William Mills, John M. Mills, George F. Wright, Peter Tillman, Randolph Perkins, Colonel J. E. Austin, postmaster of Millville, and A. Radcliffe, of Millville.

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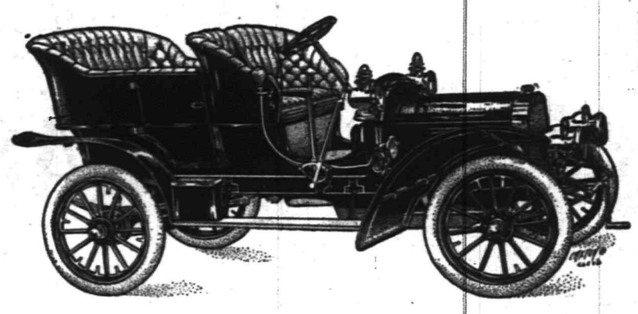

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CITIZENS ORGANIZE

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think the association was. The one purpose of the movement was for investigation. They proposed finding out whether or not conditions were as they seemed. They did not attack the P. S. C. because it was a corporation; that was not the thing at all; they would question any individual or set of men under the same circumstances. They simply wanted to find out the "why" of the things that vexed them.

Mr. Depew was roundly applauded when he finished, and handclapping frequently marked the progress of his talk. At one stage of his address he said the organization was not intended to rest merely with the investigation of the light question, but would, later, broaden its scope to touch on the other problems of the public, and the statement evoked a particularly warm salve.

L. V. F. Randolph was chosen as temporary chairman. In taking the chair, Mr. Randolph spoke briefly in endorsement of all that Mr. Depew had said. He was vigorous in his support of the purpose to widen the field of the association. The one purpose of protecting the public's interests in the lighting matter was enough to merit the hearty co-operation of all the people, but there were other evils from which the public needed protection. The members would miss an opportunity for great public good if they confined themselves to one thing. They should make the protective association, he held, as broad and useful as they could.

Enthusiastic applause greeted Mr. Randolph and marked the close of his speech. The permanent officers and the committee were chosen with machine-like rapidity, and Mr. Depew and Secretary White took their places to the cheering rat-tat-tat-tat of friendly hands.

Former Councilman J. M. Whiton opened the general discussion with a whole-souled philippic against the whole P. S. C. service. He recalled to the members the fact that the P. S. C. was furnishing gas as well as electricity. It was a very poor sort of gas, he said. Experts had told him that the gas was not sufficiently enriched; and it was so poor it compelled the consumer to burn a lot of it to get a very ordinary degree of illumination. When he was in the Council, and chairman of the committee on lights and trees, he had noted a law setting a certain standard for the gas, and providing for a test burner showing exactly the sort of product furnished. He didn't know whether such a law was still in force, but it was to be borne in mind that the gas service should be investigated as searchingly as the electric lighting. Gas users were being defrauded as much as, if not more than those who used electricity. Applause greeted the statement.

Mr. Whiton told of a highly unsatisfactory visit to the P. S. C. office in search of satisfaction, after trouble over the gas that, as he said, had blackened his ceiling, filled his burners and given insufficient light. His complaint, he said, had been treated very cavalierly. He was given to understand that the company considered his complaint an unwarranted intrusion on its private affairs.

Mr. Whiton advocated the reduction of the membership fee according to a scale that would draw into the association every man in sympathy with its object. The fee of $10, which has been collected from those on the list so far, he said was too high for a great number of men whose sympathy and assistance he wanted in the fight.

President Depew explained that he put the membership fee at $10 because action was demanded quickly, and a $2,000 fund for expenses was desired just as rapidly as it could be amassed. He judged it easier to get together 200 men at $10 apiece than 2,000 at $1 apiece. Now that the hurry of preliminary organization was over, some plan to popularize the organization thoroughly would be arranged.

The question of the P. S. C.'s powers and privileges under its franchise was raised. Councilmen Hibbard and Tyler were asked for information, but neither one was familiar with the grant under which the corporation acted. Mr. Tyler, however, assured the members that the franchise gave them many more powers than the general public had any idea of. Speaking of the length of time the various franchises granted by the city had yet to run, Mr. Tyler introduced the name of the Water Company.

"By the way," he said quietly, "there is another field for investigation when we get to broadening," and the gathering broke into a sudden storm of handclapping.

Mr. Depew deprecated too hasty a distribution of energy. As he had said, the association was not intended to stop at electrical and gas lighting, but they were the matters of greatest interest at this stage. Other things would certainly be taken up, but at this time he believed it to be wise to bend all energies on the one thing under discussion. Vigorous handclapping.

In closing the meeting, Mr. Depew announced that competent experts in the gas and electrical fieldls would be employed to advise the organization, and that when everything was in readness for the presentation of the consumer's side, the executive committee would meet in conference with the officials of the P. S. C. P. S. C. representatives had already seen him, he said, and assured him that the corporation was willing and desirous to talk over the grievances of the consumers whenever the P. P. A. saw fit to meet with its officials. One of the members of the executive committee, Dr. Leonard Waldo, will be of great assistance in holding the association to the right path in handling the meter and service questions. He is an electrical expert and his partner in business has just passed through much the same fight as faces the P. P. A. Dr. Waldo's name was added to the committee at thespecial suggestion of Councilman Tyler.

A constitution for the association will be prepared by a committee of five composed of L. V. F. Randolph, H. L. Hall, H. D. Hibbard, C. J. Fisk and F. E. Kinsman. They will draft provisions for bringing the people who haven't $10 to spend on a membership fee into the organization.

Supt. Campbell, head of the P. S. C. distribution department, and W. C. Causebrook, head of the department that makes out the bills, were at the meeting. So were two of their clerks. None of them spoke. They must have been recognized by a number of the members, but nobody hinted that they were within a hundred miles.

A reporter asked Mr. Campbell what he thought of the meeting.

"It was all right," he said with a lifelike imitation of heartiness. "That's the thing for people with a grievance to do—get together and talk it over."

Mr. Campbell said he hadn't come to the meeting to speak. If anybody had asked a question he would have answered it—if it had been a question he could answer. Of course, there were things he was not in a position to speak on with authority. He was not entrusted with the duty of speaking for the corporation powers.

Several more signers were brought into the fold after the meeting. The membership of the association now totals somewhere around 40, and signs of a healthy and rapid growth are plenty.

LENT BEGINS TOMORROW

(Continued from page 1.)

Thursdays, with low celebration; penetential office and Lenten preachers Fridays at 4 o'clock in the afternoon; evensong and devotional reading and a children's service at 4 o'clock in the afternoon on Saturdays.

These services will be held during Holy Week:

Monday and Tuesday, 4 p. m. evensong; Wednesday, 4 p. m., Holy Eucharist and evensong; Maundy Thursday, 10 a. m. and 8 p. m., Holy Eucharist, evensong and special preacher; Good Friday, 10 a. m., 12:30 and 8 p. m., service of the Pro-Anaphora-Passion service, evensong and special preacher; Easter even, 4 p. m., first service for Easter; Easter Day, 7:30, 10:30, 11 a. m. and 4 p. m., low celebration, matins, high celebration and sermon, evensong and children's festival.

The special Lenten preachers will be as follows:

March 1, Rev. Jere Knode Cooke, St. George's church, Hempstead, L. I.; March 7, Rev. Dr. Fenton, St. Luke's church, Metuchen; March 15, Rev. S. P. Simpson, St. Clement's church, New York City; March 22, Rev. Henry B. Bryan, canon of the Cathedral of the Incarnation, Garden City, L. I.; March 29, Rev. Arthur S. Phelps, St. Paul's church, Bound Brook; April 5, Rev. Dr. Sleeper, Grace church, Elizabeth; April 12, Rev. William R. Mulford, All Saints' church, Scotch Plains.

At the vesper evensong special devotional music will be rendered each Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, under the direction of Charles Suhr, organist, and the choir.

The special preachers for Lent at Grace church will be as follows: February 28, Rev. Carl E. Smith; March 7, Rev. Dr. Herbert Symonds; March 14, Rev. Floyd Appleton; March 21, Rev. Dr. Charles L. Cooder; March 28, Rev. J. R. Atkinson; April 4, Rev. Hamilton Schuyler.

Mrs. Rudolph Kampf, of West Second street, has been called to Southampton, L. I., by the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Weightman, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. Weightman's mother, Mrs. Rowland Cox, of West Seventh street.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The weekly prayer meeting at the Baptist church will be held this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Thorne spent Sunday with friends in Somerville.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

Salaries for Judges.

Senator Frelinghuysen, of Somerset county, has introduced a bill fixing the annual salary of common pleas judges as follows: $7,500 in counties of over 200,000 inhabitants; $6,500 in counties of over 150,000; $5,000 in counties of over 100,000; $4,000 in counties of over 70,000; $3,000 in counties of over 35,000; $1,800 in counties of over 20,000; and $1,200 in smaller counties, these salaries to be in lieu of all fees.

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FIVE carpenters wanted. Apply M. D. O'Keefe, 679 West Fourth St. 2 24 3

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WANTED—Cook and laundress; also chambermaid and waitress, with references. Apply 7 Rockview terrace. 2 24 3

WANTED—A young woman for waitress and chambermaid (white). Apply 508 Central Ave. 2 27 6

WANTED—An honest and respectable young lady to work in store; with references. Inquire 133 East Front street.

WANTED—Seamstress by the day. Please write or call at 1405 Evergreen avenue.

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WANTED—Girl for general housework; references required. Apply 812 Park avenue.

WANTED—Two colored girls, one as nurse and chambermaid and the other as waitress and chambermaid; with references. 723 Central Ave. 2 26 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 30 Fairview Ave. 2 27 2

APPRENTICES and improvers wanted at 520 West Front St. 27 3

WANTED—Woman for general housework. Mrs. Rapalje, 724 Carlton avenue. 2 27 3

WANTED—Colored cook to do course washing and ironing. 723 Central avenue.

WANTED — Carpenters. Apply Charles Stimpson, 203 West Sixth street.

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Popular books for music lovers, part 2. Part 1 appeared in last week's issue.

Musical Biographies.

Bull, Mrs. S. C. T.—Ole Bull: a memoir, with his "violin notes."

Edwards, H. S.—The prima donna: her history and surroundings from the 17th to the 19th century.

"A series of gossipy sketches more entertaining than critical." H. E. Krehbiel.

Elson, Arthur.—Modern composers of Europe: an account of the most recent musical progress in the various European nations, with some notes on their history, and critical and biographical sketches of the contemporary musical leaders in each country.

Finck, H. T.—Wagner and his works: the story of his life, with critical comments.

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Fuller-Maitland, J. A.—Masters of German music.

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Huhrker, James.—Chopin, the man and his music.

Lampadius, W. A.—Life of Felix Bartholdy-Mendelssohn.

"The best; and one of the most charming musical biographies." Boston public library bulletin.

Lawrence, Arthur.—Sir Arthur Sullivan: life, story, letters and reminiscences, with list of operatic and dramatic works.

Liszt, Franz.—Letters.

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Senator Colby has prepared an analysis that the total revenue under the Perkins bill will amount to within $600 of the revenue under the Martin or Arrowsmith bills, being $4,998,291.87 under the former and $4,998,897.87 under the latter, making a gross increase over the existing law of $3,134,102.66, being the difference between the present one-half of one per cent. and the average rate.

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Mr. Lloyd, in referring to the bill, said it was most unjust and imposed a burden on railroad property out of all proportion to that assessed against other classes of property.

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Miss Annesley shrugged and patted Pirate on the nose and offered him a lump of sugar. The thirst for freedom and a wild run down the wind lurked in Pirate's far-off gazing eyes, and he ignored the sign of conciliation which his mistress made him.

"I am not afraid of him. Besides, Dick can outrun and outjump him."

This did not reassure Warburton, nor did he know what this comparison meant, being an ordinary mortal.

"With all respect to you, Miss Annesley, I am sorry that you are determined to ride him. He is most emphatically not a lady's horse, and you have never ridden him. Your skirts will irritate him, and if he sees your crop, he'll bolt."

She did not reply, but merely signified her desire to mount. No sooner was she up, however, than she secretly regretted her caprice; but not for a hundred worlds would she have permitted this groom to know. But Pirate, with that rare instinct of the horse, knew that his mistress was not sure of him. He showed the whites of his eyes and began pawing the gravel. The girl glanced covertly at her groom and found no color in his cheeks. Two small muscular lumps appeared at the corners of her jaws. She would ride Pirate, and nothing should stop her; nothing, nothing. Womanlike, knowing herself to be in the wrong, she was furious.

And Pirate surprised them both. During the first mile he behaved himself in the most gentlemanly fashion; and if he shied once or twice, waltzed a little, it was only because he was full of life and spirit. They trotted, they cantered, ran and walked. Warburton, hitherto holding himself in readiness for whatever might happen, relaxed the tension of his muscles, and his shoulders sank relievedly. Perhaps, after all, his alarm had been needless. The trouble with Pirate might be the infrequency with which he had been saddled and ridden. But he knew that the girl would not soon forget his interference. There would be more humiliations, more bitter pills for him to swallow. It pleased him, however, to note the ease with which Dick kept pace with Pirate.

As for the most beautiful person in all the great world, I am afraid that she was beginning to feel self-important. Now that her confidence was fully restored, she never once spoke to or looked at her groom. Occasionally from the corner of her eye she could see the white patch on Dick's nose.

"James," she said maliciously and suddenly, "go back five yards. I wish to ride alone."

Warburton, his face burning, fell back. And thus she made her first mistake. The second and final mistake came immediately after. She touched Pirate with her heel, and he broke from a trot into a lively gallop. Dick, without a touch of the boot, kept his distance to a foot. Pirate, no longer seeing Dick at his side, concluded that he had left his rival behind; and the suppressed mischief in his black head began to find an outlet. Steadily he arched his neck; steadily but surely he drew down on the reins. The girl felt the effort and tried to frustrate it. In backing her pull with her right hand, the end of her crop flashed down the side of Pirate's head—the finishing touch. There was a wild leap, a blur of dust, and Mr. Pirate, well named after his freebooting sires, his head down where he wanted it, his feet rolling like a snare-drum, Mr. Pirate ran away, headed for heaven only knows where.

For a brief moment Warburton lost his nerve; he was struck with horror. If she could not hold her seat, she would be killed or dreadfully hurt, and perhaps disfigured. It seemed rather strange, as he recalled it, that Dick, instead of himself, should have taken the initiative. The noble sorrel, formerly a cavalry horse, shot forward magnificently. Doubtless his horse-sense took in the situation, or else he did not like the thought of yonder proud, supercilious show-horse beating him in a running race. So, a very fast mile was put to the rear.

The girl, appreciating her peril, did as all good horsewomen would have done; locked her knee on the horn and held on. The rush of wind tore the pins from her hair which, like a golden plume, stretched out behind her. (Have you ever read any thing like this before? I dare say. But to Warburton and the girl, it never occurred that other persons had gone through like episodes. It was real, and actual, and single, and tragic to them.)

The distance between the two horses began slowly to lessen, and Warburton understood, in a nebulous way, what the girl had meant when she said that Dick could outrun Pirate. If Pirate kept to the road, Dick would bring him down; but if Pirate took it into his head to vault a fence! Warburton shuddered. Faster, faster, over this roll of earth, clattering across this bridge, around this curve and that angle. Once the sight of a team drawing a huge grain-wagon sent a shiver to Warburton's heart. But they thundered past with a foot to spare. The old negro on the seat stared after them, his ebony face drawn with wonder and the whites of his eyes showing. Foot by foot, yard by yard, the space lessened, till Dick's nose was within three feet of Pirate's flowing tail. Warburton fairly lifted Dick along with his knees. I only wish I could describe the race as my jehu told it to me. The description held me by the throat. I could see the flashing by of trees and houses and fields; the scampering of piccaninnies across the road; the horses from the meadows dashing up to the fences and whinnying; the fine stone and dust which Pirate's rattling heels threw into my jehu's face and eyes; the old pain throbbing anew in his leg. And when he finally drew alongside the black brute and saw the white, set face of the girl he loved, I can imagine no greater moment but one in his life. There was no fear on her face, but there was appeal in her eyes as she half turned her head. He leaned across the intervening space and slid his arm around her waist. The two horses came together and twisted his leg cruelly. His jaws snapped.

"Let the stirrup go!" he cried. "Let go, quick!" She heard him. "Your knee from the horn! I can't keep them together any longer. Now!"

Brave and plucky and cool she was. She obeyed him instantly. There was a mighty heave, a terrible straining of the back and the knees, and Pirate was freed of his precious burden. The hardest part of it came now. Dick could not be made to slow down abruptly. He wanted to keep right on after his rival. So, between holding the girl with his right arm and pulling the horse with his left, Warburton saw that he could keep up this terrible effort but a very short time. Her arms were convulsively wound around his neck, and this added to the strain. Not a word did she say; her eyes were closed, as if she expected any moment to be dashed to the earth.

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For Newark—5.36, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.48, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.24, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.33, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 3.17, 3.30, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.33, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.32, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Flemington—7.12, 11.00 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.19 p. m. Sundays—8.42 a. m., 5.37 p. m.

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For Trenton—5.17, 7.44, 8.50, 9.46, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.46, 3.42, 6.45, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.71 night. Sunday—5.17, 9.53, 10.39, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 3.42, 4.55, 6.45, 9.46, 11.25 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Reading and Harrisburg—5.17, 5.25, 8.38, 9.54, (10.44, 11.44 Reading only), a. m., 2.11, (5.48, through train), 1.17 night. Sundays—5.17 a. m., 2.08, 5.37, 6.35 p. m., 1.17 night.

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"Today this association, in common with all other historic-patriotic organizations, and, in fact, with all citizens of the United States, is most laudably engaged in the celebration of the anniversary of the birth of George Washington.

"Moved by a common impulse, we stop awhile, that we may contemplate the character of the one man whose service, rendered for the cause of human liberty, is known in every land and is praised in every tongue.

"Like Lincoln, Washington hated sham and despised pretense, and instinctively knew that whether in councils of state or by the humblest hearthstone the perpetuation of the best in human society depended upon personal honesty of thought and deed.

"It is a mistaken idea, and one that has been the means of misleading the uninquiring, to throw upon the story of the American Revolution, the period of the Confederation and the early days of the Federal Constitution, a light that is all too golden.

"We are prone to compare the past with the present, and, amid the current evils of modern social organization, to think that we have vastly degenerated from a past estate.

"That the spirit of what we call 'graft' existed in Colonial administration is fully proved by an examination of the Declaration of Independence, where charges, serious and well founded, are made against crown officers.

"Scarcely had the Revolution commenced before corruption crept into the Continental Congress, that unfortunate, ill-assorted and often fugitive body of men whose best endeavors were usually abortive, and whose worst motives became the shame or the laughing stock of the American people.

"Upon the 8th day of May, 1779, the commander in chief, disgusted with the failure of frequent applications to an indifferent Congress, wrote to Gouverneur Morris that there has been an 'extinction of public spirit,' and in a letter addressed to a friend, a few days thereafter, says that the hour has come 'when party disputes and dissensions should subside, and when every man, especially those in office, should with heart and hand pull the same way.'

"There is something familiar in those words, but how like a charge against some defiant 'trust' is his language used in a communication to James Warren, written at Middlebrook, upon the last day of March, 1779: 'Speculation, peculation, engrossing, forestalling, with all their concomitants, afford too many melancholy proofs of the decay of public virtue!'

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"To those who see the train of evils that have come with false or non-registration, vote buying and ballot-box stuffing, there is inspiration in Washington's words. To those who find in improper 'boss' rule, whether exercised in municipalities, in States or in the nation, a hopeless condition, there is the assurance that the exercise of a civic conscience will bring honest men to their own.

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"But whatever may be the cause, direct or indirect, as to the decay of civic honesty, the return to morality as a 'spring of popular government' must precede all efforts to effect a permanent reform.

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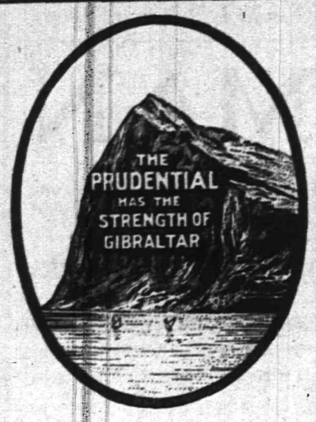

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Elizabeth took the first game by a score of 913 and 830 and the second by a score of 893 to 832, while the Parks captured the third by the score of 836 to 798. The scores:

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GEO. WHARTON EDWARDS ANSWERS AMELIA BARR

JUSTIFIES USE OF HENDRIJK AS HUDSON'S CHRISTIAN NAME.

In this morning's New York Times George Wharton Edwards, of this city, an artist of international note, gives his reasons for inscribing on his mural painting at West Point Hendrijk, instead of Henry, Hudson. Mr. Edwards says:

"Referring to the letter from Mrs. Amelia E. Barr in The Times of Feb. 21, protesting against the Dutch form of spelling the name Hendrijk Hudson, it would seem as if I were called upon to justify my use of it on my mural painting, now in place in the library of the West Point army mess at West Point.

"My authority was obtained from the historians who are uniformly agreed that Hudson, who was certainly English born, endeavored for years to obtain from the English Crown such recognition as would enable him to carry out his plan for the discovery and establishment of an interocean passage. Meeting the scantiest encouragement and wearied with the struggle for recognition, he turned his back in disgust upon his native land and found in "tight little Holland" not only eager listeners, but the most ample pecuniary patronage from the Dutch, who welcomed him with open arms and purses, furnished him with a stanch, small two-masted ship, a crew of ten Hollanders and a small cabin boy, as well as an ample store of sail cloth, provisions for the voyage and stores for trading purposes.

"He then, in true gratitude, adopted the name of Hendrijk (see 'Purchas's Pilgrimage,' volume IV.), and swore allegiance to the Dutch, sailing finally from London in September, 1607. (Reports published in Amsterdam 1609.) On this voyage he proceeded beyond the eightieth altitude, and failing in his quest, returned, but in the early spring of 1609 again undertook the task, this time under the direct orders of the Dutch East India Company. He finally reached the American continent in latitude 44 degrees north, and thence proceeding in a southerly direction, discovered the noble river named in his honor. This he ascended in a small pinnace for fifty leagues.

"An account of his voyage may be found in 'Purchas's Pilgrimage' as referred to above. In all his reports to the Dutch East India Company he signs his name thus, 'Hendrijk' Hudson, and certain bitter complaints as to his treatment at the hands of his countrymen are chronicled in these reports, showing conclusively, one would think, that he no longer regarded himself as an Englishman.

"GEORGE WHARTON EDWARDS.

APPEAL RUSHMORE CASE.

Last of Accident Suit that Caused Much Talk Not in Sight.

The application of Samuel W. Rushmore for a new trial in the suit brought against him by William Addis, Jr., was decided yesterday, as told exclusively in The Daily Press, by the refusal of the Supreme Court to grant the petition. Craig A. Marsh, counsel for Rushmore, immediately took an appeal to the Court of Errors.

In May, 1904, Mr. Rushmore's automobile ran down Mr. Addis, who was riding a bicycle. A suit for damages was instituted by Mr. Addis, and in October following, before Judge Fort and a jury, the complainant was given a verdict of $500 and costs. C. A. Marsh, counsel for Mr. Rushmore, appealed the case, asking the Supreme Court for a rule to show cause why a new trial should not be granted. The case was argued in November last, and yesterday a decision was handed down sustaining Judge Fort. Reed & Coddington represent Mr. Addis.

BOROUGH SCHOOL BUDGET

Altogether $33,617 Will be Needed For Maintenance During Coming Year.

PART FROM THE STATE

North Plainfield Citizens Will Be Asked to Vote $19,135 At Annual School Meeting.

According to a preliminary estimate submitted by the finance committee at the regular meeting of the borough Board of Education last night, $31,635 will be required for the maintenance of the schools during the coming year. This is exclusive of the manual training expense, which will aggregate an additional $1,982.50. Anticipating $12,500 from the State, as was received last year, the citizens will probably be asked to vote for $19,135 at the school election next month. The amount appropriated last year was $17,800.

The sums needed for various purposes and which may undergo cutting later on are as follows: Teachers, $24,500; manual training, $2,500; janitors, $1,700; clerk, 200; repairs, $600; furniture, $500; fuel, $1,250; interest and insurance, $200; books and supplies, $1,900; incidentals, $900. The largest single increase is in the teachers' account, which is $1,500 more than last year. This was explained as being due to the fact that three new teachers are to be added. The item of $600 for repairs will probably stand, but there is a possibility that at the election a special figure of about $1,450 will be specified for this purpose. The Somerset street building is in need of painting and the cost is estimated by Dr. Cooley at $1,100. The interior of the Watchung building also needs overhauling and this will bring the figure $350 higher.

As stated at the beginning, these sums are still purely tentative, as the different items are submitted by committees and are to be gone over by the entire board before being totalled for popular vote. The board had anticipated a much larger increase because of the new building, but by practicing economy the rise was not so great.

In the regular order of business the board received a communication from Henry Hansen, admitting his inability to finish his carpentering contract at the recently opened structure and giving his consent for the building committee to have it done and the expense deducted from the money due him. Claims have been filed against the sum held by the board by local lumber and hardware dealers and Counsellor Isaac P. Runyon appeared at the meeting to represent them. An agreement had been prepared by attorneys to be signed by Hansen and President Joy, acknowledging the board's right to complete the work and make whatever deductions were necessary, and on motion a resolution was passed to have warrants drawn and the money paid to parties designated by Counsellor Charles A. Reed.

A warrant for $573.85 was ordered drawn for Architect A. L. C. Marsh as final payment for services in connection with the building of the new school. E. A. Lowe was appointed a member of the auditing committee to succeed Mr. Needham, and it was decided to hold a special meeting on March 26 for reorganization.

PIRATES OF PENZANCE AT THE THEATRE TONIGHT.

Charity Performance Will Be a High Class Affair.

Lovers of comic opera will attend the performance of "The Pirates of Penzance," to be given at the New Plainfield theatre, tonight, by local talent under the direction of William Holmes. Not only is a fine production assured, but the object for which it is given, The Day Nursery, is considered to be entitled to the hearty support of everyone. This nursery was recently started by the City Union, King's Daughters, and is meeting with gratifying success.

Tonight's performance will be given by a chorus of 100 well-trained voices, and an orchestra of sixteen pieces will assist in the rendition. The entire company will be costumed. Special scenery will be used.

Century Club to Dance.

The Century Club will hold its annual dance in the Empire Academy tonight. Suhr's orchestra of six pieces will furnish the music.

DUNELLENITES THRESH HIGH SCHOOL QUESTION

BOARD OF EDUCATION HOLDS AN EXPLANATION MEETING.

To clear the minds of the voters and taxpayers of misunderstanding regarding the situation, the Dunellen School Board held an informal public meeting last night, at which the necessity for furnishing a complete four-year high school course, under the law, was explained by County Superintendent Willis, of New Brunswick.

Mr. Willis went over the situation with regard to the law on the subject as the representative of the State board and as one speaking with authority. He made it plain that the board had no option in the matter but to furnish a high school course, and a high school course of a certain standard.

President Wilson Frederick, of the board, spoke on the problem as it presented itself to the school outhorities. They were under oath to furnish the high school course, he said, and could do nothing but obey, whether by furnishing a four-year course at home or in a school out of town. It was felt by the board that the best course would be an arrangement for tuition out of town, with transportation and tuition expenses paid, for a full four-year term.

That view seemed to meet with general approval as the discussion progressed. Only three citizens spoke against the plan in its entirety, and but one of the nine board members opposed it. Revs. S. K. Doolittle and W. W. Casselberry, J. Y. Wilson and L. Schenider, of the board, argued in favor of continuing the present two-years of high school work in Dunellen, furnishing but two years at a higher graded school. District Clerk T. W. Day and M. R. Dayton, a board member, spoke for the board.

The school board has already applied for accommodations for its high school pupils to the city authorities. No reply has yet been received, but it is understood that the arrangement will be entered into.

In the course of his speech last night, President Frederick said that what Dunellen needed was not a high school, but a first class grammar school—a school that would prepare its pupils for the entrance examinations of any seminary school.

ROYAL ARCANUM HOLDS PUBLIC SESSION AT Y. M. C. A.

A. F. Howell and William Burke Furnish Entertainment.

Under the auspices of a committee from the State Council, Royal Arcanum, a public meeting and entertainment was held at the Y. M. C. A. last night, chiefly for the purpose of arousing greater interest and enthusiasm in the order. The attendance was not large, there being about 100 members and friends of the order present. The grand regent of the Royal Arcanum presided and explained the changes made in the rates during the past few months. In his opinion, the order is now on a better financial basis then ever and he predicted great growth in membership in the future.

A. F. Howell, of Boston, a member of the order, entertained the audience with the recitation of "The Horse Trade," from the story of "David Harum," after which he augmented the remarks of the grand regent in urging the members to stand by the organization and help increase its membership, believing that brighter and more prosperous days are coming. The entertainment was concluded with harmonica selections by William Burke, of New York.

Equal Suffrage League Meeting.

At a meeting of the Plainfield and North Plainfield Equal Suffrage League, held at the home of Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, of Watchung avenue, yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Champlain L. Riley read an interesting letter from Australia telling of the benefits derived there from the ballot. During the session of the political study class Mrs. Thompson read an able paper on "The Laws of New Jersey Relating to Married Women," prepared by David P. Hall. Mrs. Miller presided in the absence of Mrs. Hall and two new members were admitted to the league.

Boys' Club Organized.

The Holy Cross church Boys' Club was organized in the parish house, last night, and these officers were elected: President, R. Conroy; secretary, Ira Vail; treasurer, W. Taylor. The club will meet once a week, the objects being religious and social.

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SCOTCH PLAINS CRUSADE

'Tis Said That a Law and Order League is to Be Organized.

SUNDAY VIOLATIONS

Effort to be Made to Put a Stop to Selling Liquor on Sabbath Day —To Get Aid from Elizabeth.

A well known resident of Scotch Plains said yesterday that the respectable citizens of that community are about to take concerted action and organize a Law and Order League for the purpose of putting a stop to Sunday liquor selling as well as the other disgraceful results from the practice. He said that the manner n which the law is now openly violated is a blot upon Christianity as well as an eye-sore to all respectable citizens.

In the effort to accomplish this result he hinted that the county authorities would be appealed to. He alleged that vain appeals have been made to members of the Township Committee, who invariably reply, "Get your evidence and take it to Elizabeth."

This same citizen said the township is compelled to pay two police officers for Sunday to preserve order and to protect people from the insulting remarks made by the large number of drunks who infest the community on the Sabbath day. "If there was no liquor sold," he declared, "there would be no need of this item of expense which the taxpayers are obliged to foot, just because the laws are not enforced. These same officers, he said, stand on the corner and know that liquor is being sold. They see men going in sober and come out drunk, yet they do not seem to do anything to enforce the law.

It has been suggested that the proposed organization station men in front of the saloons and secure the names of the persons who frequent them and furnish the list to the Grand Jury. The court's recent attitude on the illegal sale of liquor, he said, was plainly shown in the Goff case last week, and there is no doubt that similar justice would be dealt out to township offenders.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—All bills against the city must be in the hands of the city clerk by Thursday, March 1, to insure payment at the next regular meeting of the Common Council.

—Neuman Brothers are quoting the following butter prices: Rockdale print, 34 cents; Rockdale creamery, 33 cents; Elgin creamery, 27 cents. These grades are the best in the market.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The vested choir of the First M. E. church will give Dudley Buck's cantata, "The Triumph of David," and Gounod's "Gallia," in the Presbyterian church, Westfield, on Thursday night.

INTENDED TO KILL HIS WIFE.

Stranger Makes Dramatic Declaration at a Meeting.

New Brunswick, Feb. 27.—"I thank God I came to this meeting tonight. I was on my way to Jersey City to kill my wife, and would certainly have done so if God had not brought me here."

This was the dramatic declaration made by a well-dressed man in the Salvation meeting in the People's Mission Sunday night. He asked for prayers, and before Captain Hughes had finished an appeal for help for him the man was in tears. He remained after the meeting and spent the night with the Salvation Army, going on to Jersey City yesterday morning.

Captain Hughes declares he has no reason to doubt the man's sincerity. He said the man came from Trenton. His wife had deserted him, taking their child, and had located her in Jersey City. He had come here by trolley, missed his car and drifted by chance into the army meeting. Captain Hughes refused to give the man's name.

Iona Council, No. 14, D. of P., will hold its annual entertainment and dance in Coward's Hall Wednesday night, March 7.

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Sun Rises 6:36 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:51 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:51 p. m.

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THE WEATHER
Fair, continued cold tonight; Thursday, fair, warmer.
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JOHN BROWN BADLY HURT

Sustains Broken Shoulder Blade and Other Injuries in Fall Through Trap Door.

PASSED A BAD NIGHT

Severe Contusions Prevent a Complete Examination—Dr. Endicott In Attendance.

From an accident that befell him in J. J. Heideloff's plumbing shop on Somerset street yesterday, John B. Brown, one of Plainfield's oldest and best known citizens, is confined to his home on Park avenue with severe injuries. He has a broken shoulder blade and his body is a mass of severe contusions that prevent an examination to learn if he has been hurt internally. He passed a very bad night and his condition has not materially improved today.

Mr. Brown has been enjoying unusually good health of late and despite his eighty-three years has been out a great deal. While walking about yesterday he went into Mr. Heideloff's place on a business matter and started to go to the rear of the shop, as had been his custom. Coming from the light into the semi-darkness, he failed to notice an open trap door in the floor. Some men had been excavating beneath and had temporarily left it unguarded, and no one saw him in time to warn him.

He fell directly into the opening and landed heavily about six feet below. Had he fallen just a trifle in another direction he would have taken a drop nearly twice the distance. When employes of the place rushed to his assistance they found him helpless and suffering great pain. He was gotten out of the excavation with much difficulty and was then taken to his home in a carriage.

The nature of his hurts makes it impossible for hi mto lie down, and he is compelled to remain in a chair. Medical attention was furnished by Dr. Endicott, and though he has made the patient as comfortable as possible, he is still in doubt as to the outcome of the injuries. Because of his advanced age the broken shoulder blade may not mend for many months.

It is a coincidence that the shop where Mr. Brown was hurt is the same place where he conducted a carriage business for a great many years.

P. S. C. IS NEGLECTED.

Freeholders to Go Ahead With Structure.

The Freeholders' joint bridge committee of Essex and Hudson counties have ordered their engineers to proceed with the plans for the construction of a new bridge across the Passaic River. The Public Service Corporation at present runs a line of cars over the old structure, and recently refused to pay $6,000 a year for the privilege to use the new bridge.

Thomas N. McCarter, president of the Public Service Corporation, sent word that his company would not pay more than $4,000, the present price. In authorizing its engineers, the joint committee decided to build the new structure without any provisions for trolley cars, and this means a big loss to the Public Service.

Strengthening Case.

On a motion made by F. J. Blatz, counsel for the plaintiff, the action for $200 damages brought by Nathan Sachs against F. T. Bulkley, the Westfield automobilist whose machine smashed his buggy on West Front street recently, was discontinued by Justice Hand this morning. The move was made by the plaintiff to strengthen the case technically.

Death of Frederic A. Smith.

Frederic A. Smith, father of J. Augustus and F. E. Smith, of this city, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Logreen, of South Bound Brook. He was sixty-nine years old and was well known in this section. The funeral will be held from his late home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

D. of L. Surprise Party.

Old Glory Council gave a surprise party to Fred Soper, 1414 East Front street, last night. About forty guests enjoyed the round of music, games and refreshments that marked the evening. George Watts arranged it.

Sergeant Peterson Injured.

While descending a pair of stairs at Truell Inn, Monday night, Sergeant Charles Peterson slipped and fell, spraining his ankle. The injury was such that he was obliged to return home in a carriage.

Engagement Announced.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Frank Brown, of this city, and Miss M. E. Everett, of Worcester, Mass.

—The newly organized brass band will meet at the Y. M. C. A. Friday night.

FREEDOM CASTLE NOW IN ITS SIXTH YEAR

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED BY SOCIAL AND ENTERTAINMENT.

In celebration of the fifth anniversary of its organization, Freedom Castle, No. 42, Knights of the Golden Eagle, entertained a large gathering of friends in the Castle Hall, Babcock building, last night. The programme was made up of professional and amateur numbers and was greatly enjoyed by the gathering.

Past Grand Chief Dr. J. H. Buchanan was in charge and at the conclusion of a selection from an orchestra of eight pieces, made an address of welcome. It was in his characteristic vein and placed the audience in a pleasant frame of mind for what was to follow. The succeeding numbers were baritone solos by Carl Haynes; impersonations and stories by C. E. Hayten; piano duet, Dr. Buchanan and Vincent F. Sokol; address, A. L. Lyttle, of Pennsylvania, supreme master of records; feats of magic, W. H. Rankin. At the close, the orchestra rendered selections and a short time was spent in a social way.

The committee which had the affair in charge comprised Fred Treuman, chairman; Dr. Buchanan, William Trembath, George Ayers, John Gaub and C. H. Lowerie.

DURLACH SHACKS ARE TO COME DOWN

ESTATE TO COMPLY WITH BOARD OF HEALTH'S WISHES.

Henry I. Durlach, executor for the Durlach estate, appeared at a hearing of the Board of Health yesterday afternoon to answer a complaint regarding the unfit and unsanitary condition of the property Nos. 336 to 44 Watchung avenue, near Front street, and voluntarily consented to remove the shacks. Health Officer Leon R. Thurlow made the complaint, and the board took action at once. After the authorities explained the situation to him, Mr. Durlach promised that the undesirable dwellings would be torn down by May 1.

Mr. Durlach agreed that the dwellings complained of are not only an eye-sore to the neighborhood, but from a sanitary standpoint are unfit for habitation.

It is reported that the Durlach estate will improve the property by the erection of modern buildings. That was said to have been the intention of the estate some time ago, but the plans were abandoned. Subsequently there was some talk of the city purchasing the property as a site for a city hall, but nothing came of it.

The board now proposes to take up other similar complaints in the west end of the city, where the health officer has found dwellings to be unsanitary.

OPERA CLUB THE NEWEST THING HERE

AMATEUR VOCALISTS ONLY TO COMPOSE THE ORGANIZATION.

The success which attended the production of "The Pirates of Penzance," at the New Plainfield theatre last night, has increased the interest and enthusiasm in the formation of a permanent operatic organization here. The suggestion was made at a recent rehearsal for the "Pirates" by Judge W. N. Runyon. The idea was well received and since then signatures have been secured which will make the proposition a certainty. One object will be to give three operas each year.

Lively interest is manifested in the organization by Charles J. Fisk, and it is more than likely that he will be chosen president. William Holmes will be manager. Mr. Holmes has had unusual success in giving these amateur productions and especially in the one of last night, when he had a chorus of 100 voices.

March Meeting of Common Council.

The March meeting of the Common Council will be held on Monday night, when the usual budget of business will be considered. It is quite likely that an ordinance will be introduced at that time by Councilman Mellick, of the fire committee, abolishing the office of second assistant chief of the fire department. The appointment by Mayor Buckle of John Cose to that position was returned to the fire committee, it being understood that Mr. Buckle would be persuaded to withdraw it and thus allow the Common Council to abolish the office.

L. V. AGAINST BOROUGH

Is Afraid South Plainfield Would Tax It High

HEARING ON MEASURE

Agent of Railroad Spoke Frankly In Opposition to the Separation—Hints at Storage Plant's Removal.

Assemblyman Drake's bill for the creation of South Plainfield borough was vigorously debated by its friends and opponents at a hearing before the legislative committee at Trenton yesterday. The Lehigh Valley Railroad took part in the opposition. The road infers that the South Plainfielders are counting on the coal storage plant to bear the burden of taxation in the proposed borough, and the company is afraid the coal pile will be taxed to the limit.

The two delegations were not matched as to strength in numbers. Fully thirty men were on hand to support the bill and only the Lehigh Valley representatives and five members of the committee appointed at a meeting in New Market, S. D. Drake, C. E. Kelly, Eugene Veghte, L. D. Walker and William Fitz Randolph, were lined up against the measure.

Judge Steel and Judge Theodore D. Booraem, of New Brunswick, counsel for the South Plainfield borough committee, were the principal speakers, and they were supported by vigorous arguments from Archie Steengrafe, Jr., Peter McDonough, Charles Maltby, Rev. J. A. Cubberley, Col. John I. Holly and R. B. Manning. In substance the boroughites based their demand for separation on the ground that South Plainfield was unable to get its share of public improvements under the township government. It was contended that South Plainfield bears the brunt of township taxation and got next to nothing from the Township Committee.

J. T. Schaperkotler, of New York, spoke for the railroad. He argued that if the borough was incorporated his company would pay half the taxes of the municipality, which meant a large increase in its taxes. The road, he said, emphatically, was against the incorporation. He intimated that South Plainfield was leaning on a slender reed when it counted on the coal storage. It was there one day, but it might be gone the next.

S. D. Drake made the main speech for the anti-boroughites. The incorporation was unnecessary, he contended, and did not assure any greater prosperity than a township government. He held up Cranford and Somerville, which are under town government, as examples of places where the simpler form of government was successful. He told the committee that he and other leading citizens of Lincoln had threshed out the borough question a year ago, and became convinced that it was an unwise step. If it was not good for Lincoln, it was not good for South Plainfield. He begged the South Plainfielders to remain content with their present estate for the sake of lower taxes. He had proved himself the friend of South Plainfield by supporting and advising the people of that place in their fight against a $25,000 school in New Market, and he asked them to regard his advice now. He asked the legislative committee to hold off the bill for a year at least, to force the South Plainfielders to back up their threat of exposing an alleged "man higher up" in the township government.

C. E. Kelly also spoke. He denied that South Plainfield had been discriminated against in the matter of public improvements. The separation would take too big a slice of taxes from the township, which, outside of New Market and South Plainfield, is wholly a farming community.

First of Lenten Recitals.

The first of a series of organ recitals will be given at Holy Cross church Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, by the organist, Mr. Lee, assisted by Mr. Loder, baritone. These recitals will be given on Saturday afternoons during Lent. The programme for this week will be as follows: Offertoire, No. 3, Wely; "It is Enough," (Elijah), Mendelssohn; "Andante," Merkel; "The Lord is My Light," Allittson; "Fantasia and Fugue," (C. Minor) Bach; "Processional March," Scotson Clark.

Annual Church Reception.

The women of the First Baptist church are planning to hold the annual church reception on Tuesday evening, March 20, in the lecture room. This will be in the nature of a pastor's reception to which all members of the church and congregation are invited. There will also be an informal programme.

Police Board Will Meet.

The Plainfield Board of Police will meet in the Mayor's office on Friday night to consider several matters of interest to the department.

SOCIETY'S NEXT EVENT

Masquerade Ball to Be Given at the Casino Monday Night, April 16.

PATRONESSES NAMED

Two Orchestras for the Occasion—A Supper at Midnight to Be a Feature.

A society event second only in importance to the charity ball given for the benefit of Muhlenberg Hospital will be a masquerade ball now in course of preparation by society, to be held at the Casino Easter Monday night, April 16. The affair will be the most elaborate of the kind ever held here by society people and will eclipse all previous efforts.

Mrs. John B. Dumont, Mrs. Chapman Fisk, Mrs. Howard Fleming, Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies, Mrs. Orville T. Waring, Mrs. Joseph W. Reinhart and Mrs. Henry McGee are the patronesses, and the general committee in charge comprises Lewis G. Timpson, Dr. F. C. Ard, Thomas R. Van Boskerck and Owen H. Fleming.

It is proposed to carry out the masquerade idea in every particular and the various costumes are expected to be gorgeous. Every country and well known characters will be included in the representations. There will be continuous music by two orchestras.

Special attention will be directed toward the decorations of the auditorium, something novel being promised by the committee. The affair will also include a supper and at midnight the guests will unmask.

ORDER'S OFFICERS TO ATTEND BANQUET

LIST OF SPEAKS FOR THE AFFAIR IS ANNOUNCED.

The committee in charge of the "Junior American banquet" to be held at the Casino tomorrow night, when Governor Edward C. Stokes and Senator Everett Colby will be the principal speakers, met last night to complete the details for the affair. It was reported that acceptances had been received from the State councilor, vice-councilor and other State Council officers, as well as from the scheduled speakers.

There has been a rearrangement of the toasts, although it has been planned not to consume much more time in speechmaking. The banquet is called for 8:30 o'clock sharp. Mayor Newton B. Smalley will be the toastmaster and the toasts will be as follows:

Governor Edward C. Stokes, "Our State;" Everett Colby, "Patriotism;" William L. Saunders, "Plainfield;" Henry H. Drake, Elizabeth, "Our Country;" Assemblyman Everard Tucker, Elizabeth, "Our Flag;" State Council Secretary W. H. Meier, "Our Order."

France-Prussian Vet There.

Town Committeeman Theodore Bruchman, of Fanwood, attended the celebration held at Sulzer Harlem River Park, New York, last night, in honor of the silver wedding anniversary of the Emperor and Empress of Germany. The elaborate affair was given under the auspices of the German-American Kriegerbund. Mr. Bruchman is a German veteran, having been a lieutenant in the First Ulanen Regiment, Calvary, during the Franco-Prussian War. In that conflict he won honorable mention from the Kaiser for heroic services.

Whist Club Entertained.

Miss Lillian A. Force, of Duer street, entertained the whist club of which she is a member, at her home last night, it being the last meeting of the club for the year. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunbar, who substituted for other members, received the two prizes, one for the men and the other for the women. After the play, refreshments were served and the club enjoyed a delightful social hour.

Attended Anniversary Meeting.

A large delegation from the Grove Street Mission attended the fourteenth anniversary of the Elizabethport Mission held in the Second Presbyterian church, Elizabeth, last night. Howard Schleker, as superintendent of this mission, has had remarkable success and the anniversary was the occasion of much rejoicing.

Mrs. Cuthbert Robbed.

Mrs. Rose Cuthbert's house, at 123 East Ninth street, was robbed last week by second story men. Entrance was gained through an open window, while the family were out, at night. A woman's watch and some small pieces of jewelry are on the list of missing articles furnished to the police.

THIEF MADE RICH HAUL

Daring Second Man Works Successfully In Titus House.

BOOTY WORTH $500

Gathered Up Valuables While Family Were at Dinner—Left no Trail For Police to Follow.

While the family were at dinner, thieves robbed the house of H. E. Titus, 900 Madison avenue, last Friday night of valuables worth $500. Pursuant to their usual policy of silence in cases of robbery, the police did not give the case out, and it was only by accident that a Daily Press reporter discovered that one of the most daring and successful bits of second story work ever turned in this city was worrying the officers.

The robbery occurred between 6:30 and 7 o'clock. At the former hour, when the family sat down to dinner, the valuables were in their places. Shortly after 7 o'clock one of the young women of the family went upstairs to the floor on which the bedrooms are. Evidences of the thief's hasty work were in plain view. The top of Mrs. Titus' bureau had been swept clean of everything worth taking away, the haul including watches and jewelry belonging to various members of the family.

No trace of the thief was found in in the house. An open kitchen door gave the clue to his probable mode of entrance. He must have done his work within fifteen minutes.

The police were notified, and they

The police were notified, and they are tracing the man down.

Congressman Howell Through?

It is reported in State political circles that Representative Howell, of the Third Congressional District, will not seek a renomination when his present term expires. This announcement has caused many aspirants for the office to start laying wires already for the nomination. It is said that Robert Prickett, editor and owner of the New Brunswick Daily Press and former chairman of the Middlesex Republican Executive Committee, has his eyes set on the prize. It will be remembered that Prickett was ousted from the county committee three years ago by Theodore Strong and his friends.

F. H. Andrews Speaks at H. S.

F. H. Andrews addressed the pupils at the Plainfield High School, this morning, his remarks being appropriate to the words "Destroy not the ancient landmarks which your fathers have established." He said that in leaving the old school for the new one, he hoped that all that was good would become a part of the new building. He reviewed briefly some of the treasured associations of the old High School building, and said that he was sure they would never be forgotten.

Bridge Whist Party.

Mrs. R. Henry Depew, of Hillside avenue, entertained a company of friends at a bridge whist party, yesterday afternoon, followed by a tea. There were five tables and Mrs. August Kleinecke and Miss Helen Martin, who made the highest scores, received first and second prizes. At the tea Mrs. Edward Wilson poured, assisted by the Misses Helen and Elsie Martin.

Leach Pleaded Non Vult.

Peter Leach, of this city, who was indicted on two charges of petty larceny by the Grand Jury, was arraigned in court at Elizabeth, this morning. He entered a plea of non vult. On one indictment he was fined $10 and sentence was suspended on the other indictment.

Sneak Thief Gets $40.

A sneak thief entered the store of W. W. Warnock a few days ago and appropriated a small bank containing $40. It had been placed on a desk but was in easy reach of people going in and out. There is not the slightest clue to the thief.

Utter to Speak at Red Bank.

Gov. Utter, of Rhode Island, who was a Plainfielder not so very long ago, will be one of the speakers at the dedication of the Red Bank Battle Monument on June 21. He will speak on Rhode Island at Red Bank.

Training S. S. Teachers.

An address on teacher-training was made to the Sunday-school Union by Miss Slattery, of Fitchburg, Mass., one of the teachers at a State Normal School. The meeting was at the Seventh-Day Baptist church.

Boy and $54 Gone.

The police here have been asked to help in the search for the fifteen-year-old son of L. H. Cawley, of Somerville, who disappeared two days ago with $54 given him by his father to deposit in the bank.

COMIC OPERA FOR BENEFIT OF THE DAY NURSERY

Gilbert and Sullivan's "Pirates of Penzance" Presented By Excellent Amateur Cast.

100 IN THE CHORUS

William N. Runyon in the Role of the "Pirate King"—Mrs. F. M. Ward as "Ruth"—Society Attends.

Representatives of society in the city and borough, particularly those who are prominently identified in charity circles, as well as many others, gave their hearty support to a fine production of Gilbert and Sullivan's comic opera, "The Pirates of Penzance," at the New Plainfield theatre last night by local talent for the benefit of the Day Nursery. The performance was a distinct success financially and from the viewpoint of amateur theatricals, for which Plainfield is becoming noted. William Holmes, who coached and managed the entire affair, received flattering praise for his work, while the entire cast and the large chorus came in for a generous share of approval for the efficient manner in which the opera was presented.

The opera was given at the Casino three years ago with great success by a company of fifty. Last night the organization comprised an even hundred, while an orchestra of sixteen pieces assisted largely in making the production the success that it was.

As to the work of the cast, it is difficult to make comparisons. Each one performed his or her part exceedingly well. William N. Runyon made a typical "Richard," the pirate chief. His singing and acting called forth frequent bursts of laughter and applause. He was right at home in the difficult role and interpreted the lines perfectly. From start to finish he had the audience with him.

Miss Caroline H. Dawes, who took the part of "Mabel," General Stanley's youngest daughter, scored a decided hit in this her first appearance in theatricals. Her sweet soprano voice was just suited to the role, and she acted her part with grace and ease. In part first the wide range of her voice was heard to the best advantage, where in one instance she reached high C. Her work throughout won warm praise from the entire audience.

"Ruth," a piratical "maid-of-all-work," was the part assigned to Mrs. Fernando M. Ward, and her conception of it showed that no mistake was made in the selection. Her rich contralto voice was never heard to better advantage, while her acting was a feature. William J. Tallamy made a capital "Frederic," a pirate apprentice, and not only his solo parts, but in the duo selections with Miss Dawes, he enthused the audience.

Joseph C. Martin, as "Edward," a sergeant of police, was very amusing and provoked hearty laughter. He was in good voice and his appearance with the police won genuine applause. Special mention is due E. Maxwell Honeyman, who assumed the role of "Major General Stanley," of the British army. Although his voice was not strong, it possessed a tone that was pleasing. This was also true of Frederick J. Pope, who had the part of "Samuel," lieutenant to the pirate chief. Miss E. Nellie Tabb, Miss Leila Druse and Miss Ada M. Dunham, as General Stanley's daughters, each performed her part well.

Too much praise cannot be given the work of the chorus, comprising 100 well trained voices. It was exceptionally well balanced, and in several instances had the opportunity of displaying its real strength and harmony. Frequent encores were given and generously responded to. The great care in selecting the company and the fine staging of the opera occasioned favorable comment from all. Those taking the leading parts were each the recipient of flowers, gifts from admirers in the audience. Mr. Holmes, as stage manager, was ably assisted by Fred T. Dickerson and Clifford A. Braider.

The cast and chorus follows:

Cast.

Richard, a Pirate Chief, William N. Runyon
Samuel, his Lieutenant, Frederick J. Pope
Frederic, a Pirate Apprentice, William J. Tallamy
Major General Stanley, of the British Army, E. Maxwell Honeyman
Edward, a Sergeant of Police, Joseph C. Martin
Mabel, General Stanley's youngest

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PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS SEWER PROJECT

BOROUGH COUNCIL WILL FIX DATE AT FRIDAY NIGHT'S SESSION.

The recent agitation for preliminary work to bring about a sewer system for the borough, is beginning to bear fruit. The Common Council and the Board of Health are of one mind on the subject and the two organizations will join forces in attaining their end. Both have had the matter under advisement and the conclusion has been reached that the matter should properly be left to the citizens.

For this reason, at the regular meeting of the Council Friday night, a date will be agreed upon for holding a public session. A general invitation will be extended taxpayers to attend and present their views, either for or against a project. The postal card canvass conducted a short time ago showed that nearly everyone is anxious for a change from the present unsanitary state of affairs and it is believed an open discussion will result in much good for all concerned.

The members of the Council, who have been investigating plans for installation of a system and method of disposal, have secured some interesting information that will be imparted. It is also Mayor Smalley's plan to have an expert on sewage matters in attendance in order to answer questions that might arise.

SIMPLE SERVICE OVER PAUL TAYLOR BROWN

LARGE GATHERING OF FRIENDS AND BUSINESS ASSOCIATES IN ATTENDANCE

Attended by a representative body of citizens and former business associates, the funeral of Paul Taylor Brown, who died at Nassau, B. I., last week, was held from his late home on Belvidere avenue, yesterday afternoon. The residence was barely able to accommodate the gathering of mourners who came to pay their last respects, every society and organization with which he had been connected sending a delegation. Among them were members of the Plainfield Country Club, the Riding and Driving Club, Muhlenberg Hospital Board of Governors and the Paul Taylor Brown Company, of New York.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, was in charge of the service and in his discourse spoke feelingly of the departed's religious and charitable work. Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar" was rendered by Charles L. Lewis. The wealth of floral tributes extended has seldom been equalled at a local funeral, the set pieces being particularly noticeable. They came from Plainfield organizations, from New York business men and from friends.

The interment was made in Hillside cemetery, the pall bearers being J. N. Walbridge, R. I. Walbridge, F. K. Walbridge and C. C. Walbridge, of New York, brothers of Mrs. Brown; D. M. Torrey, of Brooklyn, and Dr. F. C. Ard, Howard Williams and A. Jenkins, of this city.

RECEPTION IN HONOR OF DAUGHTER-IN-LAW.

Mrs. William Townsend Is Introduced in Plainfield Society.

Mrs. Samuel Townsend, of Myrtle avenue, gave a reception yesterday afternoon in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Townsend, formerly of Norway. Mr. and Mrs. William Townsend leave today for New Orleans, where they will remain for a year, and necessarily the arrangements for the reception were hurriedly made.

Those receiving with Mrs. Samuel Townsend and her daughter were Mrs. F. W. Iredell, Mrs. Joseph H. Howell, Mrs. Charles E. Horne, Mrs. George P. Dupee and Mrs. Augustus V. Heely. In the dining room the young women assisting were Mrs. Allen B. Laing, Miss Margaret McCutchen, Miss Marion McCutchen, Miss Irene Miller, Miss Virginia Hegeman, Miss Helen Phillips, Miss Sarah Mae Howell, Miss Elizabeth Curtis and Miss Louise Saunders. The home was attractively decorated, pink and white being the prevailing colors.

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Jersey City Socialist Exploits Socialism as the Balm of All Evils at Dover.

Dover, Feb. 28.—A "workingmen's meeting" was held in the Citizens' Band Hall, on Pequannoc street, Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of a group of Socialists of Dover and vicinity. Patrick Williams, of this town, presided, and James Reilly, a Socialist exhorter from Jersey City, who recently cast his first vote, was the speaker. Most of his talk was a denunciation of the so-called competitive system, and an exploitation of socialism as the balm for all human ills. He said both the Republican and Democratic parties were rotten, and characterized the Colby-Fagan-Record reform movement as a combination of the rottenness of both, and warned his hearers not to expect a wealthy Moses to rise up to lead them; that any leader must come from their own ranks.

He lauded President Charles H. Moyer and Secretary William D. Haywood, of the Western Federation of Miners, who were arrested and extradited to Idaho a week ago for inciting the murder of former Governor Frank Steunenberg, of Idaho, and held them up as heroes being persecuted by the "capitalist class" and hounded by "capitalist papers."

After Reilly got through, Chairman Williams took the floor. He urged his audience to read the literature which had been handed to them at the door, and told of other reading matter which could not be given away, but which was for sale. He, too, referred to "the Idaho affair of five years ago," and told the audience that the Colorado affair was infinitely worse. He closed by announcing that meetings would be held hereafter each month, and that a different speaker would be secured for each occasion. The next meeting will be held the last Sunday in March.

STATE BOUNDARY SUIT.

Legislation May Settle Dispute Between Jersey and Delaware.

Washington, Feb. 28.—In the Supreme Court of the United States Attorney General McCarter, of New Jersey, and Counsellor Bates, of Delaware, representing the two States in the long pending boundary suit between them, presented Monday a stipulation for a suspension of proceedings in the court pending legislation, which, it is hoped, will result in the settlement of the case.

The attorneys said the States are endeavoring to agree upon a joint code for the control of the fishing interests of the disputed territory, and Mr. McCarter said if they succeed it will end the controversy.

The court took the application under advisement. The case has been in the courts since 1877 and the dispute in progress since 1750.

Mrs. W. W. Warnock, of Craig place, is visiting relatives at Englewood.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Lack of appreciation by the residents here for a home newspaper did not discourage Editor J. Byron Dixon from again entering the newspaper field. The Gazette lasted six weeks. Editor Dixon found that the Plains was hardly ready yet for a weekly paper of its own, so folded his tent and removed to Westfield. Here he began looking over the field and decided that Westfield could support another weekly, so on Thursday of last week Mr. Dixon launched The Suburban Life into the newspaper world. The new paper is to come out weekly and will cater to the wants of not only the residents of Westfield, but to the surrounding towns.

A Law and Order League could do some good work in town if it was organized, but it is hardly likely that such an organization will become a reality, as the residents had a crusade several years ago which is still fresh in the memory of many. The trouble with such things are everybody is ready until the blow is about to be struck. Then it is a case of stand from under, as Rev. G. M. Shott learned when he needed promised help in his work.

Fanwood Council, R. A., held a well attended meeting last night in the library rooms. Only the regular routine business was transacted. Initiations are scarce in Fanwood since the Supreme Council changed the rate of insurance to the members of the order.

"The Pirates of Penzance," given last night at the New Plainfield theatre for the benefit of Muhlenberg Hospital, was enjoyed by many from here.

Mrs. H. Hand, of East Sixth street, Plainfield, has been visiting her sister, Miss Hattie Coles, of East Front street.

The monthly communion will be held at the close of the morning service at the Baptist church on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Grant, of West Front street, Plainfield, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Thomas M. Paff, Sr.

William Spiegel, of Union avenue, has been entertaining friends from out of town.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Danish Lutheran services are held at the W. C. T. U. rooms the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 8 o'clock. The Danish people are cordially invited.

The annual meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be held tomorrow night. Officers will be chosen and various reports presented.

The annual business meeting of the officers and teachers of the First Baptist church will be held in the lecture room tomorrow night. There will be election of officers and presentation of reports.

Mrs. F. M. Ward, of Fairview avenue, has resigned her position as contralto soloist at the First Baptist church, and will soon move to New York. As yet her successor in the choir has not been announced.

Mrs. N. W. Bass, a prominent worker for the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, and the National organizer, will speak in Vincent chapel tonight. Mrs. Stephen H. Tugwell will also sing.

Rev. Dr. J. Alfonso LeChia, financial secretary for the Barrett Collegiate and Industrial Institute, Pee Dee, Anson county, North Carolina, is in Plainfield, interesting people in the work of the school which was founded in 1889 by Philip Brooks, who gave the first contribution toward it. Dr. LeChia will speak at Calvary Baptist church on Thursday night in the interest of the school.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

A theatre party composed of Somerville people witnessed the "Pirates of Penzance" last night.

William Kregar, of Liberty street, returned home yesterday after being out all season with "The Shadow Behind the Throne." The show closed in Peoria, Ill., last week.

"Peter Pan" is not to come to Plainfield. Manager Counihan was holding time for it but the New York engagement has been so successful that Charles Frohman decided to extend it.

Miss Adele von Ohl, who has a part in "A Society Circus" at the Hippodrome, has taken up her residence in New York. She formerly commuted but the two performances a day and the railroad trip gave her but very little time at home.

Blanche Walsh will appear at the New Plainfield March 13, presenting her most successful drama, "The Woman in the Case," written especially for her by Clyde Fitch. With one or two exceptions, the supporting cast will be the same as was seen at the Herald Square theatre when the play was first produced.

The perennial attraction, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," will be presented at the New Plainfield next month. This time it will be Al W. Martin's big company, said to be the largest and best "Tom" show touring the country. It is at the Murray Hill theatre, New York, this week and had crowded houses Monday and last night.

TWO MOVES FOR PROBE IN THE LEGISLATURE.

Colby and Martin Introduce Resolutions on Prudential.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—Senator Colby and Assemblyman Martin, of Essex, got in resolutions last night demanding an inspection of the Prudential Insurance Company. There was a big fight over the attempt. In the Senate Mr. Colby offered a resolution asking to look into the insurance companies of this State. A motion was at once made to refer the resolution, but Mr. Colby got in his speech just the same.

In the House Mr. Martin offered a similar resolution to that of Colby's. He began to speak on the resolution when Mr. Perkins demanded that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance. Martin insisted that he had the floor, and spoke of the big insurance scandal and the connection of the Newark company with the general result. He was interrupted constantly, and Prince, Barber and Perkins united in insisting that the resolution be referred to the Bank and Insurance Committee. This was carried by a vote of 31 to 20.

Martin served notice that at the proper time he would move to relieve the Committee on Banks and Insurance of the joint resolution he offered on January 15, and the resolution he offered last night. He did this after the Speaker refused to allow a motion to be put to reconsider the vote by which the resolution of last night was referred.

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We have no doubt that many thousands will come to see this splendid work, not only because of their interest in the Pope, but because this is really a great work of art, well worth seeing.

This picture is exhibited on our third floor on the northeast side, near the elevators. An interesting descriptive story of the painting will be given to all visitors free.

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Arm Chair—Mahogany, fancy shape, flat slat back, neatly carved at top, seat upholstered in stripe effect damask, regular price $32.00, this week $21

Side Chair—Fancy outline, seat covered in damask, French shaped legs, covered back and top, regular price $22.00, this week $14

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ELOPEMENT SPOILED; SHE SHOT HERSELF

USED PISTOL IN ROOM IN WHICH BROTHER LOCKED HER AND DIED.

Because her brother interfered with her love affairs Filomena Capiello, eighteen years old, of Bound Brook, shot herself twice in the breast Monday and died in the Somerset Hospital at Somerville.

Miss Capiello was in love with Frank Delie, a young shoemaker, of Bound Brook. The girl's brother, Michael, objected to the attentions paid her by Delie. The young shoemaker was also in love with the girl, and they planned an elopement and marriage, which were to have occurred last Tuesday.

Michael Capiello discovered the plans of the lovers in time to prevent the elopement by locking the girl in her room before he went to his work in the Bound Brook woolen mill that morning.

He had been at work only an hour when he was hastily summoned home to unlock the door of his sister's room. Other members of the family had heard two reports of a revolver in the room, and the girl was moaning as if in great pain. When the door was opened Miss Capiello was found on the floor with a revolver which she had taken from a bureau drawer still in her hand.

The girl was taken to the Somerset Hospital, where she was visited by both her brother and lover. She was operated on by skilled surgeons, and every effort was made to save her life, but she died at noon Monday. Delie is broken hearted.

DIED OF BROKEN HEART, HER FATHER DECLARES.

After Four Years of Happy Married Life Mrs. Kenney Was Deserted by Husband.

"Charley has not let me know of his whereabouts, and his absence and silence are killing me," is what Mrs. May Kenney, daughter of Edward F. Carbin, secretary of the Bayonne Board of Health, told one of her girl friends a few days ago. Mrs. Kenney died yesterday, leaving two children, the youngest a babe of two weeks. According to her father, the girl died of a broken heart caused by worriment over the absence of her husband.

May Kenney was one of the social favorites in the upper section when Charles Kenney led her to the altar four years ago. The couple lived happily for a time.

About three months ago Kenney, according to Mr. Carbin, went off and told nothing about his plans. He has not been seen nor heard from by his family since, but it was rumored he had gone to Texas. After the birth of the baby Mrs. Kenney, who had carefully kept secret her husband's absence, went back to her father and told him all about it. She grieved constantly and her health gave way.

TOLL GATES FOR AUTOS IS THE LATEST IDEA.

Jersey Legislator Has a New Plan to Control Motor Cars.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—Senator Minturn introduced in the Legislature Monday, a bill providing for the establishment of toll houses and gates at intervals of ten miles on the main highways, to be equipped with telephones, and to be used to collect toll from automobiles at the rate of 10 cents from each person. The number of the car and the time, the bill provides, shall be telephoned to the tollhouse ahead to regulate the speed of the machines.

The money is to be turned over to the township collectors. The tollhouses are to be paid for by the respective counties, and the toll takers are to be paid $15 per week. If any auto driver is convicted his license is to be revoked for one year. Policemen mounted on horses or motor cycles are to be stationed on all boulevards, with power to arrest. The State auto license fee is to be increased to $5 a year.

SAYS HUSBAND GAVE HER $4 IN SEVEN YEARS.

Which, Counsel Figured Out, Would Be About One Mill and a Half Per Day.

According to Mrs. Ellen Stalle, of 302 Seventh street, Jersey City, in the seven years she has been married her husband, Robert E. Stalle, has only contributed $4 for her support.

Mrs. Stalle is suing for divorce on the ground of desertion, and she gave this testimony before Vice-Chancellor Garrison in Jersey City Monday.

"Four dollars a year," Mrs. Stalle's lawyer figured, "is on an average of a little over fifty-seven cents a year. By the month, this sum would be four and one-half cents, and by the week it would become a little more than one and one-tenth cents. Had Mrs. Stalle received her allowance daily she would have received from her husband one and one-half mills every twenty-four hours."

The case was not finished.

John Wherley, formerly captain of Co. M, of Somerville, was among the guests at Co. K's dinner Monday night. Although he has retired from the command of his company he still has a lively interest in military affairs.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 28, 1906.

How it must make Cleveland shiver to see Roosevelt hob-nobbing with Tillman.

Frelinghuysen and Berkins are certainly earning their salaries as legislators.

Looks very much as if the real Board of Trade banquet takes place tomorrow night.

Jerome K. Jerome says that American humor is overdone. No fear of that on the other side of the water.

MAYOR'S DECORATIVE SCHEME ALL UPSET.

Hoboken's Executive Was to Put Orange Above the Green, but Did Not Do It.

Hoboken, Feb. 28.—There was a ripple of excitement in the Hoboken City Hall family last week over the decorative ideas of Mayor George H. Steil. For several weeks past the Mayor has been trying to work out ideas tending toward the complete revolution of his offices. When it got down to decorating the walls the Mayor decided on a glittering yellow paper for the upper half and a dark green paper for the base. The Mayor had been congratulating himself on his choice and accordingly gave out the order to have the work done.

The employes of the City Hall are about evenly divided among the German and Irish nationalities. A patriotic Irishman had heard about the Mayor's scheme and informed him that the colors of the paper must be changed, declaring that not a son of the Emerald Island in Hoboken would stand a minute for the orange above the green.

The Mayor said he never thought of the matter in this light, and he accepted the Irishman's advice, and as a result the harmonious relations will continue in the City Hall family. The Mayor has not yet been able to select a combination fully satisfactory to himself, and has invited persons with decorative ideas to file them at his office.

FIGHT OVER POSTOFFICE.

Three Bayonne Republicans Want to Get $3,100 Position.

A lively fight is in progress for the office of postmaster of Bayonne. Three well known Republicans are after the place, which pays $3,100 a year.

Postmaster Edwin Cadmus' term will expire in July. He is a candidate for reappointment and some time ago received the indorsement of most of the Republican City Committee. Since then the committee has undergone a change of heart and opposes Cadmus, asserting he worked for the reappointment of District Court Judge Horace Roberson, whose scalp the committeemen wanted. Frank Eddy, President of the Republican Club and ex-School Trustee Frank Dobson are the other candidates for postmaster.

NOT LIABLE FOR BAR BILL.

Judge Says Husband Need Not Pay for Liquor Supplied Wife.

Paterson, Feb. 28.—Judge Lewis, in the District Court, decided yesterday that if a woman contracts a bill for beer and dies, her husband is not responsible for the debt. Mrs. John Schmidt, who lived on a farm in Bergen county, was supplied with liquor by Charles Hartman.

Hartman said in court yesterday that he had delivered 400 bottles of beer and three gallons of whiskey in one month. All of this, it is said, was consumed by Mrs. Schmidt, who died a few weeks ago. Schmidt, the husband, against whom suit was brought for $47, told the court that he had pleaded with Hartman to supply no more beer or liquor to his wife, but Hartman paid no attention to him.

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MRS. B. K. ULRICH'S POEM READ AT DEDICATION EXERCISES.

Mrs. Bessie Kenyon Ulrich, of the class of 1878, wrote the "Ode to the Alumni" for the High School dedication exercises and as it attracted much favorable comment it is herewith reproduced:

Old Time may hang up his sickle;
We'll give him the laugh to his face,
For we've tied him fast by the forelock
And he'll not get into this place.

So make no mistakes in your greetings;
Counting up years since we met;
Don't talk about centuries and cycles,
For we all know each other yet.

You will find no gray hairs nor wrinkles,—
Keep those honors out of sight,
For we're always young as graduates,
And we'll have our fling tonight.

Of course we can't help thinking
Of a certain Commencement night,—
You boys in your first real dress suit,
And we girls in long dresses of white.

Do you think that with our best effort,
We could conjure up the delight,
Of the wisdom and glory and honor,
We felt that eventful night?

How those poor old Greeks and Romans
In their grave-clothes rose each year
To give to the seniors a seance,
For the public's patient ear.

Those were wonderful essays,
Wrought in the sweat of the brow,
But 'twould tax our wits to the utmost,
To comprehend them now.

But all this is retrospection,
It's too much of yesterday—
Old Time will break loose from his tether
And will claim the right of way.

Yet, old things are the choice things,
Where memory clings so strong,
And the dear haunts are the old haunts,
That we have remembered so long.

So tonight we'll burn a taper,
At the shrine of the dear old High,
For to us her walls were sacred,
In the years that have gone by.

With hearts that are just as loyal,
We turn to this grand new High,
And in letters of radiant sunrise,
We read her true destiny.

Those walls so noble and spotless,
Shall be decked with the laurels of fame
And the youths who pass through her portals
Shall win her a wonderful name.

And we'll give a hand to these seniors
The first to greet the new High;
We'll quaff them a toast to their future,
In the ranks of this Alumni.

And here's to our Alma Mater,
And here's to the faculty,
And here's to all these graduates
And those who are yet to be.

And here's to our City Fathers,—
Through them these foundations lie,
And we'll drain our cup to the last red drop
To the Board of the Plainfield High.

WANTS HIS AMENDMENT TO PRIMARY LAW OUT.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—At Monday night's session of the House Mr. Martin gave notice that tomorrow morning he would move to relieve the Committee on Elections from further consideration of his bills amending the primary law. These are the bills which Chairman Scott, of the committee, reported one day last week, and then soon afterward when his "boss," Colonel Samuel Dickinson, pointed out to him that the amendments provided for the election of the county committees at the primaries, a thing he did not want, but Fagan and Record did, he had them recommitted to his committee.

Mr. Martin tackled the matter Monday night with a motion to reconsider the vote by which the bills were sent back to the committee, but the Speaker ruled that the only way he could get them out was by a motion to relieve the committee.

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At 1.00 per yard—Exquisite German all wool Henriettas, finished with high lustre. Some very pretty reds in the line.

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	Reg.	Sale
1 gallon Oil Cans	25c	17c
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12 qt. Heavy Pails	25c	18c
14 qt. Heavy Pails	30c	23c
Small Size Tubs	49c	35c
Medium Size Tubs	59c	45c
Large Size Tubs	69c	55c
Extra Large Size Tubs	79c	65c

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SANITARY GARBAGE CANS.

	Reg.	Sale
Small	59c	48c
Medium	78c	58c
Large	89c	68c
Extra Large	98c	78c

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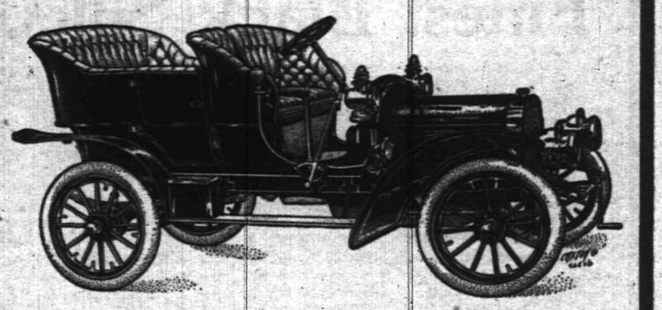

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MAY CLOSE LAW MILL MARCH 29.

Republican Senators Confer on Minturn's Odd Auto Bill and Other Important Things.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—Automobile regulation came to the fore Monday night in a very pronounced way, first in the shape of a brand-new bill, very comprehensive and unique in its terms, which was introduced by Senator Minturn, and later discussed at a conference of Republican Senators, held at Senator Frelinghuysen's quarters in a local hotel. This was the first conference or caucus, as it used to be called, of the majority members of either house since the anti-organization meetings, when the slated list of officers was agreed upon.

Automobile legislation only was the subject matter under consideration according to the most readily obtained reports of the gathering which was not publily announced, but later events will demonstrate that a few other subjects, of equal if not more importance, were discussed, including the probable disposition of the Colby insurance investigation resolution, the Assembly district apportionment, equal taxation, limited franchises, corrupt practises, investigation of the last election for United States Senator, apportionment of the increased revenue, change in the excise laws and date of final adjournment, which may be on March 29.

On the subject of equal taxation the general impression was that the Perkins bill as amended Monday night was perhaps the only bill that would satisfy the Assembly, and as it was agreeable to the Governor, who had it prepared by Attorney-General McCarter, nothing seemed to remain except to pass it. President Bradley did not take kindly to this idea, still adhering to his belief that the Scovel bills as prepared by himself with another bill providing for a franchise tax on the basis of gross receipts were the real solution of the problem. Local tax by local assessors, he said, was what the people seemed to want, and in his opinion, the question should be settled now for all time. He will probably offer these bills as a substitute for the Perkins bill, when the latter reaches the Senate.

Knocked From His Cab.

Charles Parry, engineer of a Delaware, Lackawanna and Western passenger train, was taken early yesterday to St. Joseph's Hospital, Paterson, suffering from injuries he received by being knocked out of the window of his cab. His injuries are serious. Parry was running his locomotive through Lincoln Park at 4 a. m. at a moderate speed. He was leaning out of the window when in the darkness he struck some obstacle and the force of the blow pulled him from his cab and precipitated him down a steep embankment.

DAY NURSERY BENEFIT

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daughter,

Miss Caroline H. Dawes
Kate .....Miss E. Nellie Tabb
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President May Be a Speaker.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—Stimulated by the great success of its recent reception to Governor Stokes and United States Senators Kean and Dryden, the Republican Club of Trenton is planning another and still more notable social function. It is proposed to inaugurate in about two months a series of annual dinners. The latter will include some brilliant after-dinner speakers of national fame, possibly including President Roosevelt. Congressman Ira W. Wood, president of the Club, has in charge the work of securing the speakers. Among the guests already decided upon are Governor Stokes, United States Senators Kean and Dryden, the entire New Jersey Congressional delegation, besides several other prominent Jerseymen.

Shot By Unknown Men in Dark.

Paterson, Feb. 28.—George Heithel, on his way home along the Notch Road, on the outskirts of Paterson early Monday morning, was shot by tow unknown men, who sprang from behind a tree and, after firing, fled without attempting further to molest their victim. Hethel has a bullet wound in the abdomen and another in the leg. He is at St. Joseph's Hospital in a critical condition. The victim says he has no enemies that he knows of, and believes that the unknown men mistook him for some other person.

Killed Stealing Ride.

Charles Zimmerman, seven years old, of No. 9 Jabez street, was killed yesterday at Newark, when stealing a ride on a freight train of the Central Railroad near Hawkins street. He was about to jump from the train when his foot caught in the iron stepping of the car and he was dragged nearly a mile before the trainmen discovered the accident. His skull was fractured and his body was lifeless when it was released.

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FARMERS FAVOR TROLLEY FREIGHT.

Senator Wakelee's Bill Up for Hearing—Has Grange Approval.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—Farmers gathered in large numbers in the Senate Chamber yesterday afternoon at a hearing given by the Railroad and Canals Committee on Senator Wakelee's Trolley Freight bill. Senator Wakelee first explained the measure. He said that under the law of 1896 trolley lines then in existence had a perpetual right to carry freight, while all future lines did not have the privilege. This was a bill to give all trolley lines the same rights, under strict municipal regulation, he said.

Charles Wright, of the Burlington County Grange; President Roberts, of the State Horticultural Society; Theodore Brown, of the Gloucester County Grange; Albert Hentage, of the New Jersey State Grange, and President Hunter, of the National Association of American Gardeners, all spoke for the bill. They said the measure would prove of great benefit to the farmers. They said they could move their perishable freight, including milk, much more advantageously than they could now. Trolley freight would equal the rural free delivery in its benefits to the farming community, he said. As a medium for carrying flowers it would mean much to the horticulturists.

Counsel for the Erie, Lehigh Valley and Lackawanna asked to be heard in opposition to the bill. The hearing was adjourned until 4:15 o'clock next Monday afternoon.

BAYONNE'S POLICE FORCE TO HAVE LESS GOLD LACE.

Captains to Be Abolished, Roundsmen, Too, and the Officers Will Do Patrol Duty.

Bayonne's Republican Mayor and Common Council do not believe in a topheavy police force, and last night the committee appointed by the Council at the suggestion of the Mayor recommended sweeping reductions. An ordinance was introduced in keeping with the committee's report, and next Tuesday night it will be passed.

The committee recommends that there be no captains, one sergeant, no roundsmen and only two detectives. Capt. Charles McBride is to be reduced to patrolman and Capt. Michael F. Reilly to sergeant. Roundsmen Thomas Whelan, William Guglietter and Patrick Sweeney are to be relegated to patrol duty. Detectives James J. Connors and Patrick Gallagher are also to go back to patrol service.

John Yore, the recently appointed chief, is to do whatever work the captains were supposed to do.

HIS SUICIDE EXPLAINED.

Took Poison After His Wife Had Refused Reconciliation.

Gaspar Buhler, a hotel proprietor of Garwood, went Monday to Newark and at Mullin's Morgue claimed the body of his twenty-four-year old son William, who committed suicide the night before by swallowing carbolic acid.

Young Buhler, who, his father said, had spent a small fortune in the last five years, had been separated for a month from his wife and two little children. Mrs. Buhler, because of her husband's drinking habits, had taken the children to the home of her parents, 55 Newark street, Newark.

Buhler called there Sunday night and when his wife refused to see him he went into the cellar and drank the acid.

To Consider Proposed Laws.

Elizabeth, Feb. 28.—The Board of Trade here will hold a meeting on Friday night to consider bills now before the Legislature, and which may affect Elizabeth. The meeting will be held in Arcanum Hall, on Broad street, and the discussion will be open to all residents of the city who desire to express their views on any of the pending measures.

Executor's Sale
OF
Valuable Real Estate

to close the estate of the late William McD. Coriell, will be held at public auction on

Thursday, March 1, 1906

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon beginning on the premises, No. 201 Clinton Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

The first property to be sold is the Homestead property at the corner of Clinton Avenue and South Second Street, having a frontage of about 700 feet on South Second Street by about 425 feet on Clinton Avenue and about 650 feet on West Third Street. Large house and barn in good condition.

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The next to be sold is the three vacant lots in the rear of the last mentioned property, 40 feet front on Clinton Avenue and about 143 feet deep. Each lot will be sold separately.

The last property to be sold is the house and lot known as 1254 Milton Place, containing about 1⅛ acres of land and will be sold at the corner of Clinton Avenue and West Front Street, after the sale of the other properties.

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Help Wanted.

WANTED—At once, strong, active, young man, about 18, to wash milk bottles and make himself generally useful. 20 Grandview avenue, borough. 2 27 2

WANTED—Young white girl for second place. Apply 21 Sandford avenue. 2 28 3

WANTED—Girl to assist with housework. 423 Central avenue.

WANTED — Waitress - chambermaid (white); personal reference required. Apply 313 Franklin place. 2 23 6

WANTED—A young woman for waitress and chambermaid (white). Apply 508 Central Ave. 2 27 6

WANTED—A good cook (white) with good references; no washing; to assist with other work. Apply 49 Grove street. 2 26 tf

WANTED — First-class pattern-maker; steady work. Apply Pederick-Ayer Co., Clinton avenue and West Front street.

WANTED—Coachman and gardener; white. Apply 1106 Park Ave. 2 28 2

WANTED—Two colored girls, one as nurse and chambermaid and the other as waitress and chambermaid; with references. 723 Central Ave. 2 26 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 30 Fairview Ave. 2 27 2

WANTED—White cook. Apply 240 East Ninth street. 2 28 2

WANTED—Woman for general housework. Mrs. Rapalje, 724 Carlton avenue. 2 27 3

GOOD cook and laundress wanted; white. Call mornings, 308 East Third street. 2 28 3

WANTED—Girl to assist in family of three adults, with general housework. Apply 1085 Arlington Ave. 2 28 2

APPRENTICES and improvers wanted, dressmaking, at 520 West Front street. 2 27 3

WANTED—Colored girl as waitress. 120 Crescent Ave. 2 28 3

WANTED—Cook (white); only those with best reference need apply. 107 West Seventh St.

WANTED — Competent waitress and chambermaid. Call this evening, 802 Belvidere avenue. 2 28 tf

WANTED—First-class lathe and vise men for small steel work. Spicer Universal Unit Manfacturing Co., Madison avenue, between Third and Fourth streets. 2 15 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Inquire in afternoons at 44 Fairview Ave. 2 26 3

WANTED—A competent woman for general housework in family of three adults. Apply 822 Hillside avenue. 2 26 3

Situations Wanted.

WANTED—By young woman, a widow, with child of 2½ years, place at general housework; can furnish best of references. Apply Mrs. Nellie McCann, 843 East Front St. 2 20 8

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For Rent.

TO RENT—House, ten rooms and bath, near depot and trolley; $30 a month. Inquire 402 Park Ave. 2 17 tf

TO LET—Seven-room house; also six-room house. Inquire 211 Rock avenue. 2 2 1mo

TO RENT—Three rooms, with bath; $12. Apply at 72 Somerset St. 2 28 3

FOR RENT—A desirable store in Plainfield Theatre building. Apply at box office. 2 20 tf

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 432 Watchung avenue. 2 27 3

FLAT to rent; 8 rooms; heat and water; $26. Enquire C. M. Dolliver, 104 West Second St. 2 24 6

TO LET—6-room house; $12; improvements; 2 flats, $10 and $12; improvements. Adam Young agent, 815 South Second St. 2 23 10

TO LET—Sept. 1, Netherwood, large house, grounds and stable; every convenience. Address Owner, care Press. 2 26 3

HOUSE TO LET—2 Mercer avenue. Daniel Van Winkle, 28 Park place. 2 28 3

STORE, 187 North avenue, for rent from April 1. Apply room 2, 102 North Avenue. 1 8 tf m w s

FOR RENT—Four pleasant rooms, unfurnished; adults only. 15 Grove street. 2 20 4 eod

TO LET—Small store. Inquire Callahan & Son, Richmond St. 1 16 tf eod

THREE or four rooms to let; all improvements. 10 Craig place. 2 26 tf

STORE TO LET—Third street and Prescott place; $13 per month. John Ross, 339 East Sixth St. 2 5 tf

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HOUSES — Lots furnished and houses built in locations to suit purchasers; call and see plans. C. D. Manning, 163 North Ave. 2 23 1m

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Two Deaths Follow Funeral.

New Brunswick, Feb. 28.—William Faulkner, assistant foreman of Phoenix Engine Company, died Monday at his home, No. 29 Hiram street, of pneumonia. His illness was the result of getting a cold while fighting a fire on January 2. Two weeks ago he was a pallbearer at the funeral of Miss Helfrich. Another pallbearer, George McCormick, died of pneumonia Thursday night.

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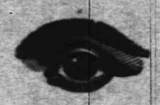

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Orange, Feb. 28.—J. G. Phelps Stokes, the New York philanthropist, said Monday, before the Charities Conference of the Oranges, at its session in the Charities Building, Essex avenue, Orange, that the public schools were in part to be blamed for widespread poverty. He spoke on poverty. This, he declared, was traceable to "personal advancement," and was preventable, just as diseases give way to scientific methods of treatment. He declared that personal interests hindered the work of those who would abolish poverty, and in support of that statement recited the trouble that has been met with in condemning tenement house property for transformation into public parks. Efforts to condemn such property and build the parks, he said, were often thwarted by the personal greed of individuals.

"There is in the public schools," said Mr. Stokes, "too much attention given to the advancement of one's self. We are constantly tending to make men self-centred without recognizing the condition of men about us. We are making ourselves the individual centre and helping to perfect the very causes of poverty. If people would lose the self-centre of interest and seek first to interest themselves in the lives of those round about them, poverty would not be general; it would be accidental."

PRESIDENT SENDS WREATH.

Roosevelt Remembers Late Perth Amboy Mayor.

Perth Amboy, Feb. 28.—Most of the residents of this city either participated in or witnessed the funeral Thursday of the late mayor, Dr. H. Martyn Brace. Services in the Presbyterian church were conducted by Rev. James H. Northrup and Rev. Dr. H. G. Mendenhall. The Elks had charge of the funeral.

The procession to the cemetery was headed by Chief of Police P. J. Burke and his entire force, followed by all the city officials, the fire department and the various organizations of which Mayor Brace was a member. About 1,000 men were in line.

Among the numerous floral pieces was a large wreath of calla lilies sent by President Roosevelt, with whom Mayor Brace attended school when a boy in New York.

Miss Gertrude Geier, of Madison avenue, has been entertaining friends from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Martin, of East Sixth street, are entertaining the latter's parents from New Haven, Conn.

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By virtue of a final decree issued out of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, in the cause wherein Charles H. Hand is complainant, and George J. Tobin, et als., are defendants, which decree bears date on the 26th day of December, 1905, I, Craig A. Marsh, Special Master in Chancery, as therein directed, will expose to sale at public vendue, on Thursday, the fifteenth day of March, 1906, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, upon the premises hereinafter described, in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, and State of New Jersey, all the following described certain tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the said City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue in line of land now or formerly of Frederick M. Masker and others, said point being distant in a northeasterly direction a distance of two hundred and sixty-two and sixty-three one hundredths (262.63) feet from the intersection of the centre line of Woodland Avenue with the northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue; thence running along said Masker's line in a course of north thirty-two degrees and thirty-four minutes west, a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight and ninety-five one hundredths (178.95) feet to a point; thence running in a course of south fifty-seven degrees and twenty-six minutes west a distance of seventy (70) feet to a point in line of property now or formerly owned by Hermance; thence along line of said Hermance's line in a course of south thirty-two degrees and thirty-four minutes east, a distance of one hundred and seventy-nine (179) feet more or less to a point in the aforesaid northwesterly side line of La Grande Avenue; thence running in a course of north fifty-seven degrees and twenty-two minutes east a distance of seventy (70) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Together with the land in front of the same to the centre of La Grande Avenue, subject to the use of the public therein as a public highway.

Including also the inchoate right of dower of the defendant, Annie Hand, wife of said Charles H. Hand.

Including also the inchoate right of dower of the defendant, Mary F. Tobin, wife of George J. Tobin.

Subject to the mortgage encumbrance of said Evan T. Steadman on said lands.

Together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Dated, February 14, 1906.

CRAIG A. MARSH,
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ESTATE OF Jacob Weart, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber at 15 Exchange place, Jersey City, N. J., under oath or affirmation, their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, within nine months from the second day of January, 1906, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

139 w JOHN A. BLAIR, Executor.

"The Man on the Box"

By HAROLD MacGRATH

Author of "The Grey Cloak," "The Puppet Crown."

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But Dick was only a mortal horse. The fierce run and the double burden began to tell, and shortly his head came up. Warburton stopped him. The girl slid to the ground, and in a moment he was at her side. And just in time. The reaction was too much for her. Dazedly she brushed her hair from her eyes, stared wildly at Warburton and fainted. He did not catch her with that graceful precision which on the stage is so familiar to us. No. He was lucky to snatch one of her arms, thus preventing her head from striking the road. He dragged her to the side of the highway and rested her head on his shaking knees. Things grew dark for a time. To tell the truth, he himself was very close to that feminine weakness which the old fellows, in their rough and ready plays, used to call "vapours." But he forced his heart to steady itself.

And what do you suppose the rascal did—with nobody but Dick to watch him? Why, he did what any healthy young man in love would have done; pressed his lips to the girl's hair, his eyes filling and half a sob in his parched throat. He dolefully pictured himself a modern Antiochus, dying of love and never confessing it. Then he kissed her hair again; only her hair, for somehow he felt that her lips were as yet inviolable to his touch.

Fainting is but transitory; by and by she opened her eyes and stared vaguely into the face above her. I do not know what she saw there; whatever it was caused her to struggle to her feet. There was color enough in her cheeks now; and there was a question, too, in her eyes. Of Warburton it asked. "What did you do when I lay there unconscious?" I'm afraid there was color in his face, too. Her gaze immediately roved up the road. There was no Pirate, only a haze of dust. Doubtless he was still going it, delighted over the trouble he had managed to bring about. Warburton knelt at the girl's side and brushed the dust from her skirt. She eyed him curiously. I shan't say that she smiled; I don't know, for I wasn't there.

Meanwhile she made several futile attempts to put up her hair, and as a finality she braided it and let it hang down her back. Suddenly and unaccountably she grew angry—angry at herself, at James, at the rascally horse that had brought her to this pass. Warburton saw something of this emotion in her eyes, and to avoid the storm he walked over to Dick, picked up the reins, and led him back.

"If you will mount Dick, Miss," he said, "I'll lead him home. It's about five miles, I should say."

The futility and absurdity of her anger aroused her sense of the ridiculous; and a smile, warm and merry, flashed over her stained face. It surprised her groom.

"Thank you, James. You were right. I ought not to have ridden Pirate. I am punished for my conceit. Five miles? It will be a long walk."

"I shan't mind it in the least," replied James, inordinately happy; and he helped her to the saddle and adjusted the left stirrup.

So the journey home began. Strangely enough, neither seemed to care particularly what had or might become of Pirate. He disappeared, mentally and physically. One thing

KNELT AT THE GIRL'S SIDE.

dampened the journey for Warburton. His "game leg" ached cruelly, and after the second mile (which was traversed without speech from either of them), he fell into a slight limp. From her seat above and behind him, she saw this limp.

"You have hurt yourself?" she asked gently.

"Not to-day, Miss."—briefly.

"When he ran away with you?"

"No. It's an old trouble."

"While you were a soldier?"

"Yes."

"How?"

He turned in surprise. All these questions were rather unusual. Nevertheless he answered her, and truthfully.

"I was shot in the leg by a drunken Indian."

"While on duty?"

"Yes." Unconsciously he was forgetting to add "Miss", which was the patent of his servility. And I don't think that just then she noticed this subtraction from the respect due her.

It was eleven o'clock when they arrived at the gates. She dismounted alone. Warburton was visibly done up.

"Any orders for this afternoon, Miss?"

"I shall want the victoria at three. I have some shopping to do and a call to make. Send William after Pirate. I am very grateful for what you have done."

He made no reply, for he saw her father coming down the steps.

"Betty," said the colonel, pale and worried, "have you been riding Pirate? Where he is, and what in the world has happened?"—noting the dust on her habit and her tangled hair.

She explained. She told the story rather coolly Warburton thought, but she left out no detail.

"You have James to thank for my safety, father. He was very calm and clear-headed."

Calm and clear-headed! thought Warburton.

(CONTINUED.)

Reading System

New Jersey Central.

Passenger Stations in New York—West 23d St., N. R., Foot Liberty St., N. R.

Time Table Corrected to Feb. 2, 1906.

For New York—2.17, 3.37, 5.36, 6.02, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.28, 7.48, 7.55, 8.02, 8.11, 8.30, 8.36, 8.46, 9.34, 9.59, 10.26, 11.00 a. m., 12.09, 12.44, 1.18, 2.31, 2.42, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.29, 6.43, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40, 10.17, 11.28 p. m. Sunday—2.17, 3.37, 5.05, 7.41, 8.01, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.00 m., 12.58, 1.45, 2.40, 3.17, 3.30, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Newark—5.35, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.48, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.59, 9.34, 11.00 a. m., 1.18, 2.31, 2.49, 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 5.42, 5.53, 6.22, 6.33, 7.08, 7.32, 8.36, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.41, 8.52, 9.49, 10.08, 11.10 a. m., 12.58, 1.45, 3.17, 3.30, 5.41, 6.45, 6.52, 8.13, 8.32, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.25, 7.12, 8.21, 9.32, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, 2.02, 2.11, 3.32, 4.33, 5.03, 5.29, 6.04, 6.19, 6.35, 7.12, 7.33, 8.08, 8.21, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 10.51 a. m., 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 6.35, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Flemington—7.12, 11.00 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.19 p. m. Sundays—8.42 a. m., 5.37 p. m.

For Phillipsburg and Easton—5.25, 8.21, 9.54 a. m., 2.11, 5.29, 6.41 p. m. Sunday—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 6.35 p. m.

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For Wilkesbarre and Scranton—5.25, 9.54 a. m., 5.48 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03 p. m.

For Long Branch and Ocean Grove, etc.—8.11, 11.00 a. m., 3.44, 4.13, 4.47, 6.22, 11.28 p. m. Sunday (except Ocean Grove)—8.52 a. m., 3.30, 8.13 p. m.

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For Trenton—5.17, 7.44, 8.50, 9.46, 10.51, 11.42 a. m., 12.46, 3.42, 6.45, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.71 night. Sunday—5.17, 9.53, 10.39, 11.42 a. m., 12.39, 2.42, 4.55, 6.45, 9.46, 11.25 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Reading and Harrisburg—5.17, 5.25, 8.38, 9.54, (10.44, 11.44 Reading only), a. m., 2.11, (5.48, through train), 1.17 night. Sundays—5.17 a. m., 2.08, 5.27, 6.35 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Pottsville, Sunbury and Williamsport—5.17, 8.25, 8.54 a. m., 2.11, 3.21 p. m., 1.17 night. Sunday—5.17 a. m., 2.03 p. m., 1.17 night.

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

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In these days of modern stagecraft the carpenter and electrician seem to share honors equally with the author and actor. At least the success of the present day drama depends as much upon the scenic environment as it does upon the artistic. Phil Hunt, who brings "A Crown of Thorns" to the New Plainfield theatre on Saturday for a matinee and evening performance, has paid more attention to both ends of this production business with the result that he has a play with a cast and setting far surpassing anything ever attempted in the popular priced field. Mr. Hunt was always bold in his theories and it may be this which has accounted for his success.

Charles E. Blaney's wonderful play, "More to Be Pitied Than Scorned," is to be produced in this city on Tuesday next at the New Plainfield theatre. It is said to contain a happy blending of tears and laughter, and well staged in a style peculiar to Mr. Blaney's productions. The scenic equipment is said to be usuaully large, and the cast a thoroughly competent one. Musical and dancing numbers by a chorus of sixteen handsomely gowned young ladies and specialties will be seen throughout the action of the play.

Pet Dog Bites Mistress.

Orange, Feb. 28.—Following an attack by her pet shepherd dog, Mrs. Ethel Black, daughter of Philip Silker, a well to do farmer at Pleasant Grove, is a patient at the Pasteur Institute, in New York. So far she has developed no symptoms of hydrophobia, but she will continue to the end of the course of treatment. The dog accompanied Mrs. Black to the postoffice. He suddenly went mad on the homeward trip and with a snarl pounced upon his mistress and tried to bite her on the face. In warding off the attack Mrs. Black was bitten badly on the hand.

Mayor Fagan Coming?

Mayor Mark M. Fagan, of Jersey City, the well known reformer, may appear in Plainfield in the near future and address a public meeting here. The Jersey City official has expressed his willingness to speak here, and as soon as a suitable meeting place can be secured the date of his coming will be announced.

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BOWLING.

The various clubs in the Central Journal Bowling League will meet within a short time when the Journal trophy will be presented to the Westfield Club, winners, and the other prizes will be awarded. In the distribution of prizes the Park Club team will receive a liberal share.

SOME NEW BILLS IN THE HOUSE HOPPER.

State Board of Osteopathic Examiners Provided for in One of Them.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—In the House Monday night Mr. Morgan introduced a bill providing that all lands the property of any county, and all lands the property of any taxing district, which are situated within the limits of any other taxing district shall be assessed at the true value of such lands without regard to any buildings or other improvements on such lands, notwithstanding any exemptions provided in the act to which this is a supplement.

This measure refers to the Newark City Home at Verona, and is for the purpose of enabling Verona to tax the land on which the home stands.

Other bills introduced in the House were:

Mr. Scovel, makes it unlawful to cross any property with any electric light, telegraph, telephone or other wires or attach them to any building, tree or other object without written permission. Penalty $25 fine or thirty days' imprisonment.

Mr. Scott, provides that board, body or commission in cities having power to elect or appoint firemen shall appoint or elect the chief thereof.

Mr. Scott, amends the conveyance act and antedates certain acknowledgments.

Mr. Sommer, supplement to the act fixing salaries of firemen and policemen.

This bill increases the salaries of all members of the Newark fire department below the grade of battalion chief.

Mr. Elvins (for the Speaker), amends the act providing for the purchase of toll roads by boards of chosen freeholders.

Mr. Vanderveer, regulates the sale of paris green.

Mr. Berg, provides for a State board of osteopathic examiners to be appointed by the Governor, who shall license the practitioners of osteopathy.

Mr. Berg, repeals a supplement to the district court act, approved June 2, 1905.

Mr. Reed, provides that in cities a chief of the fie department shall be appointed by the city council for a term of five years.

Mr. Tillman (by request), amends the act relative to confession by judgment on bonds.

Mr. Underwood, amends the town act.

Mr. Smehurst, makes it obligatory for corporations and persons to pay employes weekly. Railroads shall pay monthly before twentieth day of each month.

Mr. Dippel, amends the school act.

Evidence Against Small Found.

Mount Holly, Feb. 28.—Prosecutor Atkinson has an important piece of evidence against George Small, who will be indicted, it is expected, on Thursday for the murder of Miss Florence Allinson. It consists of the suit of clothes Small wore on the day of the murder. They had been hidden in a culvert. Rufus Johnson was identified yesterday by Bessie Walker, the little girl who was in the house and saw him when Miss Allinson was murdered.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

HANDLE OF SPOON USED BY BOYS IN ATTEMPT TO EFFECT THEIR FREEDOM

The dexterous use of the flattened handle of a spoon in the lock of a door connecting the witness room with the probation officer's room in Judge Ten Eyck's court, Newark, nearly resulted in the escape of three youthful offenders Monday afternoon, and it was purely chance that prevented the trio from walking into the street. The scheme originated in the brain of George Sauheimer, seventeen years old, who, with Pasquale Contralto and Thomas Frizzilo, each fifteen years old, was detained in the witness room in expectation of being dealt with by the court on a charge of stealing several pairs of shoes from a shoe store in the eastern section of the city. The boys had all pleaded guilty. Sauheimer had concealed in his clothes a spoon handle, and while the court constables were seated outside the witness room he deftly picked the lock leading to the adjoining room and with his two companions made for the stairway that leads to the first floor corridor. Probation Officer John J. Gascoyne started to ascend the stairs and met the boys coming down. He seized Sauheimer by the collar and the other two ran back to the witness room. They were temporarily placed in the prisoners' pen, and Constable George Gorham searched Sauheimer and found the spoon handle. The boys only grinned when charged with trying to escape, and refused to say where they got the implement. They were returned to jail, the court being too busy to attend to their case.

FORTY YEAR LIMIT IN FRANCHISE BILL

MUST THEN BE ON POPULAR VOTE, WHILE GOVERNING BODIES 20 YEARS.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—Senator Hillery's limited franchise bill was the subject of a hot debate in the Upper House of the Legislature yesterday afternoon when it was reported for consideration. Senator Colby, who was elected on a limited franchise and equal taxation platform, offered amendments to make the measure more to the liking of the voters of Essex county.

Senator Hutchinson, for the Committee on Municipal Corporations, offered amendments fixing the franchise limit at not exceeding twenty years by governing bodies, forty years by a majority vote of the people and sixty years by a two-thirds vote. Mr. Colby, in a strong speech, objected to the sixty years clause. This was also opposed by Senator Avis, of Gloucester, and on a vote it was lost.

Senator Hillery, Republican leader, urged fair treatment of trolley lines, declaring they enabled poor persons to live in rural sections, remote from their work in the cities.

Senator Minturn obtained an amendment to compel applying companies to pay the cost of advertising, etc. Senator Colby lost an amendment to make franchises revocable in event of mismanagement in the company obtaining such a right.

There was introduced in the House yesterday by Assemblyman Prince a bill to compel the manufacturers of all patent medicines to label the percentage of alcohol, narcotics and other drugs in a conspicuous manner on each bottle. This bill has a counterpart in the Senate in a bill introduced by Senator Wakelee. Several other bills have been introduced seemingly with a view of regulating the sale of patent medicines.

A bill which will permit three round boxing exhibitions in this State was introduced by Assemblyman Coyle. A companion measure authorizes physical culture schools to give lessons in boxing, fencing and similar sports. These bills will be closely watched by the Law and Order people, who fear they may be intended as an opening wedge to legalize prize ring boxing, which is now prohibited in the State.

SHERMAN'S SON TO K. OF C.

Extension of American Catholic Organization Will Save Country.

Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 28.—Rev. Thomas Ewing Sherman, a Jesuit priest, a son of General W. T. Sherman, the great Civil War leader, in responding to a toast at a Knights of Columbus banquet, referred to the present troubles of the Catholic Church in France. He advised the extension of the order of the Knights of Columbus into France and prophesied that in a few years the present situation would be relieved.

Father Sherman said that the union of Catholic forces would check the present atheistic propaganda and restore to France her old position as the eldest daughter of the church. It would be historically fitting that this aid to their French Catholic brethren should come from America in return for the timely assistance rendered by France to America in the War of the Revolution.

Miss Hoyt, of Binghamton, N. Y., is a guest at the home of Frederic Harrington, of Rockview avenue.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

BRIG. GEN. SERRELL IS CRITICALLY ILL

GREAT MILITARY ENGINEER CONFINED TO AN INFIRMARY.

Brig.-Gen. Edward Wellman Serrell, a brother of the late L. W. Serrell, who was for many years a leading citizen here, and one of the greatest American military engineers, constructor of the Hoosac tunnel, the man who placed the Swamp Angel battery before Charleston, the engineer who first surveyed the interoceanic canal routes for the Government, is lying very sick in the S. R. Smith Infirmary on Staten Island.

Gen. Serrell was born in New York city in 1826, so that he will be 80 years old this year. His brother was a civil engineer, and Edward Serrell learned the trade in his office, supplementing his instruction by private reading. He showed great capacity and made an early start as assistant engineer on the Central Railroad of New Jersey when he was only 21. A year later he first took service with the Government as assistant to the chief of topographical engineers. He was sent at once to the Isthmus, for the United States was beginning to agitate the canal question. He worked there two years, and surveyed in the course of his work the Nicaragua and Panama routes of the present day.

P. S. KNOCKS AT METUCHEN.

Wants to Extend Its Gas Mains Thither from New Brunswick.

New Brunswick, Feb. 28.—It is expected there will be sharp opposition on the part of the Metuchen Gas Company when the Board of Freeholders takes up the application of the Public Service Corporation to extend its mains from New Brunswick to Metuchen.

The Public Service exercises its right to sell gas in New Brunswick "and vicinity" by virtue of the charter it inherited from the New Brunswick Gas Company, but the Metuchen Gas Company will claim that Metuchen, five miles from New Brunswick, is not in its "vicinity," and therefore the charter does not cover or convey such right.

Whether the Public Service, as holding company, has any legal standing as an operating or constructing corporation will also be questioned.

Ingenius Jerseymen.

Patents issued to Jerseymen: Shoe and slipper hanger, C. Ackroyd, Paterson; troposcope, S. W. Balch, Montclair; seaming machine, O. S. Beyer, East Rutherford; cast manganese steel rail, W. Brinton, High Bridge; treating manganese steel, W. Brinton, High Bridge; making safes or vaults, W. Brinton, High Bridge; seal press, E. J. Brooks, East Orange; dry pipe valve for automatic sprinkler systems, E. S. Clayton, Newark; railway switch operating apparatus, C. J. Coleman, Rockaway; mechanical and magnetic toy, H. Cottrell, Newark; lavatory fixture, E. De Camp and F. P. Caufield, Newark; keyboard locking mechanism for mechanical cashiers, registers and recorders, I. S. Dement, East Orange; cigarette holder, W. Durand, Newark; paste pot, R. P. Frist, Bridgton; hatch, J. L. Greenwood, Hoboken; display tray, J. J. Hoffmann, Jersey City; disintegrating machine, J. W. Hyatt, Newark; three patents for warp stop motion for looms, F. E. Klp, Montclair; reissue, W. A. La Sor, Rahway; combined anchor hook, guy clamp and guy stretcher, G. F. Swortfiger, Newark.

FARMER MAY BE FORGER

Somerset County Man Being Tried on Charge of Putting His Name to Will.

DEFENDANT RESPECTED

Case Attracting Considerable Attention—Trial May Last for a Week at Least.

William H. Skillman, a farmer, of Blawenburg, is either a forger or he is a wrongfully accused man, according to the statements of the lawyers engaged in the Lanehart will case, begun before Judge Lewis H. Schenck in the Somerset Orphans' Court at Somerville Monday, and still on trial. The trial will last a week at least. The case is attracting unusual interest owing to the fact that Skillman, who has been a respected resident of the Blawenburg district for more than a quarter of a century, is accused by Miss Mary Jane Lanehart of forging the name of her brother, the late William Lanehart, to a will, in which he himself is a beneficiary to the amount of $8,000. William Lanehart, a farmer, seventy years old, died at his home near Blawenburg in May, 1905, leaving an estate valued at $19,000. Eleven days after Lanehart's death, Skillman, who was his neighbor, filed a document with Surrogate William De Mond, purporting to be Lanehart's last will.

The will, which was drawn up by Skillman, and witnessed by his son, J. W. Skillman, and his friend, W. H. Ely, made a number of small bequests to Mrs. Doctor Stryker, of New York City; John D. Van Orden, Mrs. Joseph V. Reed and Mrs. William Duffield, of Blawenburg, and then directed that the residue of the estate, valued at $16,000, be equally divided between Miss Laura Kellogg, a niece, and William H. Skillman. A short time after Skillman had filed the alleged will, John N. Race, cashier of the National Bank of Hopewell, who had long been Lanehart's confidential friend and adviser, and who had in his possession all of Lanehart's valuable papers, and money, produced another will, made by Lanehart, in November, 1902, in which Mary Jane Lanehart was the principal beneficiary.

The court has been occupied up to the present time in hearing the arguments of the lawyers engaged in the case, and the testimony of Skillman. Lanehart, at the time of his death, lived alone on his farm with his niece, Miss Laura Kellogg. Skillman testified that his neighbor, Lanehart, was subject to attacks of heart disease, and knowing that he (Skillman) was handy in drawing up documents, he had called on him during one of his bad spells to draw up his will. No effort has been made by Skillman's counsel in their direct examination of the witness to account for Lanehart's great liberality in bequeathing Skillman half of his estate. Skillman has testified that his relations with Lanehart were neighborly, but nothing more. Skillman will be subjected to a cross-examination later.

This is the second time that Skillman has been charged with forgery in the Somerset Court. A number of years ago he was charged with forging the name of William Race to a number of mortgages which benefited him after Race had been murdered near Blawenburg. The trial resulted in this instance of the acquittal of Skillman.

By a strange coincidence, John N. Race, who has produced the second Lanehart will, is the son of William Race, the murdered man, whose name Skillman was charged with forging.

PERSONAL.

Miss Mary VanEps, of East Fifth street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

J. P. Stevens and family, of West Seventh street, sail for Europe tomorrow on a pleasure trip.

The condition of Mrs. G. L. VanEmburgh, of East Second street, who has been very ill with gastritis, is slightly improved today and hopes of her recovery are entertained.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

W. D. Murray's Bible class will not hold a session tonight.

Miss Elizabeth Chadbourne, well-known here, will address the mothers of the Young People's Society of the Congregational church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Tea will be served, followed by a social hour.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., will meet tonight. An important matter is planned for discussion.

Local Realty Transfers.

These transfers of Plainfield realty have been recorded at Elizabeth: Improved Building Lot Association of N. J. and Pa. Investors' Realty Co., ten feet off easterly side lot 20, "Map of Investors' Realty Co.," $1; James J. Heffernan to Emma A. Coombe, southeasterly side West Seventh street, corner Madison avenue, $1; Sarah A. Dickinson to James C. Manning, northerly side of Putnam avenue, 100 feet westerly of Carlton avenue, $1.

SCHEUER'S SPECIALS

FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Heinz's Apple Butter 35c kind 3 lb. crock 31c	McCann's Irish Oatmeal 5 lb. tin 53c	Knlepp's Malt Coffee 25c size a package 19c	Stuffed Dates 25c kind a box 21c
National Biscuit Co.'s Zu Zu a package 3 1-2c	National Biscuit Co.'s Social Teas a package 7 1-2c	Cream Crackels regular 18c a pound 12c	Lemon Cakes a pound 5c
Curtis Bros. Blue Label Catsup large bottle 17c	Grape Nuts a package 11c	Mustard Sardines 10c kind a can 8c	Liebig's American Beef Extract a jar 19c

Swansdown Prepared Cake Flour, manufactured expressly for Angel Food Cake and others, prepared strictly from the Purest and Best Winter Wheat, a package..... 25c

Extra Stamps—TEAS.

120 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea 70c
100 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea 60c
70 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea 50c
30 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea 35c

Extra Stamps—COFFEES.

30 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 32c
30 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 29c
20 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 27c
20 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 23c

Nut Meats—Walnut Meat, lb, 40c. Valencia Almonds, shelled, lb, 35c. Jordan Shelled Almonds, lb, 45c.

BARGAINS!

Pride of Farm Catsup, large bottle 10c
Campbell's Salad Dressing, bottle 8c
Sweet Relish, bottle 10c
Assorted Jams, bottle 10c
Karo Corn Syrup, a can 8c
Deviled Crabs, including shells, a can 22c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1 lb. can, 35c; ½ lb. can.. 20c
Swift's Lard, a lb 8c
Best Elgin Creamery Butter, lb..... 28c

BARGAINS!

Boneless Codfish (white) a lb 12c
Shredded Codfish, a package 4c
Cromarty Smoked Bloaters, 2 for 5c
Gordon's Extra Fat Bloaters, each 5c
Salt Mackerel, choice white fish, each 8c
Salt Herring, a dozen 20c
Soused Mackerel, 2 lb. tin 25c; 1 lb. tin..... 15c
Marshall's Kippered Herring, a can 15c
Fresh Shrimp (Barataria), a can 12c
Little Neck Clams (12c kind), a can 10c

$2 worth of Stamps Free with 25 lb. bag Best XXXX Flour 75c	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 large rolls Toilet Paper 25c	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Royal Blue Corn a can 10c 20 Stamps Free	$2 worth of Stamps Free with 3 cans Harvest Gem Peas a can 12c 20 Stamps Free
$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Parsnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with pony basket Sweet Potatoes 30c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket White or Yellow Turnips 20c	$1 worth of Stamps Free with Pony Basket Red or Yellow Onions 30c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

1 box Gold Medal Cocoa 18c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate..18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract 15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract 15c
1 package Farina 10c
1 package Hasty Tapioca 10c
3 lb. package Rice 20c
2 lb. package Rolled Oats 10c
1 large pkg Wash. Powder...10c
1 package Parlor Matches ..12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing..10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each.. 5c

$1 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3 lb. box Cal. Prunes 25c
3 lb. package B. B. Buckwheat 15c
3 lb. can Syrup 15c
1 package Macaroni 10c
1 bottle Scheuer's Catsup 13c
1 bottle Horse Radish.....10c
1 bottle Vanilla 15c
1 can Baked Beans 10c
1 can Pumpkin 10c
1 can Beets 12c
1 can Green Gage Plums.....15c
1 can Spinach 12c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

Grandma's Cookies, lb 12c
1 lb. Animal Crackers 12c
Fig Bars, lb 12c
Graham Crackers, lb 12c
Chocolate Creams, lb 15c
Cocoanut Bon Bons, lb 12c
French Mixed Candy, lb 12c
Royals, lb 13c
Cocoa Brittle, lb 13c
2 packages Cracker Jack, each. 5c

IN OUR MEAT DEPARTMENT:

50 Stamps with 5 lb. Rump Roast. Shoulder Spring Lamb 10c lb.	50 Stamps with 5 lb. Rump Corned Beef Jersey Pork Sausage our own make 12c lb.	50 Stamps with 35c worth Plate Corned Beef 10 Stamps with ½ lb. Chipped Beef	10 Stamps with ½ lb. Boiled Ham. Hamburg Steak lb. 10c

STATE APPROVES PRIVATE SCHOOLS.

Diplomas, Under Restrictions, to Be Taken by Medical Boards.

Under the new plan of Professor Charles J. Baxter, State superintendent of public instruction, which the State Department of Public Instruction will shortly promulgate, private schools which have an approved full high school course may secure the endorsement of the State department on their diplomas, where they are to be taken as credentials for a preliminary academic course before the State Boards of Medical, Dental and Law Examinations.

Many students who desire to enter either of the professions mentioned are prepared by private schools. Under the present regulations the diplomas from these private schools, as credentials before either of the boards mentioned, must be endorsed by the State superintendent of public instruction. The plan now being promulgated has been arranged to facilitate and make general this certification of the diplomas of the private schools.

The plan provides that such private schools as desire to do so may be placed on a registered list in the State Department of Public Instruction. The requirements are that they must make application to the State department and then submit to a personal visitation and examination by the State inspector of high schools. Those schools which pass this test will be placed on the registered list. Their credentials will be passed upon by the State superintendent, and to them he will issue certificates the same as to those of the approved high schools.

Although the plan has just been announced, Professor Baxter has already received several applications. In one instance the State high school inspector, after a visit and examination, has reported adversely, stating that the school is not up to the required standard. In this case, of course, there will be no endorsement by the State school authorities.

Professor Baxter yesterday afternoon emphasized the fact that this was no scheme to, in any sense, get control over the private schools of the State. He said it was merely a plan by which the private schools, of standard grade, may have the endorsement of the State as mentioned.

LOCAL OPTION BILL REPORTED IN HOUSE.

Municipal Corporation Committee Chairman Frees Measure Without Recommendation.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—Assemblyman Scovel, chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, Monday night reported without recommendation Mr. Miller's local option bill. With it he sent to the clerk's desk a huge pile of papers which Clerk Parker announced to be—"about 400 petitions praying for its passage."

The powerful lobby which the brewers have here watching this measure were somewhat surprised when the bill made its appearance, as a belief became current in the afternoon that, owing to the bereavement of Mr. Miller, which kept him from the Assembly chamber this week, the measure would not be reported until his return. It was announced on good authority that the bill would not be taken up until Mr. Miller returned to his seat.

Mr. Miller lost his wife Monday, and at the opening of the House Monday night his colleague, Mr. Buck, with "profound sorrow" introduced a resolution condoling with him, which the House adopted unanimously by a standing vote.

A NEWARK WOMAN FACES BIGAMIST.

Mrs. A. H. Masson Makes Complaint at Hackettstown and Husband Admits Guilt.

Hackettstown, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Anna Hahne Masson, of 170 South Orange avenue, Newark, appeared before Justice of the Peace E. J. Wildrick in a complaint against her husband, Henry Masson, here Monday, on a charge of bigamy. Certified records of marriages were presented, showing that Masson was married on September 5, 1899, to Miss Hahne in Jersey City, by Rev. D. B. F. Randolph, and that on October 16, 1905, he was again married to Miss Dorothy A. Dow, of Elizabeth, by Rev. J. A. Owen at the parsonage of the local M. E. church. No decree of separation existed between Masson and wife No. 1, with whom he had not lived for about one year.

When the defendant was shown both records he retracted his plea of not guilty and confessed to a plural marriage. Masson has been living with wife No. 2 in Elizabeth at the home of her parents since their marriage last October.

His arrest was made on Sunday by the police of Elizabeth, and he was held for his removal to this place. He is employed in the produce market of A. Sasselein & Bros., of Newark, who furnished bail for his appearance before the next ourt of Oyer and Terminer of Warren county, to be held at Belvidere on April 24 next.

Ash Wednesday Services.

Ash Wednesday services were held in all the Catholic and Episcopal churches here this morning. The congregations were of good size.

Services Daily.

There will be daily morning prayer at 9:30 o'clock, at Holy Cross church during Lent.